

Post-implementation processes and estimated timelines⁶

What	Who	When	Why
Accreditation approval	Office of the VC for Academic Affairs & Provost	Inquiries submitted in parallel when Senate approval attained; full applications when required submitted upon final governance approval. Inquiry response approx. 2 weeks after submission; full application response varies.	Effective July 1, 2020, review required by Higher Learning Commission by U.S. Dept. of Education for all new programs and all “substantive” changes.
Financial aid eligibility for Campus Graduate Certificates	Office of Student Financial Aid	Submitted upon final approval in governance; notice at least 45 days after submission	Required by U.S. Dept. of Education for all new Certificate programs
Official implementation notice	Division of Management Information (DMI)	Auto-generated in CIM after attachment of official approval notices	Required documentation
Codebook/Banner codes	DMI/Planning & Budgeting/AITS	Codebook approval notice uploaded by DMI in CIM prior to sending official notice. Banner update/AITS work varies.	For programs that require an updated or new code only
Academic Catalog Program of Study update	Office of the Registrar	Auto-generated as entered in CIM after final approvals. Driven by effective term. For SP 22 effective term, final approvals must be in place by 12/20/21; by 8/15/22 for FA 22 effective term reflections in Catalog.	Contact fms-catalog@illinois.edu for CIM guidance
Updating student records	Office of the Registrar/Academic Unit Office	Varies depending on action taken/needs of students.	Most program code changes impacting current student records should be made for the upcoming academic year. Contact the Office of the Registrar for guidance.
Inclusion on graduate admissions application	Graduate College Admissions	Rolling/ASAP after program code generation.	For graduate programs only; professional programs (DVM, JD, MD) need to contact respective colleges.
Inclusion in undergraduate printed recruitment materials	Office of Undergraduate Admissions	June 15, 2022 for 2023 recruitment	For undergraduate programs only
Inclusion on undergraduate admissions application ⁷	Office of Undergraduate Admissions	Dec. 1, 2021 for SU/FA 2022 transfer app August 1, 2022 for FA 2023 first-yr app;	For undergraduate programs only

¹Items involving graduate programs must be reviewed and approved by the Graduate College's Executive Committee. GCEC will transmit approved items to the Provost's office.

²2022 meeting dates for GCEC and IBHE will be available in late fall.

³Items involving programs leading to P-20 teaching certification must be reviewed and approved by the Council on Teacher Education, which transmits items as appropriate to the Illinois State Board of Education (ISBE), prior to submission to the Provost's office. COTE will send items to the Provost's once appropriate approvals are in place.

⁴Items for Board of Trustees meetings are due to the Chancellor's office 4-6 weeks prior to the scheduled meeting.

⁶This list is not meant to be exhaustive of all post-implementation processes. Units are encouraged to reach out directly to the campus offices that oversee these processes directly for the most accurate, situation-specific advice.

⁷OUA needs to know if major will be open to freshmen and transfers. If transfer included, Transfer Handbook entry will be needed & first term of entry. Keep in mind that undergraduate application runs on calendar year, not academic year, so you may want to request program start date as spring.