

Assessment Committee

October 15, 2015

Agenda

- Committee mission and meeting schedule
- The committee's evaluation criteria for assessment processes
- Review and provide feedback on 2014-2015 assessment reports from academic programs

The Committee's Mission

1. Raise the visibility of student learning outcomes assessment within NYIT
2. Maintain a common, unified, mission-driven process for all of NYIT's academic programs
3. Improve teaching and learning by increasing faculty participation in and knowledge of assessment

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4. Provide feedback to chairs and faculty about whether their assessment processes meet the criteria for assessment set by the committee based on Middle States standards.
5. Prepare a formal annual report on the status of assessment at the university, including recommendations for improvement.

Calendar (AC)

<https://my.nyit.edu/group/academic-senate/calendar>

ASSESSMENT COMMITTEE (3)	TIME	LOCATION
Thursday, October 15 (week 6)	12:45 pm – 02:10 pm	DL-2/706
Thursday, December 3 (week 13)	12:45 pm – 02:10 pm	DL-2/706
Thursday, March 3 (week 6)	12:30 pm – 01:50 pm	DL-2/706
Thursday, April 14 (week 11)	12:30 pm – 01:50 pm	DL-2/706

The process criteria

1. The program identified learning outcomes to assess for 2014-15 academic year or identified an alternative assessment focus;
2. The program analyzed student work or other evidence of learning;
3. The program come to some conclusions based on the analysis of students' work or other evidence of learning;

Process criteria

4. Using the conclusions from the analysis, the department proposed actions or steps to improve students' learning;
5. Accountability and a timeline are specified for the actions or interventions;
6. There is an assessment plan for 2015-2016.