# Computer Information Technology (ADC) Assessment Report

2018-19

Learning Outcomes for Computer Information Technology:

- 1. Students will be able to identify and evaluate information technology infrastructure necessary to meet an organization's business needs.
- 2. Students will be able to develop, plan and evaluate appropriate processes for managing information systems and information technology projects.
- 3. Students will be able to design, develop, and evaluate software solutions to meet an organization's business needs.
- 4. Students will be able to apply their technical knowledge and critical thinking to solve problems.
- 5. Students will be able to speak about their work with precision, clarity and organization (Oral Communication).
- 6. Students will be able to write about their work with precision, clarity and organization (Written Communication).
- 7. Students will be able to identify, locate, evaluate, and effectively and responsibly use and cite information for the task at hand (Information Literacy).
- 8. Students will be able to understand and create arguments supported by quantitative evidence, and they can clearly communicate those arguments in a variety of formats (Quantitative Reasoning).
- 9. Students will collaborate effectively in teams.
- 10. Students will understand the professional, ethical, legal, security and social issues and responsibilities with the implementation and use of information technology.
- 11. Graduates will be prepared for:
  - careers that use information technology in business, industry, government and the non-profit sector; and
  - graduate study in fields related to information technology.

**Learning Outcome:** Students will be able to identify and evaluate information technology infrastructure necessary to meet an organization's business needs.

Outcome Measure: Pass rates on certification exams.

# **Criteria for Success:**

2017-18: By the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> term:

- 60% of the students will pass the CompTIA A+ exam.
- 60% of the students will pass one additional CompTIA certification exam.

<u>2018-19 and Beyond</u>: By the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> term:

- 80% of the students will be at or above 90% of the score needed to pass the CompTIA A+ exam.
- 80% of the students will be at or above 90% of the score needed to pass one additional CompTIA certification exam.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Students in	Students in
	End of 4th	End of 4th
	Term Spring	Term Spring
	2018	2019
Percentage Passing CompTIA A+ Exam	33%	
Percentage at or Above 90% of		87%
CompTIA A+ Exam Passing Score		8770
Percentage Passing at Least One of		
CompTIA Network+, Security+ or	60%	
Project+		
Percentage at or Above 90% for at Least		
One of CompTIA Network+, Security+ or		94%
Project+ Exam Passing Score		

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

Note that if we include the students who entered the cohort with the A+ certification, then 60% of the students had the A+ certification by the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> term. Benchmark met for additional certification passing. In 2018-19 we changed the criteria for success to include those students who came close to passing the certification exam. This is because those who "came close" are demonstrating mastery of the material.

Changes to be Made Based on Data: None beyond adjusting the criteria for success after looking at the data. We continue to monitor progress.

# **Rubric:**

Since these are online exams provided by ComTIA, there is no rubric.

**Learning Outcome:** Students will be able to develop, plan and evaluate appropriate processes for managing information systems and information technology projects.

Outcome Measure: Signature Assignment for a project plan report in CIT334 Project Management

Criteria for Success: 80% of the students should have an average score of at least 80%.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Percentage of students scoring more than 80%					
	2017-18 2018-19					
Project Plan	77%	84%				

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

The students from this first cohort came close to achieving the benchmark. The small sample size means that variability will occur in the scores. The second group of students achieved the benchmark.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

Continue to monitor.

