Next Steps in Processing Results of Campus Climate Survey

1. Analysis of Perceptions: 8 Priority Statements & “Campus Pulse” Descriptors
The Office of Institutional Research will use the tables created during Phase II of the results process to conduct tests of statistical significance to identify differences in students’ perceptions of NVC across demographic/experiential groups. The tests of statistical significance will focus on the positive and negative response rates reported in the collapsed tables (in Phase II). The analysis will highlight statistically significant differences between subgroups of students.

2. Results from Faculty & Staff Campus Climate Survey
Faculty and staff responses to the “Campus Pulse” section of the campus climate survey were included in Phase I of the results process. In Phase III, faculty and staff responses to the 51 positive statements about NVC will be presented, along with responses to the demographic/experiential questions.

3. Notes on Areas for Improvement in Survey Process/Instrument
The Office of Institutional Research has identified a few areas for improvement in the survey process and the survey instrument itself as the results of the campus climate survey have been processed. “Lessons learned” from the 2009 campus climate survey process will be compiled as a reference for future campus-wide surveys.

The results of from Phase III of the campus climate survey will be shared with the Inclusivity Committee and then the campus community. We will continue to post the results from each phase of the survey process on the NVC website.