# 1. Assessment

- 1.a. Organizational assessment
- 1.b. Professional licensure
  - 1.b.i. Chartered engineer
  - 1.b.ii. Professional engineer
    - 1. Fundamentals of Engineering exam
- 1.c. Program evaluation
  - 1.c.i. Accreditation
    - 1. ABET
    - 2. Criteria
  - 1.c.ii. Advisory boards
  - 1.c.iii. Course assessment
  - 1.c.iv. External evaluation
  - 1.c.v. Multilevel program assessment
- 1.d. Student assessment
  - 1.d.i. Assessment tools
    - 1. Feedback
      - a. 360 degree
    - 2. Grades
      - a. Automated grading
      - b. Grading systems
      - c. Inflation
    - 3. Concept Inventory
    - 4. Portfolios
    - 5. Rubric
    - 6. Test format [syn: Exam format]
      - a. Multiple choice
      - b. Open ended tests
      - c. Practical examinations [syn: Clinical examinations]
      - d. Standardized
  - 1.d.ii. Knowledge gain
  - 1.d.iii. Knowledge retention
  - 1.d.iv. Performance
  - 1.d.v. Method
    - 1. Continuous
    - 2. Diagnostic
    - 3. Formative
    - 4. Peer review
    - 5. Outcomes based assessment
    - 6. Self assessment
    - 7. Summative
  - 1.d.vi. Setting
    - 1. Individual
    - 2. Group
    - 3. Online
    - 4. Workplace

## 2. Design

- 2.a. Design practice
  - 2.a.i. Ideation
  - 2.a.ii. Information gathering
  - 2.a.iii. Modeling
    - 1. Physical modeling
      - a. 3D modeling
      - b. Computer-aided design
      - c. Prototyping
        - i. Rapid prototyping
    - 2. Process modeling
      - a. Flowcharting
  - 2.a.iv. Needs analysis
  - 2.a.v. Problem definition
  - 2.a.vi. Product testing
- 2.b. Design projects
  - 2.b.i. Capstone projects [syn: Senior projects, Senior design]
  - 2.b.ii. Design competitions
  - 2.b.iii. Multidisciplinary design
- 2.c. Design process
  - 2.c.i. Human centered design [syn: User centered design]
  - 2.c.ii. Product archaeology [syn: Product dissection, Reverse engineering]
  - 2.c.iii. Product development
- 2.d. Design thinking

# 3. Diversity

3.a. Diversity concerns

3.a.i. Bias

3.a.ii. Discrimination

3.a.iii. Equity

3.a.iv. Inclusivity

3.a.v. Multiculturalism

3.a.vi. Student diversity

3.a.vii. Underrepresentation [syn: Underrepresented students]

3.a.viii. Workplace diversity

3.b. Types of diversity

3.b.i. Gender

1. Female [syn: Women, Girls]

2. Male

3. Transgender

3.b.ii. Individual differences

1. Learning styles

2. Personality types

3.b.iii. Nontraditional students

1. Commuter students

2. Part time students

3. Transfer students

4. Veterans

3.b.iv. Race/Ethnicity

3.b.v. Sexual orientation

3.b.vi. Student background

1. First generation

2. International students

3. Socioeconomic status

3.b.vii. Students with disabilities

## 4. Educational level

4.a. Continuing education

4.b. Graduate education [syn: Postgraduate]

4.b.i. Graduate

1. Master's students

2. PhD students [syn: Doctoral students]

4.b.ii. Supervision

4.c. Higher education [syn: College, University]

4.d. P-12 [syn: P12, K-12, K12]

4.d.i. Elementary school [syn: Primary school]

4.d.ii. High school

1. Advanced Placement courses

2. Pre college preparation

4.d.iii. Middle school

4.d.iv. Preschool

4.d.v. Pre-engineering

4.e. Postdoctoral studies

4.f. Undergraduate

4.f.i. First year [syn: Freshmen, Freshman]

1. First year curriculum

2. First year experience

4.f.ii. Junior

4.f.iii. Senior

4.f.iv. Sophomore

## 5. Educational setting

5.a. Engineering curriculum

5.b. Engineering fields

5.b.i. Aerospace engineering

5.b.ii. Architectural engineering

5.b.iii. Biomedical engineering

5.b.iv. Chemical engineering

5.b.v. Civil engineering

5.b.vi. Computer engineering

5.b.vii. Computer science

5.b.viii. Construction engineering

5.b.ix. Electrical engineering

5.b.x. Engineering technology

5.b.xi. Environmental engineering

5.b.xii. Information technology

1. Green engineering

2. Sustainability

5.b.xiii. Industrial engineering

5.b.xiv. Manufacturing

5.b.xv. Materials science and engineering

5.b.xvi. Mechanical engineering

5.b.xvii. Ocean engineering [syn: Marine engineering]

5.b.xviii. Nuclear engineering

5.c. Informal learning [syn: Outreach]

5.d. Institution type

5.d.i. Baccalaureate institutions

5.d.ii. Community colleges

5.d.iii. Doctoral institutions

5.d.iv. Hispanic serving institutions (HSIs)