Rubric: On the next page

Criteria		Outstanding		High Satisfactory		Low Satisfactory		Unsatisfactory
Draft 1	14 - 15 pts	Completeness - 300+ words and includes the company's name, the project's name, the date the project was completed or is be expected to be completed, employee contact names (minimum two people) and an overview of the project and it's strategic and/or tactical purpose.	12 - 13 pts	Completeness - 250 to 300 words or includes all but one of the following: the company's name, the project's name, the date the project was completed or will be expected to be completed, employee contact names (minimum two people) and an overview of the project and it's strategic and/or tactical purpose.	10 - 11 pts	Completeness - 200 to 300 words or includes all but two or three of the following: the company's name, the project's name, the date the project was completed or will be expected to be completed, employee contact names (minimum two people) and an overview of the project and it's strategic and/or tactical purpose.	0 4 - 9 pts	Completeness -50 to 200 words or is missing all but one or two of the following: the company's name, the project's name, the date the project was completed or will be expected to be completed, employee contact names (minimum two people) and an overview of the project and it's strategic and/or tactical purpose.
	□ 5 pts	Format - No spelling or grammatical errors, meets all APA requirements	4 pts	Format - One or two spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but one APA requirements	□ 2 - 3 pts	Format - Two or three spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but two APA requirements	□ 0 - 1 pts	Format - Four spelling or grammatical errors, or does not meet three or more APA formatting requirements.
Draft 2	23 - 25 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on all of the following: the project name, executive summary, project stakeholders, project description, MOV, project scope, project schedule summary, project budget summary, and terminology and glossary	18 - 22 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on all but one or two of the following: the project name, executive summary, project stakeholders, project description, MOV, project scope, project schedule summary, project budget summary, and terminology and glossary	11 - 17 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on all but three to five of the following: the project name, executive summary, project stakeholders, project description, MOV, project scope, project schedule summary, project budget summary, and terminology and glossary	5 - 10 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on only one to three of the following: the project name, executive summary, project stakeholders, project description, MOV, project scope, project schedule summary, project budget summary, and terminology and glossary
	🗆 5 pts	Format - No spelling or grammatical errors, meets all APA requirements	4 pts	Format - One or two spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but one APA requirements	🗆 2 - 3 pts	Format - Two or three spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but two APA requirements	🗆 0 - 1 pts	Format - Four spelling or grammatical errors, or does not meet three or more APA formatting requirements.
Draft 3	🗆 32 - 35 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on all of the following: Updated and corrected content from the second draft, A title page, TOC, project control WBS and Gantt chart, project risk summary, and implementation plan.	29 - 31 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on all but one or two of the following: Updated and corrected content from the second draft, A title page, TOC, project control WBS and Gantt chart, project risk summary, and implementation plan.	pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on all but three to five of the following: Updated and corrected content from the second draft, A title page, TOC, project control WBS and Gantt chart, project risk summary, and implementation plan.	🗆 14 - 22 pts	Completeness - Includes complete information on only one to three of the following: Updated and corrected content from the second draft, A title page, TOC, project control WBS and Gantt chart, project risk summary, and implementation plan.
	🗆 5 pts	Format - No spelling or grammatical errors, meets all APA requirements	4 pts	Format - One or two spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but one APA requirements	🗆 2 - 3 pts	Format - Two or three spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but two APA requirements	🗆 0 - 1 pts	Format - Four spelling or grammatical errors, or does not meet three or more APA formatting requirements.
	🗆 23 - 25 pts	Report Completeness - Includes all updated sections from draft 2 and draft 3.	18 - 22 pts	Report Completeness - Includes all but one or two updated sections from draft 2 and draft 3.	🗆 11 - 17 pts	Report Completeness - Includes all but three to five updated sections from draft 2 and draft 3.	🗆 5 - 10 pts	Report Completeness - Includes one or two updated sections from draft 2 and draft 3.
	🗆 5 pts	Format - No spelling or grammatical errors, meets all APA requirements	4 pts	Format - One or two spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but one APA requirements	🗆 2 - 3 pts	Format - Two or three spelling or grammatical errors, or meets all but two APA requirements	🗆 0 - 1 pts	Format - Four spelling or grammatical errors, or does not meet three or more APA formatting requirements.
Final Plan	14 - 15 pts	Presentation Document - Containing all of the following: Four to six slides reporting the main aspects of the project, slides follow the template provided, slides are engaging, readable and have appropriate graphics and information.	12 - 13 pts	Presentation Document - Containing all but one of the following: Four to six slides reporting the main aspects of the project, slides follow the template provided, slides are engaging, readable and have appropriate graphics and information.	10 - 11 pts	Presentation Document - Containing all but two of the following: Four to six slides reporting the main aspects of the project, slides follow the template provided, slides are engaging, readable and have appropriate graphics and information.	🗆 4 - 9 pts	Presentation Document - Containing all but three or more of the following: Four to six slides reporting the main aspects of the project, slides follow the template provided, slides are engaging, readable and have appropriate graphics and information.
	14 - 15 pts	Presentation - Containing all of the following: Lasts between 5 and 7 minutes, well prepared and rehearsed, avoided reading from the screen, clear and concise presentation, responded well to questions, was attentive during other presentations.	12 - 13 pts	Presentation - Containing all but one of the following: Lasts between 5 and 7 minutes, well prepared and rehearsed, avoided reading from the screen, clear and concise presentation, responded well to questions, was attentive during other presentations.	10 - 11 pts	Presentation - Containing all but two or three of the following: Lasts between 5 and 7 minutes, well prepared and rehearsed, avoided reading from the screen, clear and concise presentation, responded well to questions, was attentive during other presentations.	🗆 4 - 9 pts	Presentation - Containing all but four of the following: Lasts between 5 and 7 minutes, well prepared and rehearsed, avoided reading from the screen, clear and concise presentation, responded well to questions, was attentive during other presentations.

**Learning Outcome:** Students will be able to design, develop, and evaluate software solutions to meet an organization's business needs.

