

Academic Learning Compact

Degree Program: Agribusiness (BS) (CIP Code 01.0102)

Intended Program Student Learning Outcomes	Direct and Indirect Measures	
	Direct Method of Assessment	Indirect Method of Assessment
<p>Outcome 1: [Communication Skills] Students will become effective communicators in both writing and speech about issues involving agribusiness and related fields. a. Demonstrate proficiency in written, oral, and visual communication skills when discussing issues related to the various fields of agricultural science.</p>	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Grading with criteria or rubric</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Exit Survey</p>
<p>Outcome 2: [Critical Thinking Skills] Students will exhibit critical thinking skills when addressing issues in agribusiness. a. Graduates will demonstrate proficient research skills when solving economic, management and business problems.</p>	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Grading with criteria or rubric</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Exit interviews</p>
<p>Outcome 3: [Content/Discipline Knowledge and Skills] Students will display a working knowledge of the appropriate theory and economic tools to make sound decisions in the economic and agribusiness sectors.</p>	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Pre and Post-Tests</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Exit Survey</p>
<p>Outcome 4: [Content/Discipline Knowledge and Skills] Students will be able to apply basic management principles to decision making in the agribusiness sector.</p>	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Grading with criteria or rubric</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Exit Survey</p>
<p>Outcome 5: [Content/Discipline Knowledge and Skills] Students will exhibit the technical, computer and quantitative skills necessary to conduct sound economic and business analyses.</p>	<p><u>Direct Measure(s)</u> Senior thesis or major capstone project</p>	<p><u>Indirect Measure(s)</u> Employer survey</p>