

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN LIBERAL ARTS ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN & FINDINGS
2016-2017 ACADEMIC YEAR**

	<i>PLO 1</i> <i>Demonstrate appropriate comparative and analytical communication skills across disciplines.</i>	<i>PLO 2</i> <i>Conduct effective independent research</i>	<i>PLO 3</i> <i>Demonstrate interpersonal and collaborative skills between and among diverse groups and individuals.</i>	<i>PLO 4</i> <i>Apply critical thinking skills in analyzing environmental, social, and political issues.</i>	<i>PLO 5</i> <i>Summarize and integrate viewpoints from different disciplines.</i>	<i>PLO 6</i> <i>Analyze the values that influence interactions among people, groups, and nations.</i>
<i>LIB 101: The Art of Being Human</i>	I	I		I	I	I
<i>LIB 102: Human Questions</i>	I	I		I	I	I
<i>LIB 202: Women, Culture, and Society</i>	I	I		I	I	I
<i>LIB 301: Liberal Arts Seminar</i>	R	R	I	R	R	
<i>LIB 315: The Environment and the Human Spirit</i>	R		R			
<i>LIB 316: Historical Contexts and Literature</i>	R	R	R	R	R	R
<i>LIB 318: Peacekeeping</i>	R	R		R	R	M
<i>LIB 320: Global Socioeconomic Perspectives</i>	R	R		R	R	R
<i>LIB 332: Science and Culture</i>	R	R		R	R	R
<i>LIB 356: Research Methods for the Humanities</i>	R	R	R	R	R	
<i>LIB 495: Liberal Arts Capstone</i>	M	M	M	M	M	

I (Introduced), R (Reinforced), or M (Mastered).

ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN FINDINGS					
PLO 1 - Demonstrate appropriate comparative and analytical communication skills across disciplines.					
MEASURE	ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED	ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	ASSESSMENT RESULTS: 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: LIB 495 Final Paper	75% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	158	203	77.83%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

PLO 2 - Conduct effective independent research.					
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Direct Measure 1: LIB 495 Final Paper	75% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	28	36	77.78%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
PLO 3 - Demonstrate interpersonal and collaborative skills between and among diverse groups and individuals.					

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Direct Measure 1: LIB 495 Week Four Assignment	75% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	40	49	81.63%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
PLO 4 - Apply critical thinking skills in analyzing environmental, social, and political issues.					

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Direct Measure 1: LIB 495 Final Paper	75% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	116	150	77.73%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
PLO 5 - Summarize and integrate viewpoints from different disciplines					
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				ACCEPTABLE TARGET	2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: LIB 495 Final Paper	75% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	11	18	61.11%	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
PLO 6 - Analyze the values that influence interactions among people, groups, and nations.					
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					3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: LIB 318 Final Paper	75% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	10	18	55.56%	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

OVERALL RECOMMENDATIONS

Overall, it is recommended that the Program Chair for the Bachelor of Arts in Liberal Arts review the assessment plans (including measures used, alignment mapping, and targets set) and Curriculum Map in preparation for the 2017-2018 assessment cycle. This will determine the appropriateness of the assignments and mapping for each PLO. In addition, the Program Chair should consider reviewing LIB 495 and LIB 318 as the acceptable targets for PLOs 5 and 6 were not met.

ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN ACTION ITEM STATUS REPORT

OUTCOME	MEASURE	KEY/RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL	STATUS	ANTICIPATED DATE OF COMPLETION
5	LIB 495 Week Final Paper	Program Chair	Complete	Continue to monitor this course.
<i>Action Details</i>	<i>In order to improve student achievement of PLO 5, LIB 495 will be revised.</i>			