Outcome Measure: Signature Assignment to create a systems plan report in in CIT334 Project Management

Criteria for Success: 80% of the students should have an average score of at least 80%.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Percentage scoring mor					
	2017-18 2018-19					
System Plan	80%	92%				

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

The students from the first two cohorts achieved the benchmark. The small sample size means that variability will occur in the scores.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

Continue to monitor.

# **Rubric:**

See next page.

riteria		Outstanding		CIT434 - MIS Systems High Satisfactory		Low Satisfactory		Unsatisfactory
	01	Company Overview - The overview has all of the following: A description of the	□ 4 p	Company Overview - The overview has all but one of the following: A description of	□ 2 -	Company Overview - The overview has all but two of the following: A description of	□ 0 -	Company Overview - The overview has al but three or more of the following: A
	pts	organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is clearly labeled.	pts	the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is	- 3 pts	the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is	1 pts	description of the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that
nan	9 - 10 p	Strategic Organizational Goals - The goals have all of the following: lists two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems: Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission	7 - 8 pts	clearly labeled. Strategic Organizational Goals - The goals Taive all but one of the following: lists two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission	4 - 6 pt	clearly labeled. Strategic Organizational Goals - The goals have the following but each is not clearly stated or one is complete missing; lists two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission	1 - 3 pts	is clearly labeled. Strategic Organizational Goals - The goal have the following but each is poorly stated or one is complete missing. Itsis two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goa description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission
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	9 - 10 pt	Company Overview - The overview has all of the following: Updated from the draft, a description of the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is clearly labeled.	7 - 8 pts	Company Overview - The overview has all but one of the following: Updated from the draft, a description of the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is clearly labeled.	4 - 6 pts	Company Overview - The overview has all but two of the following: Updated from the draft, a description of the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is clearly labeled.	1 - 3 pts	Company Overview - The overview has a but three or more of the following: Updated from the draft, a description of the organization, what the organization does and who it serves, copy of the company's mission statement that is clearly labeled.
	9 - 10	Strategic Organizational Goals - The goals have all of the following: Updated from the draft, lists two more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission	7 - 8 pts	Strategic Organizational Goals - The goals have all but one of the following: Updated from the draft, lists two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission	0 4 - 6 pts	Strategic Organizational Goals - The goals have the following but each is not clearly stated or one is complete missing: Updated from the draft, lists two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission	1 - 3 pts	Strategic Organizational Goals - The goal have the following but each is poorly stated or one is complete missing: Updated from the draft, lists two or more strategic goals of the company that can be support by a new or upgraded Information Systems. Each goal description is complete and explains how the goal aligns with the company's mission
	14 - 15 pts	Technology Assessment - Has all of the following: Describes the current state of focuses on the current technology assets that are used to support the one or two strategic organizational goals and IS strategic initiatives that are the focus this report.	12 - 13 pts	Technology Assessment - Has all but one of the following: Describes the current state of technology within the organization, focuses on the current technology assets that are used to support the one or two strategic organizational goals and IS strategic initiatives that are the focus this report.	10 - 11 pts	Technology Assessment - Has all but two of the following: Describes the current state of technology within the organization, focuses on the current technology assets that are used to support the one or two strategic organizational goals and 15 strategic initiatives that are the focus this report.	0 4 - 9 pts	Technology Assessment - Poorly describt or is partially missing following: Describe the current state of technology within th organization, focuses on the current technology assets that are used to support the one or two strategic organizational goals and IS strategic initiatives that are the focus this report.
final Plan Report	14 - 15 pts	Technology Goals - Has all of the following: An overview of the organization's technology goals that will be needed to fulfill the strategic goals already identified, explaining how the technology goal will help support and/or fulfill the strategic organization goal identified in the previous section, a clear mapping between the technology goal and the organizational goal, identified the goal on the strategic impact grid.	🗆 12 - 13 pts	Technology Goals - Has all but one of the following: An overview of the organization's technology goals that will be needed to fulfill the strategic goals already identified, explaining how the technology goal will help support and/or fulfill the strategic organization goal identified in the previous section, a clear mapping between the technology goal and the organizational goal, identified the goal on the strategic impact grid.	🗆 10 - 11 pts	Technology Goals - Has all but two of the following: An overview of the organization's technology goals that will be needed to fulfill the strategic goals aiready identified, explaining how the technology goal will help support and/or fulfill the strategic organization goal identified in the previous section, a clear mapping between the technology goal and the organizational goal, identified the goal on the strategic impact grid.	4 - 9 pts	Technology Goals - Is missing three or more of the following: An overview of th organization's technology goals that will be needed to fulfill the strategic goals already identified, explaining how the technology goal will help support and/or fulfill the strategic organization goal identified in the previous section, a clear mapping between the technology goal and the organizational goal, identified th goal on the strategic impact grid.
