Annual Report Update on Student Learning Outcomes 2007-2008

Dear Colleague:

This 2007-2008 Annual Report Update on Student Learning Outcomes is a new addition to the Commission's annual reporting requirements. It is intended to assist you, in response to the requests the Commission has received to provide an institutional framework of that which is required for defining expected student learning outcomes. This is done by assessing learning, analyzing the assessment results, and using those results to plan and implement changes to improve learning, changes to pedagogy, facilities, etc. The 4-part template describes a framework for the process of implementing student learning outcome requirements of the Standards. This report will provide the institution and the Commission with information about the degree of implementation since the adoption of the 2002 Standards. If you have any questions or require assistance, you may contact Steve Maradian, Vice President for Policy and Research at (415) 506-0234 or smaradian@accjc.org.

From the ACCJC 2002 Standards Standard I B. Improving Institutional Effectiveness

The institution demonstrates a conscious effort to produce and support student learning, measures that learning, assesses how well learning is occurring and makes changes to improve student learning. The institution also organizes its key processes and allocates it resources to effectively support student learning. The institution demonstrates its effectiveness by providing 1) evidence of the achievement of student learning outcomes and 2) evidence of institution and program performance. The institution uses ongoing and systematic evaluation and planning to refine its key processes and improve student learning. See additional details in the Standards.

Standard II. Student Learning Programs and Services

The institution offers high-quality instructional programs, student support services, and library and learning support services that facilitate and demonstrate the achievement of stated student learning outcomes. See additional details in the Standards.

2007-2008 Institutional Annual Report Update on Student Learning Outcomes Part I: Student Learning Outcomes for General Education

				Percentage (%) of all	Courses/Programs
		Yes	No	Courses/Programs	
1. Defining Expected Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college defined expected student learning outcomes for general education?	X		% of Courses 100%	List the general education courses for which identification of expected student learning outcomes is complete. See attachment #1—2007-08 Catalog page 57 that lists the A.A. and A.S. degree General Education Requirements. Note that general Education Student Learning Outcomes are published on the same page as the G.E. pattern in the college catalog. The total number of general education courses is 171 distributed in four areas: A. Language and Rationality (23 courses); B. Natural Sciences (34 courses); C. Humanities (88 courses); and D. Social and Behavioral Sciences (40 courses)
2. Mapping of Programmatic Student Learning Outcomes to Courses	Has the college mapped expected general education student learning outcomes to all the courses and other experiences (i.e. co-curricular, service learning, etc.) required to complete the general education requirements of the institution?	Х		% of Courses100%	List the general education courses for which mapping expected student learning outcomes to the expected general education student learning outcomes is complete.

				Percentage (%) of all	Courses/Programs
		Yes	No	Courses/Programs	
3. Defining	Has the college identified	X		% of Courses <u>100%</u>	List the general education courses for
Assessment of	appropriate assessment				which identification of appropriate
Expected	methodologies for the expected				assessment methodologies for defined
Student	student learning outcomes in				expected student learning outcomes is
Learning	general education courses?				complete.
Outcomes					
4. Assessing	Has the college assessed student		X	% of Courses 0%	List the general education courses for
Student	learning outcomes for all courses				which assessment of expected student
Learning	in general education?				learning outcomes is complete.
Outcomes					
5. Analyzing	Has the college analyzed		Χ	% of Courses 0%	List the general education courses for
the Results of	assessment results for all courses				which analyzing assessment results for the
Assessment	in general education?				defined expected student learning
					outcomes is complete.
6. Planning and	Using assessment results, has the		Χ	% of Courses 0%	List the general education courses for
implementing	college planned and				which the college has used assessment
changes to	implemented changes to				results to plan and make changes to
pedagogy,	pedagogy, facilities, etc. to				improve learning; and describe the changes
facilities, etc. to	improve learning for all general				implemented.
improve	education courses?				
learning.					

