

Year 2013-14

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Student Learning Outcome	Assessment	Benchmark	Results	Decision/Improvement Made
1. Student will be able to apply the sociological perspective to social life.	-Major Field Test (MFT) -Jr./Sr. Questionnaire -Service Learning Reflections -Exams & Quizzes	- 50% are above the mean on the Major Field Test (MFT) - 60% report they are knowledgeable & competent in applying the sociological perspective to social life on the Jr/Sr Questionnaire - 75% correctly relate service learning to social problems -75% will score 70% or better on exams & quizzes in deviance (soc 305)	-2013-14 –100% of students (n=2) scored above the mean on the Major Field Test (MFT) -2013-14 -100% agreed or strongly agreed they can apply the sociological perspective to their or others' lives. - 2013-14 98% of students in social problems (soc 202) correctly related service learning to social problems. - 2013-13 88% of students scored 75% or better on exams in deviance (soc 305)	Benchmark Met. 1. Continue improving Senior Seminar to provide a venue for MFT review as progress unclear due to low n. 2. Review outcome matrix with new faculty at 2014 Annual Retreat in August and make adjustments to Outcomes and Measures as needed.
2. Student will understand the fundamental sociological concepts	-Major Field Test (MFT) -Jr./Sr. Questionnaire -Exams & Quizzes	- 50% will score above the mean on the MFT - 60% agree or strongly agree they have a good understanding of sociological concepts on the Jr/Sr Questionnaire - 75% will score 70% or better on exams & quizzes in deviance (soc 305), intro to anthropology (soc 101), & cultural anthropology (soc 300)	-2013-14 – 100% of students (n=2) scored at or above the mean on the MFT - 2013-14 - 100% agree or strongly agree on the Jr/Sr Questionnaire they have a good understanding of sociological concepts - 2013-14 – At least 86% scored 70% or better on deviance (soc 305), intro to anthropology (soc101) & cultural anthropology (soc 300) exams	Benchmark Met.

3. Student will understand and apply Sociological Theory	- SOC 402 Exams - Paper on Theorists - Paper on theoretical perspectives regarding urban impact on society - MFT	- 75% will score 70% or better on exams in theory (soc 402) -75% will score 70% or better on theorists' paper - 60% will accurately describe theoretical perspectives in theory (soc 402) -50% will score above the mean on the MFT	- 2013-14 - 85% of students scored 70% or better on theory exams - 2013-2014 89% of students scored 70% or better on paper assignments in theory (soc 402) - 2013-14 89% of students in theory (soc 402) accurately described theoretical perspectives -2013-2014 – 100% scored at or above the MFT mean (n=2)	Benchmark Met.
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