Final	9 - 10	Information Systems Guidelines - has a complete list of relevant information system guidelines and how they relate to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.	7 - 8 pts	Information Systems Guidelines - has a mostly complete list of relevant information system guidelines and how they relate to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.	🗆 4 - 6 pts	Information Systems Guidelines - has a semi-incomplete list of relevant information system guidelines and how they relate to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.	1 - 3 pts	Information Systems Guidelines - has a incomplete list of relevant information system guidelines and how they relate to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.
	9 - 10 p	SWOT Analysis of Technology Goals - has a complete SWOT analysis relevant to the report and how it relates to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.	🗆 7 - 8 pts	SWOT Analysis of Technology Goals - has a mostly complete SWOT analysis relevant to the report and how it relates to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.	🗆 4 - 6 pts	SWOT Analysis of Technology Goals - has a semi-incomplete SWOT analysis relevant to the report and how it relates to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.	1 - 3 pts	SWOT Analysis of Technology Goals - has an incomplete SWOT analysis relevant to the report and how it relates to the organizational and technology goals presented in the report.
	27 - 30 pts	Information Systems Strategic Initiatives- has all the following: The IS Project Name, The high level cost and value of the initiative(s), The risks and mitigations needed to complete the initiative(s), Current and new technology infrastructure needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Estimated effort, time and detail costs needed to support the initiative(s), Identify measurable success criteria.	23 - 26 pts	Information Systems Strategic Initiatives- has all but one or two of the following: The IS Project Name, The high level cost and value of the initiative(s). The risks and mitigations needed to complete the initiative(s), Current and new technology infrastructure needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully spartners, Current and new processes needed to support the initiative(s), Estimated effort, time and detail costs needed to support the initiative(s), Identify measurable success criteria.	16 - 22 pts	Information Systems Strategic Initiatives- has all but three of four of the following: The IS Project Name, The high level cost and value of the initiative(s). The risks and mitigations needed to complete the initiative(s), Current and new technology infrastructure needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new software needed to successfully spartners, Current and new processes needed to support the initiative(s), Estimated effort, time and detail costs needed to support the initiative(s), tedntfy measurable success criteria.	🗆 8 - 14 pts	Information Systems Strategic Initiatives has all but five or more of the following: The IS Project Name, The high level cost and value of the initiative(s), The risks an mitigations needed to complete the initiative(s), Current and new technology infrastructure needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), and meet the organizational goal, Current and new in professionals needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), current and new software needed to successfully complete the initiative(s), Current and new outside contracts or business partners, Current and new processes needed to support the initiative(s), Estimated effort, time and detail costs needed to support the initiative(s), Identify measurable success criteria.
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E	9-10	overview of strategic initiatives. Professional presentation - Did all of the	17-8 pts	overview of strategic initiatives. Professional presentation - Did all but one	14 - 6 pts 🗆	overview of strategic initiatives. Professional presentation - Did all but	1 - 3 pts 🗆	incomplete overview of strategic initiatives. Professional presentation - Did all but or
Presentation	19 - 10 pts	following: Presentation document is well prepared, the presentation appears to be will rehearsed, presenter has good eye contact, responds well to questions, professional appearance, attentive to other's presentations, completed in 10 to 15 minutes	07-8 pts	or two of the following: Presentation document is well prepared, the presentation appears to be will rehearsed, presenter has good eye contact, responds well to questions, professional appearance, attentive to other's presentations, completed in 10 to 15 minutes	0 4 - 6 pts	three or four of the following: Presentation document is well prepared, the presentation appears to be will rehearsed, presenter has good eye contact, responds well to questions, professional appearance, attentive to other's presentations, completed in 10 to 15 minutes	1 - 3 pts	to two of the following poorly: Presentation document is well prepared, the presentation appears to be will rehearsed, presenter has good eye contact, responds well to questions, professional appearance, attentive to other's presentations, completed in 10 to 15 minutes
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**Learning Outcome:** Students will be able to apply their technical knowledge and critical thinking to solve problems.

