

Library Assessment of Degrees and Certificates

#1	AS Library Technology Degree Student Learning Outcome Students will demonstrate competencies for employment in a public, academic, school or special library setting.
	Courses in the degree plan that address this outcome LBRA 1372, LBRA 1373, LBRA 1375, LBRA 1274
	Assessment Measure for this Outcome Graduates are employed in a library or library related field
	Achievement Target for this Measure 50% of Graduates are employed in a library or library related field.
	Findings In a Survey of Certificate Graduates 14 students had completed an Associate Degree or higher. Of the 14 respondents,
	2 (14%) are employed in a non library related field, 5 (36%) are unemployed, and 7 (50%) are employed in a library or library related field.
	Achievement Target for this Measure has been met.
	Related Action Plans
	Create a direct evidence approach for assessing this outcome on the next program assessment cycle. We will use a final exam in a course (backed up by a test blue print).
	Provide major employers with information about the LTA program to promote hiring of our graduates.
#2	AS Library Technology Degree Student Learning Outcome
	Students will demonstrate competencies that allow them to work in any library or setting that requires the acquisition, organization and/or retrieval of information.
	Courses in the degree plan that address this outcome



History (60) Core (6 hours)

PALC	ALTO COLLEGE
	LBRA 1372, LBRA 1373, LBRA 1375, LBRA 1274
	Assessment Measure for this Outcome Practicum class LBRA 1274
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	Achievement Target for this Measure
	90% of students enrolled in LBRA 1274 on the census date will score a C or higher on the final exam in
	LBRA 1274.
	Findings
	Spring 2010 LBRA 1272 grade distribution
	1 W (withdrawn)
	11 A
	1 B
	92% Successful completion rate.
	Achievement Target met.
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	Related Action Plans
	Create a direct evidence approach for assessing this outcome on the next program assessment cycle.
#3	AS Library Technology Degree Student Learning Outcome
	Students will, through general education courses, demonstrate a basic academic background to
	prepare them for employment in an information rich society.
	Courses in the degree plan that address this outcome
	ENGL 1301 - Composition I (3 hours) , ENGL 1302 - Composition II (3 hours)
	Additional Communication (11) Core - Speech (3 hours)
	Mathematics (20) Core (3 hours)
	Natural Sciences (30) Core (7-8 hours) Humanities (40) Core (3 hours)
	Additional Humanities (41) Core (3 hours)
	Visual and Performing Arts (50) Core (3 hours)
	GOVT 2305 - Federal Government (3 hours) , GOVT 2306 - Texas Government (3 hours)



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	Kinesiology (90) Core (2 hours)
	COSC 1300 - Computer Literacy OR COSC 1301 - Microcomputer Applications (3 hours)
	Assessment Measure for this Outcome
	Students have taken or are taking core AS classes as well as LBRA classes.
	Achievement Target for this Measure
	75% or students enrolled in LBRA classes on the census date are also enrolled in core classes or have
	already taken core classes.
	Findings
	25 non duplicated LTA students
	2 (2%) are not and have not take core classes
	22 (88%) are taking or have taken core classes.
	Achievement Target met.
	Related Action Plans
	Present core requirements in advising.