



Core Objectives Assessment Team (COAT)

Meeting Minutes

Tuesday, September 18, 2012
4:00 PM – 4:45 PM, CHEC – 225

- 1. Peer Review:** Is there a need for a College-wide Peer-review assessment form? Will having the assessment form encourage students to step-up their engagement or will it encourage collusion? How and when would students fill out the form: individually or together as teams? The form should match the rubric.
- 2. Spring 2012 GE analysis/results draft:** Writing: Send information to the writing center that we are focusing on sources and evidence; is the rubric at fault or are students really not learning sources and evidence? Allow broad suggestions as to not dictate types of improvements to disciplines; include chairs in dissemination of information. Change wording on “faculty specifically need to” Critical Thinking: change the wording there as well. Reword section on assignments. Rubric Alignment is an issue. Faculty must continue to be made aware that measures need to align with the rubrics. Encourage departments to have sample assignments that everyone has the option to use that align with the rubrics or faculty may develop their own assignments.
- 3. Rubrics:** Add the State’s definitions of objectives to the rubrics. The Speech professors will need to give feedback regarding the Oral Communication rubric. Send suggestions and edits for the Social Responsibility and Personal Responsibility rubrics via email to Dawn.
- 4. Spring 2012 results-Cohick presentation:** COAT members preferred the presentation of data by COAT member Mike Cohick rather than the manner in which data had originally been presented in August. Mike’s presentation had the data presented in percentages. Mike used a benchmark of 2 or more. If the goal is to have 70% of students meeting a standard of 3 or more, the numbers will need to be changed.
- 5. Next COAT meeting:** October 8, 2012 at 4:00 pm in CHEC 200

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