# **Outcome Measure:**

- Pass rates on certification exams.
- ETS Proficiency Profile (critical thinking)

# **Criteria for Success:**

2017-18: By the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> term:

- 60% of the students will pass the CompTIA A+ exam.
- 60% of the students will pass one additional CompTIA certification exam.

2018-19 and Beyond: By the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> term:

- 80% of the students will be at or above 90% of the score needed to pass the CompTIA A+ exam.
- 80% of the students will be at or above 90% of the score needed to pass one additional CompTIA certification exam.

70% of the students will be marginal or proficient at Level 2 Reading/Critical Thinking.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Students in End of 4th Term Spring 2018	Students in End of 4th Term Spring 2019
Percentage Passing CompTIA A+ Exam	33%	
Percentage at or Above 90% of CompTIA A+ Exam Passing Score		87%
Percentage Passing at Least One of CompTIA Network+, Security+ or Project+	60%	
Percentage at or Above 90% for at Least One of CompTIA Network+, Security+ or Project+ Exam Passing Score		94%

	Percentage of Students Marginal or Proficient					
	2017-18 2018-19					
ETS Proficiency Profile Level 2 Critical Thinking	60%	64%				

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

Note that if we include the students who entered the cohort with the A+ certification, then 60% of the students had the A+ certification by the end of their 4<sup>th</sup> term. Benchmark met for additional certification passing. In 2018-19 we changed the criteria for success to include those students who came close to passing the certification exam. This is because those who "came close" are demonstrating mastery of the material.

We did not achieve the benchmark for the ETS Proficiency Profile. This was our first graduating class and it was a small group. So we are waiting to look for longitudinal trends before drawing any conclusions or making changes.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

None beyond adjusting the criteria for success after looking at the data. We continue to monitor progress.

# **Rubric:**

Since these are online exams provided by ComTIA, there is no rubric.

The ETS exam has no rubric

# Learning Outcome:

**PLO:** Students will be able to speak about their work with precision, clarity and organization (Oral Communication).

**GELO 1b**: Oral: Students will be able to effectively express ideas and information to others through oral communication.

**Outcome Measure:** Annual: Each student will be required to give an oral presentation on a topic in their field as a part of their participation in the Senior Seminar (CIT481). The audience for this talk will include department faculty, fellow students and possibly some alumni. The students will be given the evaluation criteria in advance of their presentation and will be rated by the faculty using a rubric with a scale of 4 (outstanding) to 1 (unsatisfactory) in the following areas:

- Command of background material
- Organization
- Oral presentation skills
- Use of presentation tools
- Ability to field questions from the audience

**Criteria for Success:** 80% of the students should have an average score of at least 2.5 in each of the major areas in the department rubric.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

Oral Presentation	Spring 2018	Spring 2019
Background	100%	100%
Organization	100%	100%
Oral Presentation Skills	100%	100%
Presentation Tools	100%	100%
Ability to Field Questions	100%	100%

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

These first two cohors of students met our benchmark for oral presentations.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

We noticed that the students did not fully understand all categories in the rubric and additional time will be spent reviewing the rubric with them before they prepare their oral presentations

# Oral Presentation Rubric Update (4/12/17)

Criteria	Outstanding	High Satisfactory	Low Satisfactory		Unsatisfactory	
	Clearly knows material and key facts by memory	Clearly knows key facts with a few memory slips		Reads some information; knows some facts from memory		Reads sentences from slides
iand o round al	Expands on PPT slides	Some expansion on PPT slides		No expansion of PPT slide content		Dependent on notes
Command of background material	Content appropriate for audience	Partial audience adaptation of content		Little audience adaptation of content		Lacks audience adaptation of content
	Clear and concise outline	Clear outline		Some sense of outline		No clear outline
Organization	Relevant graphics and key text items on slides	Too much information on slides (not concise)		Too much detailed information on slides		Slides are in paragraphed; too much detailed information on one slide
Organ	Presentation is between 10-15 minutes	Presentation 1 minute outside of the range (10-15 minutes)		Presentation 2 minutes outside of the range (10-15 minutes)		Presentation 3 minutes outside of the range (10-15 minutes)
	Clearly has practiced several times; smooth transitions	Has practiced but transitions are not smooth		Has practiced presentation but cannot verbally make transitions between slides		Clearly did not practice presentation; Does not anticipate content of next slide
	Engages audience in content multiple time and engagement is well connected to talk (questions, examples, etc)	Engages audience at least twice in content (questions, examples, etc.)		Audience engagement at least once with content (questions, examples, etc.)		No audience involvement
S	Free of disfluencies (ah, uhm)	A few disfluencies (ah, umh, er)		Many disfluencies (ah, umh, er)		Disfluencies (ah, umh, er) detract from presentation
ation skills	Is clearly heard in the room and makes an uses inflection for emphasis	Can be understood most of the time and uses some inflection		Can sometimes be understood and uses little inflection		Can not be heard and/or speaks in a monotone
Presentation	Engaged audience through eye contact	Some engagement of audience through eye contact		Infrequent eye contact		Little audience awareness or eye contact
Oral F	Engaged audience through gestures	Some engagement of audience through gestures		Distracting gestures or mannerisms		Frequent distracting gestures or mannerisms
tion	PPT background is matched to content, legible font, seamless transitions	Appropriate PPT slide backgrounds, transitions & font		Distracting PPT slide backgrounds and transitions, font hard to read		No attention given to PPT slide backgrounds and transitions, font illegible
Use of Presentati Tools	Graphics imbedded and matched to topic, necessary hyperlinks work	Most graphics imbedded and matched to topic, most necessary hyperlinks work		Some inappropriate graphics or use of PPT embellishments, necessary hyperlinks don't work		Distracting use of embellishments, graphics not connected to topic
Ability to field questions	Able to answer questions clearly and without hesitation and prepared material to answer anticipated questions	Can answer all questions with some hesitation		Able to answer half of the questions with hesitation		Unable to answer any questions

# Learning Outcome:

**PLO:** Students will be able to write about their work with precision, clarity and organization (Written Communication).

