

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN SOCIOLOGY ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN & FINDINGS  
2018-2019 ACADEMIC YEAR**

*2018 – 2019 CURRICULUM MAP*

	<b>PLO 1</b> Defend knowledge of foundational sociological concepts; specifically, concepts of diversity, social responsibility, human rights, and dignity and respect for others in society.	<b>PLO 2</b> Assess a variety of classical and contemporary sociological theoretical perspectives.	<b>PLO 3</b> Evaluate research methodologies within the sociological context.	<b>PLO 4</b> Critically evaluate sociological issues.	<b>PLO 5</b> Apply sociological tools to impact societal issues.
<i>SOC 101: Introduction to Sociology</i>	<b>I</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>I</b>	<b>I</b>	
<i>SOC 205: Social Theory</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	
<i>SOC 333: Research Methods</i>	<b>R</b>		<b>R</b>		
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<i>PSY 325: Statistics for the Behavioral and Social Sciences</i>			<b>R</b>		
<i>SOC 301: Identity and Social Inequality</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>I</b>
<i>SOC 303: Social Problems and Social Action</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>R</b>
<i>SOC 304: Social Gerontology</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>
<i>SOC 307: Gender and Sexuality</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>R</b>
<i>SOC 308: Racial and Ethnic Groups</i>	<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>		<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>
<i>SOC 320: Public Policy and Social Services</i>	<b>R</b>			<b>R</b>	<b>R</b>
<i>SOC 401: Engaging in Sociology</i>	<b>M</b>	<b>M</b>		<b>M</b>	<b>R</b>

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

<b>ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN FINDINGS</b>					
<b>PLO 1 - Demonstrate a knowledge of basic sociological concepts.</b>					
<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA</b>
Direct Measure 1: SOC 101 Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	214	300	71.33%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

Direct Measure 2: SOC 203 Final Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO..	441	683	64.57%	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 2 - Apply major sociological theoretical perspectives.</b>					
<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS: 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA</b>

Direct Measure 1: SOC 307 Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	302	375	80.53%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 2: SOC 308 Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	98	130	75.38%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 3 - Explain the methodologies of collecting and assessing data that the discipline of sociology offers.</b>					
<b>MEASURE</b>	<b>ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS:  PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>	<b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS:  1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b>

					4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: SOC 333 Final Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	552	668	82.63%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 1: SOC 333 Week 3 Assignment	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	397	498	77.71%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 4 - Assess the quality of sociological research by applying the standards of the discipline.</b>					
MEASURE	ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED	ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

				ACCEPTABLE TARGET	3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: SOC 301 Final Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	596	572	88.46%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 2: SOC 308 Final Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	98	130	75.38%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
<b>PLO 5 - Analyze critically major sociological issues.</b>					
MEASURE	ACCEPTABLE TARGET	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING	TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED	ASSESSMENT RESULTS: PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS	ASSESSMENT RESULTS:

		ACCEPTABLE TARGET		MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA
Direct Measure 1: SOC 304 Final Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	377	524	71.95%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET
Direct Measure 1: SOC 401 Final Research Paper	70% of students must receive a proficient or distinguished evaluation on relevant content criteria mapped to this PLO.	345	469	73.56%	1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET

**OVERALL RECOMMENDATIONS**

*Overall, it is recommended that the Program Chair for the Bachelor of Arts in Sociology review the assessment plans (including measures used, alignment mapping, and targets set) and Curriculum Map in preparation for the 2019-2020 assessment cycle. This will determine the appropriateness of the assignments and mapping for each PLO. In addition, the Program Chair should consider reviewing SOC 203/302 as the acceptable targets for PLO 1 was not met.*

**ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN ACTION ITEM STATUS REPORT**

OUTCOME	MEASURE	KEY/RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL	STATUS	ANTICIPATED DATE OF COMPLETION
<i>Action Details</i>				