# Bachelor of Science with a major in Criminal Justice Online Spring Semester 2019

# **Academic Program Assessment**

# **Program and Assessment Report Information**

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In which college or school is this program located?	Education and Behavioral Sciences
Program Type:	Undergraduate
Program Name:	Bachelor of Science with a major in Criminal Justice
Reporting Cycle: (Note: Some programs are required to report on a semester basis for reasons of secondary accreditation or a graduate program required to established assessment data before the next five-year report to SACSCOC.)	Annual Reporting Cycle
Which semester were the data collected and analyzed? If it crossed multiple semesters, select the latest semester of data.	Spring Semester 2019
For which campus are these assessments being submitted? A separate assessment report is needed for each location a program is offered.	Online
Approximately how many students are in this program at this location?	238

## **Student Learning Outcomes**

What is the first student learning outcome for this academic program? Student Learning Outcomes should be stated in measurable terms (i.e. students will be able to)	Students will review and critique the role and responsibility that law enforcement plays in the American criminal justice system.
What instrument was used to measure student's ability to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	Exam Questions.
What level would a student need to achieve on the assessment instrument to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. 70%, an average of meets on the rubric, 3 of 5 correct).	70%.
What is the target percent of students who should achieve mastery of this Student Learning Outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	80
During this assessment cycle, what percent of the students who participated in this assessment demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	100

What is the second student learning outcome for this academic program? Student Learning Outcomes should be stated in measurable terms (i.e. students will be able to)	Students will compare and contrast major theories of criminal behavior.
What instrument was used to measure student's ability to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	Exam Questions
What level would a student need to achieve on the assessment instrument to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. 70%, an average of meets on the rubric, 3 of 5 correct).	70%.
What is the target percent of students who should achieve mastery of this Student Learning Outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	80
During this assessment cycle, what percent of the students who participated in this assessment demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	91

What is the third student learning outcome for this academic program? Student Learning Outcomes should be stated in measurable terms (i.e. students will be able to)	Students will identify and discuss qualitative and quantitative research methods used in social sciences research.
What instrument was used to measure student's ability to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	Exam Questions
What level would a student need to achieve on the assessment instrument to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. 70%, an average of meets on the rubric, 3 of 5 correct)	70%.
What is the target percent of students who should achieve mastery of this Student Learning Outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	80
During this assessment cycle, what percent of the students who participated in this assessment demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	100

What is the fourth student learning outcome for this academic program? Student Learning Outcomes should be stated in measurable terms (i.e. students will be able to)	Students will appraise and critique the role that the courts play in the American criminal justice system.
What instrument was used to measure student's ability to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. exam, assignment with rubric, speech, demonstration of ability, lab assignment)	Exam Questions
What level would a student need to achieve on the assessment instrument to demonstrate mastery of this learning outcome? (i.e. 70%, an average of meets on the rubric, 3 of 5 correct).	70%.
What is the target percent of students who should achieve mastery of this Student Learning Outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	80
During this assessment cycle, what percent of the students who participated in this assessment demonstrated mastery of this learning outcome? (this should be a number between 0-100)	93

#### Sampling

How many students participated in the
assessment of these learning outcomes, in this
program, for this assessment cycle at this
location?

59

### Evidence of changes based on an analysis of results

What changes were implemented based on an analysis of the students' performance on these Student Learning Outcomes? (Evidence of the improvement must be kept and filed in the department or academic unit including but not limited to: changes in exam questions, reading assignments, syllabi, course instruction materials or assignments. Both old versions and new versions should be kept on file for 10 years.)

All 4 SLO Targets were met. Performance on assessment measures was similar to the previous year for 3 SLO's and substantially improved on 1 (SLO #3- assessed in research methods course). Criminal Justice faculty will be revisiting their assessment measure in Fall 2019 to ensure a good match between stated SLO objective and the assessment measure.

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