**GELO 1a:** Written: Students will be able to effectively express ideas and information to others through written communication.

# **Outcome Measure:**

Annual: Each student will be required to write a paper on a topic in their field as a part of their participation in the Senior Seminar. The audience for this talk will include department faculty, fellow students and possibly some alumni. The students will be given the evaluation criteria in advance of their presentation and will be rated by the faculty using a rubric with a scale of 4 (outstanding) to 1 (unsatisfactory) in the following areas:

- Structure
- Organization
- Grammar and spelling
- Depth of information
- Clarity of writing
- Bibliography and other supporting documentation

Annual: ETS Proficiency Profile.

**Criteria for Success:** 70% of the students should have an average score of at least 2.5 in each of the major areas in the department rubric.

ETS: 60% of our students will be marginal or proficient on the Level 2 Writing test.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

Writing Report	Spring 2018	Spring 2019
Structure	100%	100%
Organization	83%	100%
Grammar and Spelling	100%	100%
Depth of Information	100%	100%
Clarity of Writing	100%	100%
Bibliography and support	100%	100%

ETS:

	Percentage Marginal o	of Students r Proficient
	2017-18	2018-19
ETS Proficiency Profile Level 2 Writing	20%	36%

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

We have graduated two cohorts from this program. The students have done well on the department rubric but not well on the ETS test. We are reviewing the material on the ETS exam.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

No changes at this time, we are monitoring progress and reviewing the instruments.

# **Rubrics:**

MICS Writing Rubric: Next page

ETS: No rubric

# **MICS Written Presentation Rubric**

Criteria	Outstanding	High Satisfactory	Low Satisfactory			Unsatisfactory		
ny and	Multiple references from distinct reputable sources	Most references from distinct reputable sources		Some references from reputable sources		No bibliography or all references from untrusted sites on the internet		
Bibliography a supporting documents	References cited in the body of the document	Some citation of references in the body of the document		Limited citation of references in the body of the document		No citation of references in the body of the document		
	Conveys a central theme with all ideas connected, arrangement of ideas clearly related to topic	Conveys a central idea or topic with some ideas connected to the topic		Attempts to focus on an idea or topic with many ideas not connected to the topic		Has little or no focus on central idea or topic		
c	Clear introduction, body (with sections), and conclusion includes summary and closure	Includes introduction, body and conclusion		Introduction, body, conclusion detectable but not clear		Introduction, body or conclusion absent		
Organization	Includes both an abstract and table of contents	Includes abstract and table of contents (one partial and one complete)		Includes partial abstract and partial table of contents		No abstract or table of contents		
	No use of first- person tense	Few uses of the first-person tense		Several uses of the first- person tense		Written in first-person tense		
Grammar and spelling	No grammatical or spelling errors	Few grammatical and spelling errors		Some grammatical and spelling errors		Many grammatical and spelling errors		
	Appropriately synthesizes information from multiple distinct sources	Synthesis of information from at least three distinct sources		Synthesis of information from at least two distinct sources		Summary reporting of information without synthesis		
Depth of information	Draws conclusions and personal insights from synthesis	At least two personal insights or conclusions stated		At least one personal insight or conclusion stated		No personal insights		
Depth of	Has the minimum number of pages including penalty pages; subject coverage is excellent	Has the minimum number of pages including penalty pages; subject coverage is good		Has the minimum number of pages including penalty pages; subject coverage is adequate		Does not have the minimum number of pages including penalty pages		
	Sentences flow	Good sentence structure		Occasional poor sentence structure		Frequent poor sentence structure		
	Smooth transitions between paragraphs	Adequate transitions between paragraphs		Transitions between paragraphs unclear		Lacked transitions between paragraphs		
Clarity of writing	Any and all terms and acronyms are defined	Most terms and acronyms are defined		Some terms and acronyms are defined		Many terms and acronyms are undefined		
Clarity c	Provides evidence to support points	Lacks support for some points		Provides minimal support for points		Ideas not supported		

# Learning Outcome:

**PLO:** Students will be able to identify, locate, evaluate, and effectively and responsibly use and cite information for the task at hand (Information Literacy).

