Course Artifact Assessment

Background. Each course in the MS LIS program is assessed over a four year period to determine how well students are learning the corresponding program goals. The Curriculum Map (Appendix L) relates each course in the program to one or more program goals and is available to students on the DLIS LibGuide (http://campusguides.stjohns.edu/dlis/registration). This course-level assessment of student learning was instituted in 2015 as part of the DLIS Assessment Plan (approved May 1, 2015). The Spring 2020 term began the second assessment cycle.

Procedure. At the beginning of a term, courses are assigned by the Director for assessment. The assignment is made such that an instructor has no more than one course per term to assess. For the assigned course, the instructor selects one artifact (e.g. assignment, semester project, or exam) as a representative measure of learning the course's related program goal/s. At the end of the course, the instructor completes a form (Appendix G) describing the class' performance, reviewing the artifact's role as a measure, and the resulting changes planned to improve the course. Two sample artifacts with their respective reviews are included as well. The following table indicates the status of the course assessment process.

Course Artifact Assessment with Program Goals

Course Code	Course Name	Program Goals & Outcomes	Faculty	Reviewed/ Review Scheduled	Next Review
	CORE				
LIS 203	Organization of Information	3A, 3B	Angel	Spring 2020	Spring 2024
LIS 204	Introduction to Library and Information Science	1A, 1B, 1C, 1E, 2A, 2B, 3A, 5A, 7A	Rioux	Fall 2015	Fall 2020
LIS 205	Introduction to Information Sources and Services	5A	Lee	Spring 2020	Spring 2024
LIS 239	Research and Evaluation Methods	1A, 1B, 1D, 3A, 6A	Singh	Spring 2020	Spring 2024
	MANAGEMENT				
LIS 240	Management of Libraries and Information Centers	1A, 1D, 4A, 5C, 7A, 7B, 8A, 8B	Singh	Spring 2016	Fall 2020
	ELECTIVES				
LIS 121	Literature & Related Resources for Children	2B, 7A	Lee	Fall 2016	Fall 2020

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LIS 125	Library Materials and Services for Young Children	2B, 4A	Kropp	Spring 2020	Spring 2024
LIS 126	Literature & Related Resources for Young Adults	2B, 7A	Lee	Fall 2018	Fall 2022
LIS 127	Library Programs & Services for Children and Young Adults	2B, 4A, 7A, 8A, 8B	Lee	Spring 2016	Spring 2021
LIS 211	Collection Development	1A, 2A, 2B, 3A, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 8A, 8B	Rioux	Spring 2019	Spring 2022
LIS 213	Popular Culture and Young Adults	2B, 4A, 8B	Lee	Summer 2019	Summer 2023
LIS 214	Teen Spaces for Libraries	1A, 1B, 1C, 4A	Lee	Summer 2020	Summer 2024
LIS 221	Planning and Delivering Information Literacy Programs	5B, 5C, 7A, 7B	King	Spring 2017	Spring 2021
LIS 222	Materials and Services to Diverse Populations	1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 5B, 5C, 7A, 7B	Rioux	Fall 2018	Fall 2022
LIS 230	Introduction to Digital Libraries	1B, 1D, 3A, 3B, 4A, 5B	Angel	Fall 2021	
LIS 231	College and University Libraries	8A, 8B	Rioux	Spring 2016	Spring 2022
LIS 233	Public Libraries and Community Information Centers	8A, 8B	Rioux	Spring 2017	Spring 2021
LIS 237	Metadata for Information Professionals	1A, 1D, 3A, 3B	Vorbach	Fall 2017	Fall 2021
LIS 238	Web Design for Libraries and Information Centers	4A	Vorbach	Spring 2019	Spring 2023
LIS 245	Special Collections Librarianship and History of the Book: Principles and Practice	2A, 2B, 3A, 8B	Roveland-Brenton	Fall 2016	Fall 2020
LIS 248	Database Modeling and Design	3A, 3B, 4A	Vorbach	Fall 2016	
LIS 249	Archives and Records Management	1A, 1C, 3A, 3B, 5C, 7B	Angel	Fall 2017	Summer 2021

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LIS 253	Oral History	4A, 7B	Szylvian	Spring 2020	Spring 2024
LIS 257	Archival Representation	1C, 2A, 2B, 3A, 3B, 4A, 5A, 5B, 8B	Angel	Fall 2018	Fall 2022
LIS 258	Museum Informatics	3A, 3B, 4A	Angel	Spring 2017	Spring 2021
LIS 260	Information Use and Users	1B, 1D, 2A, 3A, 4A, 5A, 5B, 5C, 6A, 7B, 8B	Rioux	Fall 2017	Fall 2021
LIS 261	Information Sources and Services for Children and Young Adults	2B, 4A, 5A, 5C, 7B	Lee/ Seymour	Fall 2021	
LIS 262	Project Management in Information Organizations	1D, 5C, 8A, 8B	Singh	Fall 2017	Fall 2021
LIS 263	Marketing and Advocacy in Information Organizations	1B, 1D, 5C, 8A, 8B	Singh	Spring 2018	Spring 2022
LIS 264	Project Leadership for Information Professionals Capstone	1A, 1D, 5C, 7A, 8A, 8B	Singh	Fall 2018	Fall 2022
LIS 273	Graphic Novels and Libraries	1A, 2B, 5B	Fuchs	Summer 2020	
LIS 271	Special Topics: Grantsmanship – Fundraising for Librarians	1A, 1D, 8A, 8B	Zabriskie	Spring 2017	Spring 2021
LIS 274	Library Design		Glassman	Summer 2019	Summer 2023
LIS 275	Cultural Competence for Information Professionals	1A, 1D, 5B, 5C, 8A, 8B	Singh	Summer 2020	
LIS 282	Knowledge Management	2A, 2B, 8A, 8B	Singh	Spring 2018	Spring 2022
LIS 283	Social Justice and the Information Profession	1A, 1B, 1D, 2B, 4A, 5B, 5C	Rioux	Spring 2020	Spring 2024
LIS 302	Genealogical Sources & Services	3A, 4A, 5A, 5B, 5C	Earle	Summer 2020	