

Instructional Program Review – Annual Update 2021

Date:	4/7/21
Program and Department:	Humanities, Social and Behavioral Sciences
CTE Program?	🗆 Yes 🖾 No
Additional programs included in	None
this review:	
Date of last comprehensive	2017
review:	
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Attachments (* as needed):	6-year assessment plan – All programs, when applicable
	2-year scheduling plan
	Justification for Resource Requests (if needed)

I. Alignment of the Program with the AHC Mission

AHC Mission: Allan Hancock College provides quality educational opportunities that enhance student learning and the creative, intellectual, cultural, and economic vitality of our diverse community.

a. Have there been any changes that would require a change to your Program Mission?

No changes, except moving to ERT as a delivery method.

b. Explain how your program mission aligns with the college mission.

The college mission and values can be found here: http://www.hancockcollege.edu/public_affairs/mission.php

We provide general education in a number of Hancock and CSU areas.

II. Student Success, Program Accessibility and Program Capacity

*NO data analysis required this year.

We have very positive completion and success rates.

a. Describe how the program works to promote student success (completions job placement, transfer). Include teaching innovations and use of academic and student support.

Klaus Fischer has published a new book almost yearly in our area.

b. List any notable accomplishments of the program (student awards, honors, or scholarships can be listed here also)

We are able to offer almost all of our courses as DL. We offer the students a wide variety of times and modalities for completing their degrees.

III. Quality and Innovation in the Program and Curriculum Review

- a. Are you on track in your assessment plan for course and program SLOs? If not, please explain why.
- Yes
- b. Have you shared your assessments or improvement plans with your department, program or advisory committee? If so, what actions resulted? If not, how do you plan to do so in the future?

We would benefit from the addition of another history and another philosophy instructor.

c. Did any of section, course or program improvement plans indicate that your program would benefit from specific resources in order to support student learning and/or faculty development? If so, please explain.

We submitted courses for DL approval.

d. In reviewing your outcomes and assessments have you identified any and all that indicate a modification should be made to the course outline, the student learning outcomes or the program outcomes? Please state what modifications you will be making.

Yes

- e. Have all course outlines been reviewed within the last 5 years? If not, please explain the plan to bring course outlines up to date and include timelines for the review and submission to AP&P.
- f. For **CTE courses/programs only**, as per §55003, have prerequisites, corequisites and advisories (PCAs) for courses and/or programs been reviewed within the last 2 years?

Yes		

IV. Focus and Engagement of the Program

a. Summarize major trends and opportunities as well as challenges that have emerged in the program

We have had strong student interest. Our numbers have been strong even during the pandemic.

b. List any (internal or external) conditions that have influenced the program in the past year.

Covid has forced us to go to ERT as a modality.

Data for Program with Vocational TOP Codes (CTE): <u>http://www.hancockcollege.edu/institutional_effectiveness/reports.php</u> Please review the data and comment on any trends.

c. Current industry employment and wage data (please cite sources)

d. Industry employment and wage trends

e. TOP code employment CORE indicator report

f. Advisory committee recommendations

V. Continuous Improvement of the Program

 a. Status of Final Plan of Action – Post Validation
Summarize the progress made on the recommendations from your last comprehensive program review plan of action

PLAN OF ACTION	ACTION TAKEN/RESULT AND STATUS		
Hire new instructors.	Still a need.		

b. List any new resources that the program received in the past year and the results

Source	e Specific Resource		Impact on program or course outcomes		

c. List any new or modified recommendations below, including rationale for these in the table.

Program Improvement Plan (Program ,Priority Number, year)	Anticipated Outcome (Goal)	Program Goal Status (Indicate if this goal is ongoing from a previous Annual Or Comprehensive Program Review or new this year).	Alignment to Strategic Directions and planning goals (see " Alignment to Strategic Directions" Attached	Activities	Justification (Evidence of need)	Resource Request (From table Below)	Anticipated Completion Date or On-going

d. Summary of request for resources. Please list the type of request (facility, technology, staffing, equipment, other) and rank their priority.

	Resource	ltem	Program	Туре	One-	On-going	Anticipated
	Requests		Goal		time	cost (per	Completion Date or
(Program, RRX				cost	fiscal year)	On-going
	year)						
	None						