

Program Assessment Report

Program/Award: General Office Level I AAS Certificate

Academic Year Assessed: 2012-13

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Program Learning Outcome #1	Demonstrate Keyboarding Proficiency by mastering the required words per minute
Courses in the degree plan that address this outcome	POFT 1429/1329
Assessment Method	Timed Writings using the PAC/ACT timed writing scale
Targets for Achievement	70% of students will pass 3 timed writings for POFT 1429/1329 Beginning Keyboarding.
Results	2010- 2011: number of students = 8; number passed = 6; pass rate: 75%
	2011-2012: number of students =21; number passed = 18; pass rate: 86%
	2012-2013: number of students = 13; number passed= 11; pass rate= 85%
Target Met or Not Met	Target met
New action plan for	Transition to evaluation of student material in POFT 2301
improvement of	
student learning	
Evaluation of previous	While the students are succeeding in these course timings, the content does not appear to provide sufficient challenge
cycle's action plans	for improvement. A separate course will be utilized for goal accomplishment
Program Learning	Demonstrate computer and software competency
Outcome #2	
Courses in the degree	POFI 1301
plan that address this	
outcome	
Assessment Method	Oral and written Assignments in the POFI 1301 Computer Applications course



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Targets for Achievement	70% of the students will make a "C" or higher in the final exam for POFI 1301 Computer Applications.
Results	2010- 2011: number of students = ; number passed = ; pass rate: % N/A 2011-2012: number of students = ; number passed = ; pass rate: % N/A
	2012-2013: number of students = 11; number passed= 9; pass rate: 82%
Target Met or Not Met	Target met
New action plan for improvement of student learning	Offer the course in a blended, 4 week format for more concentrated content delivery to the students. Offer the course on a rotating semester basis for larger class sizes and better interaction among the students.
Evaluation of previous cycle's action plans	Rotation of course has increased number of students in class allowing for greater interaction during class time. Insufficient data from previous classes to provide further analysis
Program Learning Outcome #3	Demonstrate organization skills.
Courses in the degree plan that address this outcome	POFT 1319
Assessment Method	Production of retrievable files in various formats and demonstration of skills through resume and report production in POFT 1319
Targets for Achievement	70% of the students will make a "C" or higher in the assignments for POFT 1319 Records and Information Management .
Results	2010- 2011: number of students = 8; number passed = 8; pass rate: 100% 2011-2012: number of students = 17; number passed = 15; pass rate: 88% 2012-2013: number of students = 17; number passed=13; pass rate= 77%
Target Met or Not Met	Target met
New action plan for	Continue the 4 week mini-term format in consecutive sessions to include in a cohort that progress through the various



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improvement of	courses.	
student learning		
Evaluation of previous	Changes in course delivery may need to be modified depending on term rotation	
cycle's action plans		