The Second Cycle Institutional Accreditation Practices Analysis

The purpose of this study is to investigate the implementation and effectiveness of the second-cycle institutional review. The research methods include literature review, questionnaire survey and focus group. The results of the study point out seven conclusions for further implementation and improvement including the implementation of second-cycle institutional review basically doing well, and the implementation of self-evaluation reveals high satisfaction. The student opinion survey shows that the institutional review planning and practices related to the students are appropriate, the standards and indicators can add more guidelines and categorize by university types, reconsiders the composition of the evaluators and their evaluation profession trainings, refines the on-site visit procedures and timelines, assists the universities to prepare their evaluation data and systematizes the evaluation information, and Corresponding suggestions are also made.