5.d.v. Historically black colleges/universities (HBCUs)

5.d.vi. Master's institutions

5.d.vii. Single gender campuses

5.d.viii. Technical colleges

5.d.ix. Tribal colleges

5.e. Learning environment

5.e.i. Classroom

5.e.ii. Co-curricular

5.e.iii. Extracurricular

5.e.iv. Honors programs

5.e.v. International programs

5.e.vi. Laboratory

5.e.vii. Learning communities

5.e.viii. Studio

5.e.ix. Undergraduate research

# 6. Educational technology [syn: E-learning]

6.a. Computer-based instruction [syn: Internet-based

instruction]

6.a.i. Games

6.a.ii. Educational software

6.b. Electronic communication

6.b.i. Blog

6.b.ii. Email

6.b.iii. Groupware

6.b.iv. Instant messaging

6.b.v. Online discussions

1. Web discussions [syn: Chat]

2. Wikis

6.b.vi. Online repositories

6.b.vii. Social media

6.b.viii. Streaming Media

1. Streaming audio [syn: Podcast]

2. Streaming video

6.c. Learning technology

6.c.i. Adaptive computer learning

6.c.ii. Learning management systems

6.c.iii. Personal response system [syn: Clicker]

6.c.iv. Simulation

6.c.v. Mobile applications

6.c.vi. Pen and touch devices

6.c.vii. Virtual reality

6.d. Learning modality

6.d.i. Blended learning

6.d.ii. Distance learning

1. Asynchronous

2. Massive Open Online Classes (MOOCs)

3. Synchronous

6.d.iii. Remote laboratory [syn: Virtual laboratory]

#### 7. Instruction

7.a. Conceptual learning [syn: Conceptual change]

7.a.i. Concept inventories

7.a.ii. Concept maps

7.a.iii. Misconceptions

7.a.iv. Preconceptions

7.a.v. Threshold concepts

7.b. Faculty [syn: Instructors]

7.b.i. Faculty attitudes

7.b.ii. Faculty development [syn: Educational development]

1. Pedagogical content knowledge

2. Reflective practice

3. Teaching skills

7.b.iii. Instructional role

1. Adjunct

2. Advisor

3. Graduate teaching assistant

4. Instructor

5. Peer teaching assistant

7.b.iv. Teaching philosophies

7.b.v. Team teaching

7.c. Institutional change [syn: Institutional

transformation, Organizational change]

7.c.i. Evidence-based practice

7.c.ii. Institutional culture

7.c.iii. Instructional change

7.c.iv. Research to practice

1. Adoption

2. Diffusion

3. Dissemination

7.c.v. Theories of change

7.d. Instructional design

7.d.i. Alignment

7.d.ii. Bloom's taxonomy

7.d.iii. Course design

7.d.iv. Backwards design

7.d.v. Learning objectives

7.e. Instructional methods [syn: Pedagogy]

7.e.i. Active learning

1. Experiential learning

2. Inquiry based learning

3. Peer instruction

4. Challenge based instruction

7.e.ii. Critical pedagogy

7.e.iii. Flipped classroom

7.e.iv. Lecture

7.e.v. Model-eliciting activities

7.e.vi. Mutual learning models

1. Collaborative learning

2. Cooperative learning

3. Team based learning

7.e.vii. Problem based learning

7.e.viii. Project based learning

7.e.ix. Service learning

7.f. Teaching evaluations

## 8. Outcomes

#### 8.a. Communication

- 8.a.i. Audiences
- 8.a.ii. Communication skills
  - 1. Nonverbal
  - 2. Verbal
    - a. Listening
    - b. Oral presentations
    - c. Speaking
  - 3. Visual communication
    - a. Engineering graphics
    - b. Illustrations
  - 4. Visualization [syn: Spatial skills]
  - 5. Written communication
    - a. Argumentation
    - b. Reading
    - c. Writing
- 8.a.iii. Foreign languages
- 8.a.iv. Technical communication
- 8.b. Competence
- 8.c. Computing skills [syn: Computing knowledge]
- 8.d. Creativity
- 8.e. Critical thinking
- 8.f. Engagement
- 8.g. Engineering standards
- 8.h. Entrepreneurship
- 8.i. Ethics
  - 8.i.i. Academic dishonesty [syn: Academic integrity]
    - 1. Plagiarism
  - 8.i.ii. Social justice
  - 8.i.iii. Social responsibility
- 8.j. Information literacy [syn: Information fluency]
- 8.k. Innovation
- 8.l. Intercultural competence [syn: Global]
  - 8.l.i. Cultural schemas
- 8.m. Leadership
- 8.n. Lifelong learning
- 8.o. Problem solving
- 8.p. Professional skills [syn: Soft skills]
- 8.q. Scientific literacy
- 8.r. Student perception
- 8.s. Student experience
- 8.t. Teamwork [syn: Team skills]
- 8.u. Reflection
  - 8.u.i. Critical reflection
- 8.v. Systems thinking

