The Dean’s and/or Chair/Director’s Response to the Report of the External Consultants

The report of the external consultant(s) will be shared with the Graduate Program Chair, who will be required to provide a written response to the report.

The report of the external consultant(s) and the program’s response will be shared with the relevant Dean(s) and unit/program Chair(s) or Director(s) and their response to the report will be requested.

The response of the Dean(s) and/or Chair(s)/Director(s) will comment on:

a) the plans and recommendations proposed in the self-study;
b) the recommendations advanced in the report of the external consultant(s); and

c) the program’s response to the report of the external consultant(s).

In addition, the response of the Dean(s) and/or Chair(s)/Director(s) will describe:

d) any changes in organization, policy or governance that would be necessary to meet the recommendations advanced in the report of the external consultant(s);
e) the resources, financial and otherwise, that would be provided in supporting the implementation of selected recommendations; and

f) a proposed timeline for the implementation of any of those recommendations.