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Part II: Student Learning Outcomes for Courses

		Yes	No	Percentage (%) of all courses/programs	Courses/Programs	Disciplines
7. Defining Expected Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college defined expected student learning outcomes for all courses?		X	% of Courses 50% A review of the attached list of courses with SLO's will indicate that nearly all disciplines have some level of SLO course completion. "Gateway courses" such as those in Math and at the introductory level of programs, were purposely selected for development of SLO's as these would have the greatest impact. Based on institutional research, it is noteworthy that the percentage of enrollments in SLO courses exceeds the percentage of course curriculum complete. Of course, all courses at Cuyamaca College incorporate approved learning objectives, methods of evaluation, course content descriptions, and modes of delivery.	List the courses for which identification of expected student learning outcomes is complete.	List the disciplines for which identification of expected student learning outcomes is complete. Economics; Geology; Library Research; Native American Studies-Kumeyaay; Physics (last course in process); Social Work, Auto, Astronomy, Chemistry, CISCO, Exercise Science, Health Education (last course in process), Math (last course in process), Physics (last course in process), Theatre Arts (last course in process), Italian, Philosophy

		Yes	No	Percentage (%) of all courses/programs	Courses/Programs	Disciplines
8. Defining Assessment of Expected Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college identified appropriate assessment methodologies for defined expected student learning outcomes for all courses?		X	% of Courses50%	List the courses for which identification of appropriate assessment methodologies for courses with defined expected student learning outcomes is complete.	List the disciplines for which identification of appropriate assessment methodologies for courses with defined expected student learning outcomes is complete. Same as above.
9. Assessing Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college assessed student learning outcomes for all courses?		X	% of Courses 0%	List the courses for which assessment of student learning outcomes is complete. The college is in the process of establishing assessment cycle and procedures. Training and development to accomplish this was scheduled in Spring 2008. As well, the SLO Coordinator has participated in a number of Academic Senate and other SLO workshops in preparation for this all disciplines are required to submit assessment plans by	List the disciplines in which assessment of student learning outcomes is complete for all of its courses.
10. Analyzing the Results of Assessment	Has the college analyzed assessment results for the student learning		X	% of Courses 0%	2008-2009. List the courses for which analyzing assessment results for student learning outcomes is complete.	List the disciplines in which analyzing assessment results for student learning outcomes

	outcomes for all courses?				is complete.
11. Planning and implementing changes to pedagogy, facilities, etc. to improve learning.	Using assessment results, has the college planned and implemented changes to pedagogy, facilities, etc. to improve learning for all courses?	X	% of Courses 0%	Although the college has not initiated this final phase of the continuous improvement cycle, it does need to be stated that established systems do call for the linking of Program Review recommendations based on student outcomes and outcomes data (such as degrees completed, course enrollments, retention and persistence) to academic master planning objectives that call for changes in pedagogy, curriculum, course delivery formats (online, face-to-face, lecture, laboratory, etc.) As well, the Educational Facilities Master Plan was specifically linked to student learning needs as reflected in enrollment projections and program planning goals to build a comprehensive curriculum. Facility modifications are always tied to meeting student learning needs—such as the creation of specialized labs or computer labs.	N/A

2007-2008 Institutional Annual Report Update on Student Learning Outcomes Part III: Student Learning Outcomes for Programs leading to Certificates and Degrees

		Yes	No	Percentage (%) of all courses/programs	Courses/Programs
12. Defining Expected Student Learning Outcomes	Has the institution defined expected student learning outcomes for all programs leading to certificates and degrees? The Program Review Committee began asking departments to identify program outcomes in 2004-05. All disciplines within each department are reviewed every 5 years; 9 departments have completed program review since 2004-05 and learning outcomes have been completed for 17 programs within those departments. Three departments and 7 programs are in progress for 2007-08.		X	% of Programs 29.8%	List the certificate and degree programs for which identification of expected student learning outcomes is complete. Communication, Computer Network Administration, Telecommunications Networking Technology, Web Development, English, Environmental Management, Occupational Safety and Health Management, Graphic Design, Astronomy, Biology, Chemistry, Engineering, Geography, Geology, Oceanography, Physical Science, and Physics.

13. Mapping Programmatic Student Learning Outcomes to Courses	Has the institution mapped expected programmatic student learning outcomes to all the courses and other learning experiences (i.e. work experience, internships, co-curricular, etc.) required to complete the certificate and degree programs? Four models were developed in the Computer Information Science and Graphic Design department in 2006-07 and implemented into our	X	% of Programs 8.8%	List the certificate/degree programs for which mapping expected programmatic student learning outcomes to all the courses required to complete the certificate/degree program is complete. Computer Network Administration, Telecommunications Networking Technology, Web Development, Graphic Design, and Engineering.
	Program Review cycle for 2007-08.			
14. Defining Assessment of Expected Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college identified appropriate assessment methodologies for the programmatic expected student learning outcomes, including summative assessments where appropriate? The Program Review	Х	% of Programs 0%	List the programs for which identification of appropriate assessment methodologies for courses required to complete the certificate/degree is complete. None to date.
	Committee is working with the SLO Coordinator this semester to modify the report template and department training to identify appropriate assessment methodologies for the program-level SLOs for 2008-09.			