# 9. Professional practice

#### 9.a. Careers

- 9.a.i. Career choice
- 9.a.ii. Career paths
- 9.b. Engineering profession
  - 9.b.i. Employers
  - 9.b.ii. Employment
  - 9.b.iii. Workplace culture
- 9.c. Engineering management
- 9.d. Industry involvement
  - 9.d.i. Cooperative education
  - 9.d.ii. Industry sponsorship
  - 9.d.iii. Internships

## 10. Recruitment and retention

10.a. Academic support

10.a.i. Supplemental instruction

10.a.ii. Tutoring

10.b. Achievement

10.c. Advising

10.c.i. Academic advising

10.c.ii. Coaching

10.c.iii. Mentoring

1. Peer mentoring

10.d. Preparation

10.e. Recruitment

10.e.i. Engineering recruitment

1. Engineering pathways [syn: Engineering pipeline]

10.e.ii. Matriculation

10.e.iii. Enrollment

10.f. Retention

10.f.i. Attrition

10.f.ii. Persistence

10.f.iii. Retention rate

10.f.iv. Scholarships

10.f.v. Time to degree

10.g. Study behaviors

10.g.i. Study groups

10.g.ii. Time management

10.h. Student development

10.h.i. Absenteeism

10.h.ii. Mental health

1. Test anxiety

2. Depression

3. Stress

10.h.iii. Physical health

## 11. Related fields

11.a. Engineering economics

11.a.i. Employability

1. Industry demand

11.b. Education policy

11.b.i. Bologna process

11.b.ii. Common core state standards

11.c. Mathematics

11.c.i. Calculus

11.c.ii. Complex numbers

11.c.iii. Differential equations

11.c.iv. Engineering mathematics

11.c.v. Graphing

11.c.vi. Linear algebra

11.c.vii. Pre-calculus

11.c.viii. Probability theory

11.c.ix. Statistics

11.d. Philosophy of engineering education

11.e. Science

11.e.i. Biology

11.e.ii. Chemistry

11.e.iii. Geoscience

11.e.iv. Life science

11.e.v. Physical science

11.e.vi. Physics

11.e.vii. Technology applications

11.f. STEM

11.g. Technology studies

## 12. Research approaches

12.a. Data collection

12.a.i. Analytics

12.a.ii. Focus groups

12.a.iii. Interviews

12.a.iv. Observations

12.a.v. Multi-institution

12.a.vi. Survey

12.b. Research ethics

12.b.i. Ethical treatment of subjects

12.b.ii. Professional research ethics

12.c. Research evaluation criteria

12.c.i. Credibility

12.c.ii. Dependability

12.c.iii. Generalizability

12.c.iv. Reliability

12.c.v. Transferability

12.c.vi. Trustworthiness

12.c.vii. Validity

12.d. Research methods

12.d.i. Action research

12.d.ii. Design-based research

12.d.iii. Mixed methods research

12.d.iv. Qualitative

1. Case Study

2. Content analysis

a. Discourse analysis

b. Document analysis

3. Ethnography

4. Grounded theory

5. Narrative inquiry

6. Phenomenology

7. Phenomenography

8. Photoelicitation

12.d.v. Quantitative

1. Data correlation

2. Descriptive statistics

3. Experimental research

4. Factor analysis

5. Inferential statistics

6. Psychometric analysis

7. Regression

8. Structural equation modeling

12.d.vi. Systematic review

1. Meta-analysis

## 13. Theoretical frameworks

13.a. Affective theories

13.a.i. Emotional learning

13.a.ii. Motivation

1. Achievement goal orientation theory [syn: Deep learning, Mastery learning]

2. Attribution theory

3. Behavior theory [syn: Behaviorism]

4. Expectancy Value theory

5. Self-determination theory

13.a.iii. Self efficacy

13.b. Cognitive theories

13.b.i. Constructivist

1. Expert-novice

13.b.ii. Knowledge transfer

13.b.iii. Self regulated learning

1. Metacognition

13.c. Critical theory

13.d. Developmental theory

13.d.i. Adult learning theory

13.d.ii. Agency

13.d.iii. Model of domain learning

13.d.iv. Identity

13.d.v. Perry's model of intellectual development

13.d.vi. Piaget's theory of cognitive development

13.e. Epistemology

13.f. Social cognitive theories [syn: Social learning theory]

13.f.i. Activity theory

13.f.ii. Cognitive apprenticeship

13.f.iii. Community of practice

13.f.iv. Social cognitive career theory

# 14. Teams [syn: Groups]

- 14.a. Interdisciplinary
- 14.b. Mental models
- 14.c. Multidisciplinary
- 14.d. Self managing work teams
- 14.e. Team dynamics
  - 14.e.i. Nominal group technique
  - 14.e.ii. Team development [syn: Group development]
  - 14.e.iii. Team formation
  - 14.e.iv. Team performance
  - 14.e.v. Team roles
- 14.f. Teamwork training
- 14.g. Transdisciplinary
- 14.h. Virtual teams [syn: Distributed]