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Membership is open to all institutions of higher education and non-profit associations that work in support of higher education. For information about joining NCCI and to secure a membership application form, visit our website at www.ncci-cu.org or contact:

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NCCI

**NATIONAL CONSORTIUM
FOR CONTINUOUS IMPROVEMENT
IN HIGHER EDUCATION**

**ADVANCING EXCELLENCE THROUGH
EFFECTIVE ORGANIZATIONAL PRACTICES**

**MEMBERSHIP
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The **National Consortium for Continuous Improvement** was formed in 1999 by national leaders in continuous improvement, organizational development, planning, quality, institutional effectiveness and related areas. Our aim is to advance academic and administrative excellence in higher education by identifying, promoting, supporting and sharing effective organizational practices among member institutions.

In our respective institutions across the nation, members of NCCI are involved in addressing critical issues by converting policies and ideas into action and results. NCCI enables us to advance the effectiveness of our institutions through collaboration. Our efforts are further leveraged through our partnerships with other associations, including ACE and NACUBO.

Collectively, we have the capacity and desire to advance critical issues for higher education nationally through our expertise and commitment to excellence.

MISSION

NCCI advances sustainable excellence in higher education by promoting the practice and discipline of continuous improvement across all academic and administrative functions.

VISION

NCCI is the leading consortium that advances successful transformational change and progressive improvement in higher education.

NCCI does this by:

- creating and proactively sharing innovative strategies
- enabling collaboration among diverse communities
- serving as a bridge for excellence across institutions

VALUES

Continuous improvement
Collaboration
Innovation
Diversity of perspective

Embracing the tripartite mission
of higher education — Learning,
discovery and engagement

DUES

NCCI offers a sliding dues scale for institutional membership based on student enrollment. We invite you to join the premier organization for change management and organizational effectiveness.

KEY BENEFITS OF NCCI MEMBERSHIP

Website

The NCCI website, www.ncci-cu.org, serves as a resource for current and prospective members. It provides numerous valuable resources, including: information on conferences and events, professional development offerings, best practices, information on career opportunities, publications and e-newsletters, current events, contact information, NCCI's history, strategic plan, and a listing of members.

Annual Conference

The Annual Conference focuses on your educational needs by providing informative workshop sessions on topics identified by our members, as well as thought-provoking general sessions, and ample opportunities to network with colleagues.

"Higher education institutions in America need to focus their planning on improving and turning ideas into action. NCCI provides an opportunity to build that expertise for our institutions nationally."

David Ward, Former President
American Council on Education

"To maintain Berkeley's academic excellence in this fast-moving world, we need to be focused on our priorities and be able to improve our operations quickly and effectively. NCCI has provided us with expertise and perspective in these areas as we join other institutions of higher education to advance our collective priority of organizational effectiveness."

Robert Berdahl, Former Chancellor
University of California-Berkeley



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Resource Network 2.0

NCCI's newest service is the Resource Network 2.0, an online social networking and collaboration system. Resource Network 2.0 allows members to connect online to initiate discussions about current challenges, share documents, such as model policies, and brainstorm to solve problems. It features an online directory, a Resource Library and eGroups (discussion groups). Members can create a detailed personal profile, which will make it easier to network with other members who have common interests. Members can also share or download documents and other resources from the Resource Library, where resources will be organized by topic in a searchable database. Resource Network 2.0 is an important new service that brings members together in a trusted network to share solutions to current challenges.

Networking

NCCI membership provides you with the opportunity to meet many other professionals involved in continuous improvement at the Annual Conference and at other educational events held throughout the year. An online membership directory is also available on the website.

Sharing Effective Practices

NCCI provides numerous online and in-person opportunities to share best practices in academic and administrative processes and systems from dozens of universities as well as associations and corporations. These opportunities will provide you and your institution with proven approaches that can help you continuously improve services, communications, partnerships, leadership, and learning.

Leveraging Excellence Award Program

The Leveraging Excellence Award recognizes initiatives where effective academic and administrative practices have been successfully implemented beyond one department, campus, or institution. While many institutions are engaged in designing and implementing innovative best practices, this award recognizes cases when such improvements are actively applied elsewhere for greater impact. NCCI honors achievements in which excellence expanded beyond its origins has resulted in significant impact — improved service, improved outcomes, increased satisfaction, revenue generation, and/or cost savings. Information about the award is on the NCCI website at www.ncci-cu.org.