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		Yes	No	Percentage (%) of all	Courses/Programs
				courses/programs	
15. Assessing Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college assessed expected student learning outcomes for all courses required to complete the certificate and degree programs? After the appropriate assessment methodologies have been identified beginning in the 2008-09 Program Review cycle, the college plans to begin assessment of expected student learning outcomes for all courses required to complete certificate and degree programs as its next		X	% of Programs 0%	List the certificate/degree programs for which assessment of expected student learning outcomes for all courses required to complete the certificate/degree program is complete. None to date.
	step				
16. Analyzing the Results of Assessment	Has the college analyzed assessment results for all courses required to complete the certificate and degree		X	% of Programs 0%	List the certificate/degree programs for which analyzing assessment results for the expected student learning outcomes is complete.
	programs? Not at this time though we				None at this time.
	have developed a plan to do so as part of the Program				
	Review cycle.				

17. Planning and	Using assessment results, has	Χ	% of Programs 0%	List the certificate/degree programs for
implementing	the college planned and			which the college has used assessment
changes to	implemented changes to			results to plan and make changes to
pedagogy,	pedagogy, facilities, etc. to			improve learning; and describe the changes
facilities, etc. to	improve learning for all			implemented.
improve learning.	certificate/degree programs?			
	The college is moving toward this as we begin assessment of student learning outcomes at the program level.			

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Part IV: Student Learning Outcomes for Instructional Support and Student Support Services

	Turt IV. Student Learning Succon			Percentage (%) of all	Courses/Programs
		Yes	No	Courses/Programs	
18. Defining	Has the college defined	X		% of Instructional	List the instructional support courses or
Expected	expected student learning			Support Courses or	other experiences for which identification
Student	outcomes for instructional			other experiences	of expected student learning outcomes is
Learning	support (i.e. library and learning				complete.
Outcomes	resources, tutoring, etc.)?				
					LIR 110
	The college has defined			100% of LRC courses	PDC 299 -General Tutor Training
	student learning outcomes for				PDC 299 – Tutor Training for Math
	LIR 110			100% of Tutoring one-	PDC 299 – Tutor Training for Writing
				to-one sessions	
	The Learning Resource Center				Library Instruction one-hour session
	has defined SLOs for the			100% of Tutor training	_
	library instruction program.			courses	Web-based research activity sheets
	The Learning Resource Center				Faculty training sessions
	has defined SLOs for library				
	services.				Reference Desk requests
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	The tutoring center has				One-to-one tutoring sessions
	identified Student Learning				
	Outcomes and is working with				
	the SLO coordinator to refine				
	these.				
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	Has the college defined	Χ		% of Student Support	
	expected student learning			Services Courses or	List the student support services courses or
	outcomes for student support			other experiences	other experiences for which identification
	services?			outer emperiences	of expected student learning outcomes is
	Services.			100%	complete
				100 /0	Complete
					Assessment Center; Athletics; CalWORKs;

				Career and Student Employment Center; Counseling; Disabled Student Program & Services; EOPS/CARE; Financial Aid; Health and Wellness Center; High School and Community Outreach Department; Student Affairs; University Transfer Center
19. Mapping of	Has the college mapped	Х	% of Instructional	
Programmatic	expected instructional support		Support Courses or	List the instructional support services
Student	student learning outcomes to all		other experiences	courses or other learning experiences for
Learning	the courses and other			which mapping expected instructional
Outcomes to	experiences (i.e. co-curricular,			support student learning outcomes is
Courses	service learning, etc.)?		LRC 100%	complete.
	SLOs have been developed for		LRC 100 /0	LIR 110
	and mapped to the one-to- one		Tutoring 100%	
	tutoring process.		8	PDC 299 –General Tutor Training
				PDC 299 – Tutor Training for Math
	The college has mapped SLOs for LIR 110.			PDC 299 – Tutor Training for Writing
	The college has mapped SLOs for Library Instruction			Library Instruction one hour sessions
	sessions.			Web-based research activity sheets
	The library has mapped SLOs for reference desk requests.			Faculty training sheets
	1.00.00			Reference Desk requests
		N/	0/ (0/ 1 - 0	Individual tutoring sessions
	The the college many of	X	% of Student Support	List the student surrent services
	Has the college mapped		Services Courses or other experiences	List the student support services courses or
	expected student support services student learning		other experiences	other learning experiences for which mapping expected student support services
	outcomes to all the courses and			student learning outcomes is complete.
	other experiences		100%	0

