

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN CHILD DEVELOPMENT ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN & FINDINGS  
2017-2018 ACADEMIC YEAR**

|         | <p><b>PLO 1</b><br/><i>Construct and Evaluate Curriculum</i><br/><br/><i>Utilize knowledge of child development to construct and evaluate curriculum that effectively addresses the stages of development including cognitive, language, physical and affective development of young children</i></p> | <p><b>PLO 2</b><br/><i>Families and Communities</i><br/><br/><i>Analyze the influence and impact of families and communities on a child's learning and development.</i></p> | <p><b>PLO 3</b><br/><i>Communication Processes</i><br/><br/><i>Describe how family structure and cultural backgrounds influence communication processes in a child's environment.</i></p> | <p><b>PLO 4</b><br/><i>Role of Play</i><br/><br/><i>Evaluate the critical role of play in children's learning and development.</i></p> | <p><b>PLO 5</b><br/><i>Child and Family Advocacy</i><br/><br/><i>Apply their knowledge as an advocate for children, families, childcare, and education.</i></p> |
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| PSY 104 | I   | I   |   |  | I   |
| ECE 205 | R   | I   | I   | I  | I   |
| SOC 312 | R   |   | R   |  |   |
| ECE 315 | R   |   | R   |  |   |
| ESE 315 | R   |   |   |  | R   |
| ECE 332 |   | R   |   | R  | R   |
| ECE 353 |   | R   |   |  |   |
| ECE 354 | R   |   |   |  | R   |
| ECE 355 |   | R   | R   |  | R   |
| ECE 311 | M   |   |   | R  |   |
| ECE 351 | R   | M   |   | M  | M   |
| ECE 497 | M   | M   | M   | M  | M   |

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

| <b>ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN FINDINGS</b>   |   |  |   |  |   |
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| <b>PLO 1 - Utilize knowledge of child development to construct and evaluate curriculum that effectively addresses the stages of development including cognitive, language, physical and affective development of young children.</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:<br/>PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET</b> | <b>ASSESSMENT RESULTS:<br/>1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br/><br/>2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br/><br/>3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br/><br/>4. INSUFFICIENT DATA</b> |
| Direct Measure 1: ECE 311 Final Paper  | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 386  | 525   | 74%  | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET  |

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| Direct Measure 2: ECE 315 Week 2 Assignment   | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 291 | 358 | 81% | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET |
| Indirect Measure 1: SOC 312 Week 3 Assignment | 70% of students must receive a 70% or above on the SOC 312 Week 3 Assignment.                                 | 69  | 82  | 84% | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET |

**PLO 2 - Analyze the influence and impact of families and communities on a child’s learning and development.**

| MEASURE | ACCEPTABLE TARGET | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED | ASSESSMENT RESULTS:<br>PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET | ASSESSMENT RESULTS:<br>1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br>2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br>3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br>4. INSUFFICIENT DATA |
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| Direct Measure 1: ECE 355 Final Paper       | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 390 | 468 | 83% | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET |
| Direct Measure 2: ECE 497 Week 3 Assignment | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 115 | 145 | 79% | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET |

**PLO 3 Describe how family structure and cultural backgrounds influence communication processes in a child’s environment.**

| MEASURE | ACCEPTABLE TARGET | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED | ASSESSMENT RESULTS:<br>PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET | ASSESSMENT RESULTS:<br>1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br>2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br>3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br>4. INSUFFICIENT DATA |
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| Indirect Measure 1: SOC 312 Final Paper   | 70% of student must receive a 70% or above on the SOC 312 Final Paper.  | 71  | 86                                       | 83%  | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET   |
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| Direct Measure 1: ECE 355 Week 2 Assignment   | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 91  | 114                                      | 80%  | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET   |
| <b>PLO 4 Evaluate the critical role of play in children’s learning and development.</b> |   |   |  |  |  |
| MEASURE   | ACCEPTABLE TARGET   | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET | TOTAL NUMBER OF STUDENT RECORDS OBSERVED | ASSESSMENT RESULTS:<br>PERCENTAGE OF STUDENT RECORDS MEETING ACCEPTABLE TARGET | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br><br>2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br><br>3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br><br>4. INSUFFICIENT DATA |
| Direct Measure 1: ECE 351 Final Project   | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 835   | 1076                                     | 78%  | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET   |
| Direct Measure 2: ECE 351 Week 3 Assignment   | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 677   | 798                                      | 85%  | 1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET   |

| <b>PLO 5 - Apply their knowledge as an advocate for children, families, childcare, and education.</b> |   |  |   |  |  |
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| <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:<br/>1. EXCEEDS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br/>2. MEETS THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br/>3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET<br/>4. INSUFFICIENT DATA</b> |
| Direct Measure 1: ECE 497 Capstone Final Project  | 70% of students must be at the “Proficient” level or above on the evaluation of each rubric content criteria. | 65   | 98  | 67%  | 3. DOES NOT MEET THE ACCEPTABLE TARGET   |
| Indirect Measure 1: ECE 497 Week 3 Discussion 1   | 70% of students must meet or exceed a 70% on the ECE 497 Week 3, Discussion 1.                                | N/A  | N/A   | N/A  | 4. INSUFFICIENT DATA   |

**OVERALL RECOMMENDATIONS**

Overall, it is recommended that the Program Chair for the Bachelor of Arts in Child Development review the assessment plans (including measures used, alignment mapping, and targets set) and Curriculum Map in preparation for the 2018-2019 assessment cycle. This will determine the appropriateness of the assignments and mapping for each PLO. In addition, the Program Chair should consider reviewing ECE 497 as the acceptable target for PLO 5 was not met.

**ANNUAL ASSESSMENT PLAN ACTION ITEM STATUS REPORT**

| OUTCOME   | MEASURE   | KEY/RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL   | STATUS           | ANTICIPATED DATE OF COMPLETION  |
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| <b>Create New Adolescent Courses</b>  | <b>Improved student achievement for all PLOs.</b>   | <b>The Program Chair for the Bachelor of Arts in Child Development and faculty.</b> | <b>Completed</b> | <b>The new adolescent courses will begin in Q4, 2018 with an expected go-live date in 2019.</b> |
| <b>Action Details</b>   | <b>This will align with the differentiating of the BACD program from the BAECE program as it will remove a course that is focused on teaching and learning and replace it with a course that focuses strictly on child development.</b> |   |                  |   |
| OUTCOME   | MEASURE   | KEY/RESPONSIBLE PERSONNEL   | STATUS           | ANTICIPATED DATE OF COMPLETION  |
| <b>Confirmation of all Assessment Measures for 2018-2019 Assessment Cycle</b> | <b>The goal of this action is to ensure that all measures/key assignments identified in the BACD Assessment Plan are, in fact, aligned and map to</b>   | <b>The Program Chair for the Bachelor of Arts in Child Development and faculty.</b> | <b>Completed</b> | <b>June 2019</b>  |

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|                                     | <p><b><i>the PLO to which the measure is associated. This will improve student learning, understanding, and achievement of the associated PLO by ensuring that students are being measured/assessed appropriately.</i></b></p>  |  |  |  |
| <p><b><i>Action Details</i></b></p> | <p><b><i>Review mapping and targets to ensure that the assignments in these courses are aligned to the BACD Program Learning Outcomes, and that all measures and key assignments identified in the BACD Assessment Plan are appropriate and should continue to be used as measures moving forward (2018-2019 Assessment Cycle).</i></b></p> |  |  |  |