

Program Learning Assessment Results (Assessment Office)

Aggregated and Disaggregated Results for each PLO:

The tables illustrate the percentage of students who meet the specific performance levels for each program learning outcome.

Program Learning Assessment Results

BA in Social Science

Fall Collection

(Fall 1 2011, Fall 2 2011, Winter 2012, Spring 1 2012, Spring 2, 2012 Summer 2012, Fall 1 2012, Fall 2 2012)

Aggregated Results^{1, 2, 3}

| PLO 1 - Methods (SSCU-494) PLO 3 - Research (SSCU-494) PLO 4 - Application (SSCU-494) | Rubric applied: Fall 1 2011 to Fall 1 2012 ⁴ | | | | | | | n=192 | | |
|---|---|-----|------------|----|------------|----|----------|-------|--|--|
| Rubric Criterion | Exemplary | | Proficient | | Developing | | Emerging | | | |
| Formulation of a Research Question | 62.5% | 120 | 24.5% | 47 | 11.5% | 22 | 1.6% | 3 | | |
| Theoretical Foundations of Proposed Study | 42.7% | 82 | 32.3% | 62 | 18.2% | 35 | 6.8% | 13 | | |
| Thesis Statement and Hypothesis | 42.7% | 82 | 37.5% | 72 | 16.7% | 32 | 3.1% | 6 | | |
| Literature Review | 41.1% | 79 | 40.1% | 77 | 13.5% | 26 | 5.2% | 10 | | |
| Research Methods | 46.4% | 89 | 33.9% | 65 | 13.0% | 25 | 6.8% | 13 | | |
| Average Performance Levels | 47.1% | | 33.6% | | 14.6% | | 4.7% | | | |

| PLO 1 - Methods (SSCU-494) | Rubric applied: Fall 2 2012 ⁴ | | | | | | | n=26 | |
|--|--|-----------|-------|------------|-------|------------|------|----------|--|
| PLO 3 - Research (SSCU-494) | | | | | | | | | |
| PLO 4 - Application (SSCU-494) | | | | | | | | | |
| Rubric Criterion | Exem | Exemplary | | Proficient | | Developing | | Emerging | |
| Introduction, with research question and | | | | | | | | | |
| hypothesis | 76.9% | 20 | 23.1% | 6 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Literature Review | 53.8% | 14 | 42.3% | 11 | 3.8% | 1 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Theoretical Foundation | 46.2% | 12 | 50.0% | 13 | 3.8% | 1 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Research Methods | 38.5% | 10 | 46.2% | 12 | 15.4% | 4 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Anticipated Findings | 57.7% | 15 | 38.5% | 10 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Conclusion and Policy Recommendations | 65.4% | 17 | 34.6% | 9 | 0.0% | 0 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Citations and References | 73.1% | 19 | 23.1% | 6 | 3.8% | 1 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Mechanics | 65.4% | 17 | 26.9% | 7 | 7.7% | 2 | 0.0% | 0 | |
| Average Performance Levels | 59.0 | 59.6% | | 35.6% | | 4.3% | | 0.0% | |



| PLO 2 - Theory (SOCU-450) | | | | | | | | |
|----------------------------|-----------|-----|------------|-----|------------|----|----------|---|
| Rubric Criterion | Exemplary | | Proficient | | Developing | | Emerging | |
| Content Accuracy | 68.0% | 202 | 27.9% | 83 | 2.4% | 7 | 0.7% | 2 |
| Writing and Organization | 48.1% | 143 | 44.8% | 133 | 6.1% | 18 | 0.7% | 2 |
| Match with Assignment | 76.1% | 226 | 21.9% | 65 | 1.3% | 4 | 0.7% | 2 |
| Synthesis | 53.9% | 160 | 44.1% | 131 | 1.3% | 4 | 0.7% | 2 |
| Application of Theory | 63.6% | 189 | 34.7% | 103 | 1.0% | 3 | 0.7% | 2 |
| Average Performance Levels | 62.0% | | 34.7% | | 2.4% | | 0.7% | |

Notes:

- 1. Cases where a student did not upload an assignment (coded as "no submission" in the extract from GradeMark) were excluded from the analysis.
- 2. In cases where the mastery assignment was a group project, only the assignment submitted by the group leader was included in the analysis.
- 3. All rows may not add up to 100% reflecting missing rubric points.
- 4. The rubric for SSCU-494 was revised in the middle of the collection period to account for the Applied Learning and Innovation and Creativity ILOs. A data table has been generated for the rubric used from Fall 1 2011 to Fall 1 2012. An additional table was generated for the rubric used during Fall 2 2012.