



Student Learning Assessment Team (SLAT):

Meeting Minutes: November 4, 2019

Time Started: 2:37 pm

Time Ended: 3:31 pm

Members Present:

Chip Marcy
Brian McCallum
Chris Turpin
Brandy Unruh
Bradley Sisk
Perla Salazar

Members Absent:

Samantha Sanger

Issues:

- I. Minutes approved as amended.

- II. Assessment on the LMS: We feel that it is best to continue to assess each skill once. We have all assessments set up as decaying average, the idea is to have at least one assessment time. The one issue so far is that we don't have a back door for Canvas data collection. We need to find a way to get our data out from Canvas without the instructors needing to do anything other than assessing their students. However, we don't own the correct Datatel version to get Canvas to communicate with. Getting the correct Datatel version would involve a large upgrade, which would be a high dollar value. We also don't have enough people to properly program on our side with regards to Datatel and Canvas communications. Without the new version of Datatel we would continue using our current process for assessment. However, our current process still doesn't let us see the big institution picture for assessment. We know other colleges and universities are doing assessment and processing their data, thus we should be able to find a way for our college to do it also. We will continue to pilot the LMS assessment idea and continue to look for a solution to the back-door data collecting issue.



- III. LASC Program review: What is being asked for this program is not a feasible goal. This program is completely different than any other. The program review process will need to be adjusted for this program. Discussed program review in more detail. Link to google document containing the program review file has been shared through email with all SLAT members. SLAT members will look over the file, make notes, and work on the different parts of the review.

- IV. New Business:
 - a. Gen Ed report: The Gen Ed committee will host a meeting where faculty will discuss how the different essential skills were applied in the different content areas, as well as discuss their results. There will also be a general meeting where the committee will go over basics with everyone just to clarify the assessment process. The committee will address any questions that may arise at this meeting on November 14th at 2:00 pm. This is a mandatory meeting and there will be a sign in sheet. Anyone not able to make it to the meeting will be expected to make sure they know what they need to do with regards to assessment. They can find some time as needed to talk to committee members.

Next Meeting:

The next meeting of this committee will be Monday, November 18, 2019 at 2:30 pm in ACAD1111.