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On May 6, 2015, the National Architectural Accrediting Board, Inc. (NAAB) approved the current edition of The Procedures for Accreditation, 2015 edition. Section 10 describes Interim Progress Reports (IPRs) and provides instructions on their preparation.

An IPR is a narrative report supported by evidence that cover three areas:

1. The program’s response to, or progress in, addressing not-met Conditions or SPC, or Causes of Concern from the most recent VTR.
2. Significant changes to the program or the institution since the last visit.
3. Changes to the program’s responses to Conditions I.1-I.5 since the previous Architecture Program Report was submitted. In this section, the program must clearly distinguish new or amended text from that provided in the template. Additional instructions will be included in the template.

All programs that received an eight-year term of accreditation following a visit conducted in 2016 are required to file a two-year IPR by November 30, 2018.

In addition, all programs that received an eight-year term of accreditation following a visit conducted in 2013 are required to file a five-year IPR by November 30, 2018.

These programs are required to submit a 2-year IPR in 2018:

Cooper Union (B. Arch.)
Cornell University (B. Arch.)
Drury University (M. Arch.)
Massachusetts College of Art and Design (M. Arch.)
Mississippi State University (B. Arch.)
NewSchool of Architecture & Design (B. Arch. and M. Arch.)
Parsons School of Design (M. Arch.)
Pratt Institute (B. Arch. and M. Arch.)
Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (B.Arch. and M. Arch.)
Rice University (B.Arch. and M. Arch.)
Syracuse University (B. Arch and M. Arch.)
Texas Tech University (M. Arch.)
University of Arizona (B. Arch and M. Arch.)
University of California, Berkeley (M. Arch.)
University of California, Los Angeles (M. Arch.)
University of Idaho (M. Arch.)
University of Kansas (M. Arch.)
University of Massachusetts, Amherst (M. Arch.)
University of North Carolina, Charlotte (B. Arch. and M. Arch.)
These programs are required to submit a 5-year IPR in 2018:

American University of Sharjah (B. Arch.)
Ball State University (M. Arch.)
Illinois Institute of Technology (B. Arch. and M. Arch.)
Southern Illinois University at Carbondale (M. Arch.)
University of Florida (M. Arch.)
University of Oregon (B.Arch. and M. Arch.)
Yale University (M. Arch.)

IPRs are submitted through the NAAB’s annual report submission system (ARS) along with the annual statistical report. IPR templates, unique to each program, will be distributed directly to program administrators through the ARS. In order to receive your report template, you must confirm the name and email address for the program’s ARS liaison by sending an email to ecathey@naab.org.