

## **OUTCOMES COMMITTEE**

(Academic Senate Committee – Reports to Curriculum and Instruction Council)

### Purpose

The purpose of the Outcomes Committee is to provide leadership, tools, training, and support to create a campus culture where outcomes are understood and valued and where assessment functions as a resource leading to improved instruction, curricula, programs, and/or services. The committee oversees outcomes assessment at the administrative unit, course, program, and institutional levels, and reports to the Academic Senate through the Curriculum and Instruction Council.

### Function

1. To monitor, facilitate, and evaluate the process of assessing outcomes for courses, degrees, certificates, and services, including the progress and development of:
  - Institutional Level Outcomes (ILOs), Program Level Outcomes (PLOs), Student Learning Outcomes (SLOs), and Administrative Unit Objectives (AUOs);
  - means of assessment and criteria for success;
  - summary of data collected from assessment efforts;
  - results for improvement.
2. To monitor, facilitate, and evaluate the use of a mapping process for ILOs, PLOs, SLOs, and AUOs for courses, degrees, certificates, and direct and indirect support services.
3. To recommend process improvements to the Academic Senate by evaluating the procedures and work completed by the College.
4. To publicize improvements and progress made by departments, divisions, and teams.
5. To initiate and implement professional development opportunities relevant to outcomes, with assistance from the Professional Development Council, as needed.
6. To maintain currency of the College websites on outcomes assessment.

### Membership (15)

|     | <u>Position Represented</u>  | <u>Name</u>   | <u>Term</u> |
|-----|--|---|-------------|
| 1.  | Outcomes Coordinator (Co-Chair)  | Emily Woolery                                       | 2016-18     |
| 2.  | Associate Dean, Arts (Co-Chair)  | Mark Lowentrout                                     | ongoing     |
| 3.  | Educational Research Assessment Analyst  | Annel Medina Tagarao                                | ongoing     |
| 4.  | Management (one appointed by the Vice President, Instruction and one by the Vice President, Student Services)              | Fawaz Al-Malood                                     | 2016-19     |
| 5.  |  | James Ocampo  | 2015-18     |
| 6.  | At-large Faculty (appointed by the Academic Senate, representing diverse divisions; one must be from Continuing Education) | Arts Karen Marston                                  | 2015-18     |
| 7.  |  | Business Christina Cammayo                          | 2017-20     |
| 8.  |  | School of Continuing Education Mary Ann Gomez-Angel | 2015-18     |
| 9.  |  | Humanities Doug Mullane                             | 2015-18     |
| 10. |  | Kinesiology Chris Jackson                           | 2015-18     |
| 11. |  | LLR Lori Walker                                     | 2016-19     |
| 12. |  | Natural Sciences Parisa Mahjoor                     | 2016-19     |
| 13. | Student Services Jason Hayward   | 2017-20   |             |

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| 14. |  | Tech & Health | Jonathan Hymer | 2015-18 |
| 15. | Student (appointed by the Associated Students) |               | Vacant         | 2016-17 |

| 2017-18 Committee Goals |   | Link to College Goal # |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------|
| GOAL # 1:               | Process of outcomes assessment monitored, facilitated, and evaluated      | 3                      |
| GOAL # 2:               | Use of mapping process monitored, facilitated, and evaluated              | 3                      |
| GOAL # 3:               | Improvements of campus wide process recommended to Academic Senate        | 3                      |
| GOAL # 4:               | Improvements and progress of departments, divisions, and teams publicized | 3                      |
| GOAL # 5:               | Professional development opportunities offered with assistance from PDC   | 10                     |
| GOAL # 6:               | Committee website up-to-date  | 8, 11, 14              |

Membership Meeting Times:

| COMMITTEE TYPE  | CHAIR                             | MEETING SCHEDULE   | LOCATION | TIME           |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|--|----------|----------------|
| Academic Senate | Mark Lowentrout and Emily Woolery | 1 <sup>st</sup> and 3 <sup>rd</sup> Tuesday of the month | 12-1220  | 2:45-4:15 p.m. |

Person Responsible to Maintain Committee Website: Mark Lowentrout and Emily Woolery  
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College Website Link and Last Time Website Was Updated:  
<http://www.mtsac.edu/governance/committees/outcomes/index.html>  
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