

Program Name & CIP Code: History 45.0801 Level: Graduate

Example of Linkage between Expanded Statement of Institutional Purpose,
 Departmental/Program Intended Outcomes/Objectives, Assessment Criteria and Procedures,
 Results, and Use of Results at our University

Expanded Statement of Institutional Purpose	Departmental/Program Intended Outcomes/objectives	Assessment Criteria & Procedures	Assessment Results	Use of Results
<p>The History Department is committed to offering excellence in graduate education.</p>	<p>1. Graduates will demonstrate a command of the literature in their chosen areas of study.</p>	<p>1. Ninety percent of students who complete their thesis will score satisfactory or above in demonstrating their grasp of the literature of the field.</p>	<p>1. The Graduate subcommittee's evaluation of the sixteen bound theses available from the past three years found that 14 or 87.5% of those evaluated scored satisfactory or above in command of the literature of the field.</p>	<p>1. The Graduate Subcommittee decided to require that students submit a preliminary annotated bibliography of the major secondary works in field to their thesis committee when first enrolling in these hours.</p>
<p>2. Graduates completing coursework will be able to locate, identify, and analyze historical documents and evidence.</p>	<p>2. Ninety percent of all students who enroll for their thesis credits will score satisfactory or above in their review of the literature.</p>	<p>2. Of sixteen bound theses evaluated, 13 or 80.8% scored, satisfactory or above in students' ability to locate, identify and analyze historical documents and evidence.</p>	<p>2. Criterion met, will continue to monitor.</p>	<p>2. Colloquia and seminars have been altered to require students to make greater use of the internet resources in identifying historical documents and resources, which they will then analyze.</p>
<p>3. Graduates completing the program will be able to write narrative and interpretative history using the accepted forms of the profession.</p>	<p>3. Twenty-five percent of graduates from the past three years will have published a portion of their thesis in a peer-reviewed or presented it to an historical society.</p>	<p>3. The Graduate Subcommittee found that 5 of 17 graduate from the past three years have presented papers or have published articles in peer-reviewed journals.</p>	<p>3. Criterion met, will continue to monitor.</p>	<p>3. Criterion met, will continue to monitor.</p>