

Core Element 3 2017-2018 Assessment Progress
11-16-18

Timeline

- 03-18 Department chairs were sent a note from UCOC to submit assessment plans; assessment assistance workshops provided by Academic Affairs and UCOC
- By 05-18 UCOC reviewed and approved course assessment plans
- It was expected that student artifacts would be sent to Academic Affairs by the end of Spring 2018; artifacts from only one course was received by the end of Spring 2018.
- Of the 24 courses in the assessment, only 1 has submitted and scored papers; 7 additional courses have papers ready to be scored; and the remaining 16 (67%) do not have papers in the Taskstream system ready for scoring.
- In 10-2018, an adjusted timeline was sent to Department chairs:
 - Departments have until Nov. 30 to submit paper artifacts to Brun for uploading into Taskstream
 - Brun will try to upload all papers into Taskstream by Nov. 30
 - Departments have until Feb. 15, 2019 to score the artifacts
 - Departments have until March 29, 2019 to submit report of analysis of the data

Course	# of Sections	# or artifacts Ready for scoring	# scored	Reason for data stall
AFS 2000	3	78		
ART 2430	2	15	15	
ATH 2150	2	33		
ATH 2500 – D	3			Dept needs to summarize results of marker questions
ATH 2500 – L	1			Essays need to be sent to Brun
CLS 1500	4			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
CS 1000 – D	2			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
CS 1000 – L	3			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
EC 2100	1			Dept needs to clarify which papers
EC 2500	2	24		
EC 2900 – D	5	48	18	
EC 2900 – L	1			Papers need to be sent to Brun
ED 2100	6			Papers need to be sent to Brun
ENG 2320	1			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
FAS 1050 – L	1			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
HST 1100 – D	3			Dept needs to send papers and analyze marker questions
HST 1100 –L	1			Papers need to be sent to Brun
HST 1200 – D	9			Dept needs to send papers and analyze marker questions
HST 1200- L	1			Papers need to be sent to Brun
ML 2020	1			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
ML 2050	1			Brun needs to upload by 11-30
MUS 2420	4			Dept needs to send papers to Brun
PLS 2510	2	65		
PPH 2000	3			Dept needs to send papers to Brun

REL 2320	3	81	
RST 2620	1		
RST 2710	5		Dept needs to send papers for some sections
RST 2920	2		Dept needs to send papers to Brun
URS 2000 – D	3	162	42
URS 2000 – L	1		
Total – 24	77	506	75

D= Dayton campus

L= Lake campus

Reasons for the timeline delay (obstacles to overcome for future Core Assessments)

- This was the first time for implementing the Core Assessment cycle and the cycle didn't get started until March of the current academic year; the preferred cycle is to request plans the March prior to the academic year of assessment.
- All assessment took place only in the Spring semester and most artifacts were not collected until after the semester ended.
- Submission of papers to Brun or scoring of papers did not occur until Fall 2018 because of summer break.
- Coordination of the assessment plan was not always communicated well to other faculty members in the department. For example, persons did not always know they were named as scorers of papers. Another example, is that the same paper was not always used for the common rubric selected.
- Personnel changed between academic years and thus the assessment process was delayed.
- There was confusion of how to submit the papers to Brun.
- Papers in print or handwritten format were harder to upload into Taskstream than papers sent as zip files.