	(i.e. co-curricular, service learning, etc.)?			Assessment Center; Athletics; CalWORKs; Career and Student Employment Center; Counseling; Disabled Student Program & Services; EOPS/CARE; Financial Aid; Health and Wellness Center; High School and Community Outreach Department; Student Affairs; University Transfer Center
20. Defining	Has the college identified	X	% of Instructional	List the instructional support courses or
Assessment of	appropriate assessment		Support Courses or	other experiences for which identification
Expected	methodologies for the expected		other experiences	of appropriate assessment methodologies
Student	student learning outcomes in			for defined expected student learning
Learning	instructional support courses or			outcomes is complete.
Outcomes	other experiences?			
	The college has identified appropriate assessment		LRC 100%	LIR 110
	methodologies for SLOs for		Tutor one-to-one	PDC 299 –General Tutor Training
	LIR 110.		sessions in progress	PDC 299 – Tutor Training for Math
				PDC 299 – Tutor Training for Writing
	The tutor training courses		Tutoring course 100%	
	identify assessment			Direct measures of reference and library
	methodologies for expected			instruction through pre and post tests:
	learning outcomes			Provide bibliographic instruction
				Specific number of classes conducted
	The LRC has identified			by course
	assessment technologies and			Answering reference questions
	begun to look at assessment			Recognition of primary vs. secondary
	procedures to routinely			sources
	measure SLOs			 Evaluating information sources, such as Web sites
	A short evaluation form is			Understanding intellectual property
	being developed to be			and copyright
	completed at the end of each			Indirect measures using faculty and
	tutoring session.			student surveys
				• Determine what and how we influence

	Has the college identified appropriate assessment methodologies for the expected student learning outcomes in student support services courses or other learning experiences?	X	% of Student Support Services Courses or other experiences 100%	 Examine student bibliographies for selected courses as requested by faculty Use of other libraries' collections and resources Satisfaction surveys List the student support services courses or other experiences for which identification of appropriate assessment methodologies for defined expected student learning outcomes is complete. Assessment Center; Athletics; CalWORKs; Career and Student Employment Center; Counseling; Disabled Student Program & Services; EOPS/CARE; Financial Aid; Health and Wellness Center; High School and Community Outreach Department; Student Affairs; University Transfer Center
21. Assessing Student Learning Outcomes	Has the college assessed student learning outcomes for all courses or other experiences in instructional support? The college has assessed student learning outcomes for LIR 110. The Tutoring advisory committee will review SLOs and the assessment instrument during their Spring 2008 meeting.	X	% of Courses or other experiences in Instructional Support 100% of for-credit LR courses	List the instructional support courses or other learning experiences for which assessment of expected student learning outcomes is complete. C LIR 110

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	Has the college assessed student learning outcomes for all courses or other experiences in student support services?		X	% of Courses or other experiences in Student Support Services 0%	List the student support services courses or other learning experiences for which assessment of expected student learning outcomes is complete. N/A
22. Analyzing the Results of Assessment	Has the college analyzed assessment results for all courses or other learning experiences in instructional support?	X		% of Courses or other learning experiences in instructional support. 100% LIR 110	List the instructional support courses or other learning experiences for which analyzing assessment results for student learning outcomes is complete.
	Has the college analyzed assessment results for all courses or other learning experiences in student support services?		X	% of Courses or other learning experiences in student support services.	List the student support services courses or other learning experiences for which analyzing assessment results for student learning outcomes is complete.
23. Planning and implementing changes to pedagogy, facilities, etc. to improve learning.	Using assessment results, has the college planned and implemented changes to pedagogy, facilities, etc. to improve learning for all instructional support courses or other learning experiences?	X		% of Courses or other learning experiences in Instructional Support. 100% LIR 110	List the instructional support courses or other learning experiences for which the college has used assessment results to plan and make changes to improve learning; and describe the changes implemented. For LIR 110, courses are now scheduled in a designated computer lab to enhance learning (change in facilities) Based on assessment, format is unchanged.
	Using assessment results, has the college planned and implemented changes to		Х	% of Courses or other learning experiences in Student Support Services.	List the student support services courses or other learning experiences for which the college has used assessment results to plan and make changes to improve learning; and

pedagogy, facilities, etc. to improve learning for all student	describe the changes implemented
support services courses or other learning experiences?	