

# **Report of Outcomes Assessment Results**

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# **Outcomes Assessment Plan**

The outcomes assessment	olan that we have previo	usiy subiliitted is still	current.	
Changes have been made a	nd the revised plan is at	tached.		
We have made changes and	the revised plan will be	sent to the IACBE by:		

### **Outcomes Assessment Results**

For Academic Year: 2014-2015

## **Section I: Student Learning Assessment**

Student Learning Assessment for: Sports Management								
Program Intended Student Learning Outcomes (Program ISLOs)								
1. Students will be able to articulate the concepts, theories, and principles associated with the financial aspects of sports management								
2. Students will be able to analyze and evaluate financial data associated with sports management								
3. Students will be able to apply legal and ethical principles in business to strategic decision making in sports management.								
Assessment Instruments for Intended Student Learning Outcomes— Direct Measures of Student Learning:	Performance Objectives (Targets/Criteria) for Direct Measures:							
1. Comprehensive Exam	TThe outcome criteria for the program is that 75% of students in the BA							
Program ISLOs Assessed by this Measure: 1,2	Sports Management program will score at least 70% on all 6 content areas on the Peregrine Academic Services comprehensive business exam							
2. Direct Measure 2	The expected criterion for this measurement is that 75% of students in the							
Program ISLOs Assessed by this Measure: 3	BA Sports Management program will score at least 80% on the concentration area (marketing or management) section of the Capstone senior project and at least 70% on the other 4 sections.							
Assessment Instruments for Intended Student Learning Outcomes— Indirect Measures of Student Learning:	Performance Objectives (Targets/Criteria) for Indirect Measures:							
Senior exit surveys	The expected results for this criterion is that on the senior exit survey							
Program ISLOs Assessed by this Measure: 2	forms for the BS Accounting program courses, the weighted average ra on the item(s) dealing with the degree of student success in achieving course learning objectives will be a 3.5 or higher (based on a 5.0 scale)							
2. Performance Electronic Portfolio (PEP)	On the PEP for the BS Accounting, the weighted average rate on the							
Program ISLOs Assessed by this Measure: 1,2,3	item(s) dealing with the degree of student success in achieving course learning objectives will score a 3.0 or higher (based on a 4.0 scale).							
Learning Assessment Results: Sports Management								

#### **Summary of Results from Implementing Direct Measures of Student Learning:**

- 1. Based on the criteria set, only 50% of students met the criteria which means it was not met. However, 100% of students earned an "average" rating or higher on exam.
- 2. There were no SPM graduates who took this course. The criteria was not met.

#### **Summary of Results from Implementing Indirect Measures of Student Learning:**

- 1. Of the 16 students who participated in the survey 100% were in agreement that the program prepared them and the average score of 4.56 out 5.
- 2. Based on the criteria set, students scored a 1.5 out of 4.0 scale.

#### **Intended Student Learning Outcomes**

	Duo quo ma ISLOs	Direct Measure 1	Direct Measure 2	Direct Measure 3	Indirect Measure 4	Indirect Measure 1	Indirect Measure 2	Indirect Measure 3	Indirect Measure 4
	Program ISLOs	Performance Target Was							
1.	Students will be able to articulate the concepts, theories, and principles associated with the financial aspects of sports management	Not met					Not Met		
2.	Students will be able to analyze and evaluate financial data associated with sports management	Not Met				Met	Not Met		
3.	Students will be able to apply legal and ethical principles in business to strategic decision making in sports management.		Not Met				Not Met		

## Proposed Courses of Action for Improvement in Learning Outcomes for which Performance Targets Were Not Met:

- 1. Need to reevaluate the criterion for this program to determine if the outcomes are reachable
- 2. Rubrics for the senior project in sports management needs to be created and developed.

- 3. The PEP tool needs to be a requirement that is enforced more regularly to insure that it is valid and reliable tool for the Sports Management program or find another tool that can be used.
- 4. Sports management program should be rolled into the business major program to insure that students are meeting the department mission and goals.
- 5. The use of the university senior exit survey may not be the best tool. The department will develop a more specific exit survey that better matches the program outcomes for each of the majors.

