

TO MPA  
ISSUES

TRIBAL GOVERNANCE MPA: RELATIONSHIP  
PROGRAMS AND OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE

I. Relationship to external academic bureaucracy within the college: MPA Lead  
Coordinator: Larry

If TG faculty needed at a  
meeting: Larry will request

II. Budget (note, Alan and Linda are paid out of permanent program budgets respectively  
for NWIARI and MPA

A. Donations: Admin. budget: set up to pay .5 FTE program secretary per year  
3 one-quarter adjunct faculty appointments  
over two years

B. Donations: Academic administration budget: Recruitment costs, travel for  
recruitment and curriculum development, etc  
Advisory Board Costs

C. Donations: Program budget: faculty program-related travel  
Books, tapes, materials as needed for program  
Copy cards  
Speakers, elder scholars, workshops

D. NWIARI budget: future contributions and grants?

III. Additional administrative jobs: a deputy director for TG or not?

A. Admissions/registrar:  
1) admit decisions, admissions committee process  
2) leave requests, readmit, sign records for graduation, possible unit transfers for  
concentration

B. Student-related  
1) Code of conduct, academic drops, etc.  
2) Academic counselling: pathways to jobs in tribal government,  
intergovernmental liaisons etc  
3). Crossover student decisions: moving in or out from general MPA programs  
4) Coordination of financial aid, special needs, TESC Financial aid, selection  
process for TG students for internal  
aid.

IV. External Relations with Tribe

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- 1) Coordination with tribal scholarships, foundations and tribal financial aid
  - 2) Interface with non-graded to graded systems
  - 3). Internship Programs; coordination of internships, paperwork, tribal approvals, potential cooperative education programs with tribes, etc.
  - 4) Coordination of Tribal Advisory Board

#### V. Recruitment

- A. Target recruitment pools, areas, and implement strategy
- B. Preparation of recruitment tools, catalogues, posters, etc.
- C. Conduct recruitment sessions

#### VI. Program development: Curriculum creation and Grants/Donations

- A. NSF grant for natural and cultural emphasis program
- B. Explore other grants, Turner scholarships
- C. Seek out and create curriculum to develop current courses and to create a broader array of electives
- D. Lead strategy development for certificate, coordinate with federal, state and local agencies and tribes.