**GELO 1c:** Information Literacy: Students will be able to access and cite information as well as evaluate the logic, validity, and relevance of information from a variety of sources.

**Outcome Measure:** Annual: Each student will be required to write a paper on a topic in their field as a part of their participation in the Senior Seminar. The audience for this talk will include department faculty, fellow students and possibly some alumni. The students will be given the evaluation criteria in advance and their paper will be rated by the faculty using a rubric with a scale of 4 (capstone) to 1 (benchmark) in the following areas:

- References: Multiple references from distinct reputable sources
- Citation: References cited in the body of the document
- Synthesis: Appropriately synthesizes information from multiple distinct sources.

**Criteria for Success:** 80% of the students should have an average score of at least 2.5 in each of the major areas.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

Information Literacy	Spring 2018	Spring 2019	
References	100%	100%	
Citation	100%	100%	
Synthesis	100%	100%	

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

This is the first cohort of graduates in the program and they seem to have done well.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

Continue to monitor the progress.

# Rubric

We used the applicable parts of the writing rubric.

# **MICS Written Presentation Rubric**

Criteria	Outstanding	High Satisfactory	Low Satisfactory		Unsatisfactory	
y and	Multiple references from distinct reputable sources	Most references from distinct reputable sources		Some references from reputable sources		No bibliography or all references from untrusted sites on the internet
Bibliography a supporting documents	References cited in the body of the document	Some citation of references in the body of the document		Limited citation of references in the body of the document		No citation of references in the body of the document
	Conveys a central theme with all ideas connected, arrangement of ideas clearly related to topic	Conveys a central idea or topic with some ideas connected to the topic		Attempts to focus on an idea or topic with many ideas not connected to the topic		Has little or no focus on central idea or topic
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Grammar and spelling	No grammatical or spelling errors	Few grammatical and spelling errors		Some grammatical and spelling errors		Many grammatical and spelling errors
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Clarity	Provides evidence to support points	Lacks support for some points		Provides minimal support for points		Ideas not supported

# Learning Outcome:

**PLO:** Students will be able to understand and create arguments supported by quantitative evidence, and they can clearly communicate those arguments in a variety of formats (Quantitative Reasoning).

**GELO 1e:** Quantitative Reasoning: Students will be able to solve problems that are quantitative in nature.

Outcome Measure: Annual: Each student will participate in the ETS Proficiency Profile exam.

Criteria for Success: 70% of the students will be Marginal or Proficient at Level 2.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Percentage of Students Marginal or Proficient			
	2017-18 2018-19			
ETS Proficiency Profile Level 2 Math	60%	36%		

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

The program has graduated two cohorts and is looking at the particular skills measured by this exam to see what skills need to be reinforced and to determine if this benchmark is appropriate for the CIT student populatin.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

None at this time. We will continue to monitor the results.

# **Rubrics**

ETS Proficiency Profile (no rubric involved)

Learning Outcome: Students will collaborate effectively in teams.

#### **Outcome Measure:**

CIT334 Signature Assignment – evaluation of group while working on a project.

**Criteria for Success:** 80% of the students should have an average score of at least 2.5 in each of the major areas.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Percent of students with average at least 2.5	
	2017-18	2018-19*
Contributes to team meetings	100%	100%
Met regularly with team	89%	
Encourages team members		95%
Contributes to project report assignments	100%	
Contributes individually outside of team meetings		97%
Attitude		100%
Fosters constructive team climate		100%
Responds to conflict	100%	100%

\*Note that the CIT program transitioned to using the department teamwork rubric in 2018-19.

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

The students from this first cohort are performing well as member of teams.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

Continue to make use of group activities throughout the curriculum.

# **MICS Teamwork Rubric**

# Definition

Teamwork is behaviors under the control of individual team members (effort they put into team tasks, their manner of interacting with others on team, and the quantity and quality of contributions they make to team discussions.)

Evaluators are encouraged to assign a zero to any work sample or collection of work that does not meet unsatisfactory (cell one) level performance.

# The purpose of this is to evaluate individual team members. Although no team member will ever see your evaluation of them, please take it seriously.

**Directions:** 

- Do not put your own name anywhere on this form, the evaluations are to be anonymous.
- Please write the name of the person you are evaluating here .....
- Please fill out one copy of this form for every person who was on your team, including one for yourself.
- For each row, place a checkmark in the box that best describes your teammate's performance.

