# UPDATE ON PUL EVALUATION

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## HIGHER LEARNING COMMISSION

North Central Association

Reaccreditation in 2012

### REACCREDITATION

- Need to provide evidence that undergraduates are developing the:
  - Knowledge
  - Skills
  - Abilities
  - Embodied in our Principles of Undergraduate Learning (PULs)

## PRINCIPLES OF UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING

- PULs
- Approved by Faculty Council May 7, 1998
- Revised 2005 & 2007
- Approved 2007

## PRINCIPLES OF UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING

- PULs are essential ingredients of the undergraduate education experience at IUPUI
- Form a conceptual framework for all students' general education
- But necessarily permeate the curriculum in the major field of study as well

## PRINCIPLES OF UNDERGRADUATE LEARNING

- More specific expectations for IUPUI's graduates are determined by the faculty in a student's major field of study
- These expectations speak to what graduates of IUPUI will know and what they will be able to do upon completion of their degree

## 2012 COMMITTEE

Develop a process for gathering and presenting evidence of student learning of PULs

## **ASSIGNMENT OF PUL**

 Spring 2009, faculty in every undergraduate department identified for each course one, two, or three PULs emphasized through class activities/assignments

Each PUL was assigned a major, moderate, or minor emphasis

## ASSIGNMENT OF PUL

- Database
- http://www.planning.iupui.edu/pul/matrix
- To view, edit or create a PUL matrix you are required to login using your IU network username and password through IU CAS. Once authenticated you will be able to build a matrix and save as PDF. Please click on to authenticate with CAS



#### PLANNING & INSTITUTIONAL IMPROVEMENT

#### ♠ MATRIX FOR DEPARTMENTAL PLAN TO EVALUATE STUDENT ATTAINMENT OF THE PULS

Please select the department from the list below then enter the evaluation semester for each of the courses below. You can view the saved matrix on the front page. Principles of Undergraduate Learning † Enter evaluation semester information for each course listed below. Integration Intellectual Written, Information Understanding Department: LIBA -- Museum Studies Quantitative Values and Oral, Visual Society and Resources Thinking Breadth, and **Ethics** Author: Patki, Amol M. Skills Skills Culture Adaptiveness SEMESTER COURSE COURSE TITLE (3=Major Emphasis, 2=Moderate Emphasis, 1=Some Emphasis) 3 MSTD-A 403 INTRODUCTION TO MUSEUM STUDIES 2 MSTD-A 405 MUSEUM METHODS 3 3 MSTD-A 408 MUSEUM INTERNSHIP MSTD-A 410 MUSEUM EDUCATION MSTD-A 412 3 EXHIBIT PLANNING AND DESIGN. MSTD-A 414 MUSEUMS AND TECHNOLOGY MSTD-A 416 COLLECTIONS CARE & MANAGEMENT 3 CURRENT TOPICS-MUSEUM STUDIES MSTD-A 460 PULS NOT ASSIGNED MSTD-A 494 INDEPENDENT LRNG-MUSEUM STDIES SAVE ► SUBMIT

† Source: http://www.iupui.edu/~fcouncil/documents/PULs.pdf

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## PILOT TESTING

### SSII 09

- B105 Psychology as a Biological Science
- CIT106 Using a Personal Computer
- H114 History of Western Civilization
- G107 Environmental
- W131 Elementary Composition I

## ASSIGNMENT OF PUL

- Psychology
  - **PSY-B** 105
  - Psychology as a Biological Science
    - Major emphasis (3)---Intellectual Depth, Breadth and Adaptiveness
    - Moderate emphasis (2)—Written, Oral, Visual Skills
    - Some emphasis (1)—Critical Thinking

#### **IUPUI: PUL Rating Form**

For each of the 1 or 2 PULs emphasized most (that is, assigned a rating of 3 or 2 by you and your colleagues last spring) in your Summer II or fall semester course, assign an overall rating to each student in your class using the following scale:

3 = Very Effective; 2 = Effective; 1 = Somewhat Effective; 0 = Not Effective

Select No. of Students: 35 💿 🥥

Faculty Member Name: Bethany Neal-Beliveau

Course Title: Psychology as a Biological Science

Student	PUL: 4. Intellectual Depth, Breadth, and Adaptiveness	PUL: 1A. Written, oral, and visual communication skills
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	Submit ratings:	Submit

## **FACULTY PERCEPTIONS**

What kinds of student work formed the basis for your ratings of student effectiveness in learning the PULs you emphasized in your course?

■ Did you use the VALUE rubrics, or another form of rubric, to help you decide how to rate each student on the PULs?

## **FACULTY PERCEPTIONS**

Did you make up your own explicit definitions for the ratings (very effective=3, effective = 2, somewhat effective=1, and not effective=1) to help you decide how to rate each student on the PULs?

## **FACULTY PERCEPTIONS**

What did you find most difficult about assigning the student ratings?

■ Based on your experience, what assistance would be most helpful for the campus to offer as we ask faculty colleagues to begin assigning these student ratings in their own courses in SPRING 2010?

### **NEXT STEPS**

Development of a department OR program wide plan to evaluate student attainment of the PULs.....over a span of five years

Rating students' performance on the PUL emphasized

In at least one section of each course

## Questions/comments?

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