

**Proposed Meeting Dates for 2010  
Committee on Accreditation Meetings  
January 2010**

Staff has prepared some options for a calendar of COA meetings for the second half of the 2010 year and the 2010-2011 year. With the exception of the October meeting, all other meetings will be two day meetings. Staff has included calendar options for meeting dates on Wednesday and Thursday as well as Thursday and Friday dates. Because the Commission room is generally in use earlier in the week, staff believes the Wednesday/Thursday or Thursday/Friday dates are the best option for COA meetings. Staff is prepared to discuss the proposed calendar and provide a rationale for the dates proposed.

The proposed schedule has been designed to avoid conflicts with the following annual educational conferences:

	<b>2010-2011</b>	<b>2011-2012</b>
Association of Teacher Educators (ATE)	February 9-16	February 12-16
American Association of Colleges for Teacher Education (AACTE)	February 24	February 10
American Educational Research Association (AERA)	April 8-12	April 13-17
Credential Counselors and Analyst of California (CCAC)	October 11-14	<i>October 9-12</i>
California Council on Teacher Education (CCTE)	October 14-16 March 24-26	October 13-15 -
National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education (NCATE)	May 18-20	<i>May 16-18 or May 23-25</i>

*Italics=tentative*

**Staff Recommendation**

This is an information item only. Staff will prepare an item for COA adoption of a schedule of meeting dates to be presented at the April 2010 COA meeting. The Commission sets its calendar on a calendar year basis while historically the COA has set its calendar on a fiscal/school year basis. The current schedule of Commission Meetings can be found below.

### Commission Meeting Schedule

2010	2011
January 28	January 27-28
March 4	March 3
April 22-23	April 14-15
June 3	June 2
August 5	August 4
September 30-October 1	October 5-6
November 4	November 3
December 9-10	December 8-9

Provided below are the adopted meeting dates for 2009-2010 and comparable dates for the 2010-2011 year and the fall of 2011.

### COA Meeting Dates

Meeting Month	Adopted 2009-10 Meeting Dates	Possible COA Meeting Dates	
		2010-2011	2011-2012
<b>August</b>	August 4-5, 2009	August 3-4	August 2-3
<b>October</b>	October 23, 2009	October 22	October 21
<b>January</b>	January 20-21, 2010	January 19-20	-
<b>April</b>	April 15-16, 2010	April 21-22	-
<b>May</b>	May 18-19, 2010	May 25-26	-
<b>June</b>	June 23-24, 2010	June 22-23	-

#### Next Steps

After the COA's discussion, staff will prepare a possible set of meeting dates for the COA's consideration and possible adoption at the April 2010 meeting.