	Outstanding	High Satisfactory	Low Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory
Contributes to	$\Box$ Helps the team move	□ Offers new suggestions	$\Box$ Shares ideas but does not	$\Box$ Sits quietly in team
team meetings	forward by articulating the merits of alternative ideas or proposals.	to advance the work of the group.	advance the work of the group.	meetings and does not contribute
Encourages members of the team	□ Actively seeks to find opportunities to encourage all members of the team.	□ Offers encouragement to all members of the team	□ Offers words of encouragement to friends	□ Does not offer word of encouragement to anyone
Individual contributions outside of team meetings	<ul> <li>Completes all assigned tasks by deadline; work accomplished is thorough.</li> <li>Proactively helps other team members complete their assigned tasks.</li> </ul>	□ Completes all assigned tasks by deadline; work accomplished is thorough.	□ Completes all assigned tasks by deadline.	□ Does not complete all assigned tasks by deadline.
Attitude	□ Demonstrates (comments, facial expressions, etc.) a negative attitude <b>rarely</b> and helps others to become more positive.	<ul> <li>Demonstrates</li> <li>(comments, facial expressions, etc.) a negative attitude rarely.</li> </ul>	□ Demonstrates (comments, facial expressions, etc.) a negative attitude <b>less</b> often than a positive attitude.	□ Demonstrates (comments, facial expressions, etc.) a negative attitude <b>more</b> often than a positive attitude.

Fosters constructive team climate	□ Supports a constructive team climate by doing <u>all of</u> <u>the following</u> :	□ Supports a constructive team climate by doing <u>any</u> <u>two of the following</u> :	□ Supports a constructive team climate by doing <u>any</u> <u>one of the following</u> :	□ Supports a constructive team climate by doing <b>none</b> of the following:
	<ul> <li>Treats team members respectfully by being polite and constructive in communication.</li> <li>Uses positive vocal or written tone, facial expressions, and/or body language to convey a positive attitude about the team and its work.</li> <li>Motivates teammates by expressing confidence about the importance of the task and the team's ability to accomplish it.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Treats team members respectfully by being polite and constructive in communication.</li> <li>Uses positive vocal or written tone, facial expressions, and/or body language to convey a positive attitude about the team and its work.</li> <li>Motivates teammates by expressing confidence about the importance of the task and the team's ability to accomplish it.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Treats team members respectfully by being polite and constructive in communication.</li> <li>Uses positive vocal or written tone, facial expressions, and/or body language to convey a positive attitude about the team and its work.</li> <li>Motivates teammates by expressing confidence about the importance of the task and the team's ability to accomplish it.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Treats team members respectfully by being polite and constructive in communication.</li> <li>Uses positive vocal or written tone, facial expressions, and/or body language to convey a positive attitude about the team and its work.</li> <li>Motivates teammates by expressing confidence about the importance of the task and the team's ability to accomplish it.</li> </ul>
Responds to conflict	☐ Identifies and acknowledges conflict and acknowledges that relationships can be damaged. Seeks to restore relationships.	□ Identifies and acknowledges conflict and acknowledges that relationships can be damaged.	□ Identifies and acknowledges conflict but will not acknowledge that relationships can be damaged.	□ Will not acknowledge that conflict has occurred or that relationships can be damaged.

**Learning Outcome:** Students will understand the professional, ethical, legal, security and social issues and responsibilities with the implementation and use of information technology.

Outcome Measure: Signature Assignment in CIT434 Management Information Systems

Criteria for Success: 80% of the students should have an average score of 3 or higher for each case.

# Aligned with DQP Learning Areas (circle one or more):

- 1. Specialized Knowledge
- 2. Broad Integrative Knowledge
- 3. Intellectual Skills/Core Competencies
- 4. Applied and Collaborative Learning, and
- 5. Civic and Global Learning

# Longitudinal Data:

	Percent of 3 or higher			
	2017-18 2018-19			
Case 1	100%	75%		
Case 2	80%	58%		
Case 3	100%	92%		

# **Conclusions Drawn from Data:**

The students in the first cohort met our benchmarks. The students in the second cohort did not.

# Changes to be Made Based on Data:

We are reviewing questions and will continue to monitor progress.

# **Rubric:**

# CIT434 - Ethics Response Rubric

Points	1	2	3	4	5
Case 1	Do nothing.	Option between do nothing and confronting the employee or terminating the employee.	Confront him and remove the expenses since they are essentially stealing.	Option between confronting the employee and offering him assistance.	Confront him and remove expense but offer assistance.
Case 2	Use it.	An option between using it and not using it for fear of getting caught, such as making modifications so getting caught is not likely.	Do not use it because you are afraid of getting caught.	An option between not using for fear of getting caught and discussing it with the engineer.	Do not use it because it would be stealing, and discuss with engineer why decision was made.
Case 3	Use it.	An option between using it and not using it for fear of getting caught, such as making modifications so getting caught is not likely.	Do not use it because you are afraid of getting caught.	An option between not using for fear of getting caught and discussing it with the engineer.	Do not use it because it would be stealing, and discuss with engineer why decision was made.