

GSW Academic Assessment Update

September 13, 2024



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Agenda

- Kudos to Academic Programs (SACSCOC onsite committee was impressed with our Assessment of Degree Programs and General Education)
- Submission Date for 2023-24 Annual Reports
 - **October 31, 2024**
- Ongoing Unit Assessment
- Unit Strategic Plan Progress

Academic Unit Assessment of Programs

Annual Assessment and Reporting Cycle 2021-2024

Year One of Cycle 1 (AR due October 31, 2022)	Year Two of Cycle 1 (AR due October 31, 2023 November 17, 2023)	Year Three of Cycle 1 (AR due October 31, 2024)
<p>Revisit Unit Assessment Plan (for next three years)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Outcomes designed to assess accomplishment of Unit Mission • Outcome Measures • Schedule of Data Collection and Analysis • Assessment Data Collection (from 2021-22) 	<p>Assessment Plan Implementation</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Data Collection (from 2022-23) 	<p>Third-Year Assessment Report</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Results of assessment data for last three years (2021-24) • Analysis of data trends for last three years (2021-24) • Plans for improvement (2024-27)

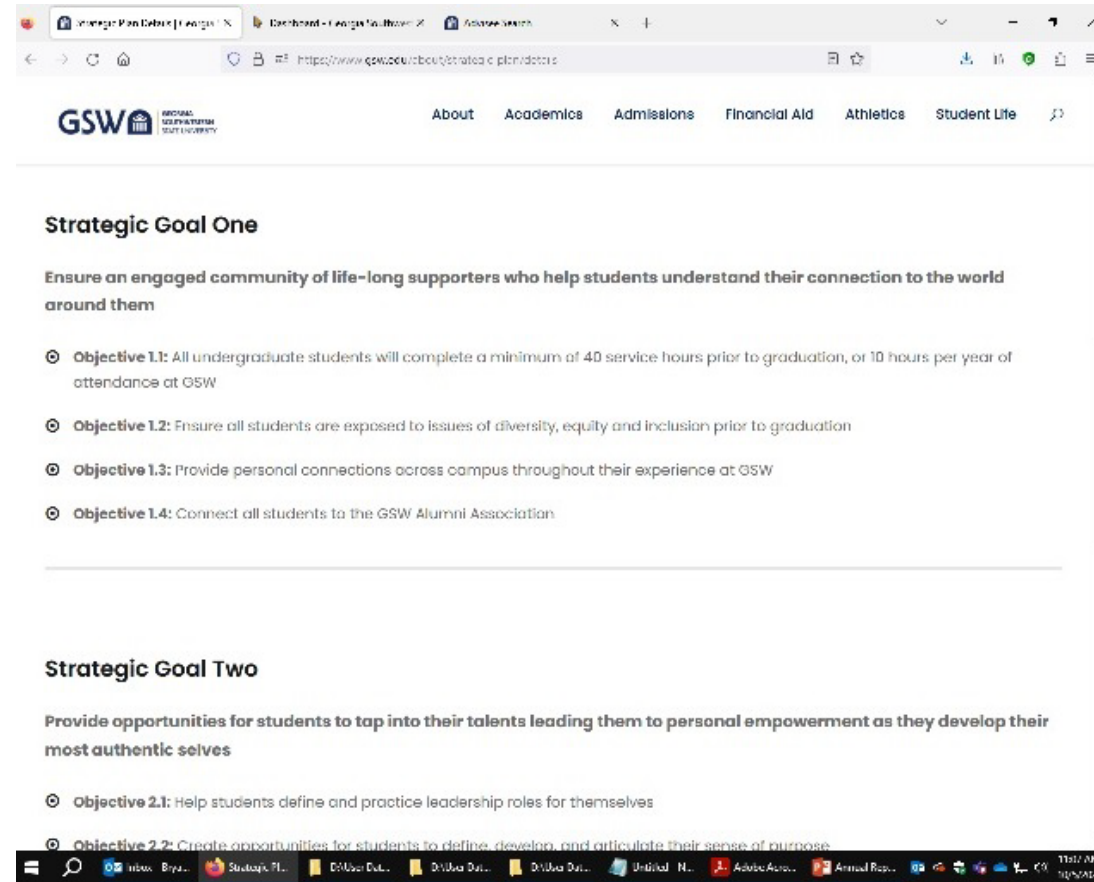
Academic Unit Assessment of Programs

- We are in Year Three of our three-year cycle
- Which means that Three-Year Trend Reports are due this year
 - Assessment results from the last three years (2021-22, 2022-23, & 2023-24)
 - Analysis of results: are we meeting our targets?
 - Closing the loop: what can we do to improve student success?
 - What were the outcomes of actions for improvement in the pervious assessment cycle (FY 2019-21)?
- Next Assessment Cycle: Assessment plans not only for degree programs, but also for certificate programs if . . .

General Education Assessment

- General Education CPR available for review
- Core IMPACTS Assessment Planning
 - Assess all courses in the Core
 - Continue with Three-Year Rotation
 - Distribute assessments with awareness of who must assess what courses
- Details will be worked out by the Ad Hoc General Education Committee
- New Plan Implementation Spring 2025
- **How do you plan to introduce Career Ready Competencies in the classes you teach?**
- **Baseline CRC Survey (instrument developed by USG)**

GSW Strategic Plan



GSW Unit Strategic Plan Progress

GSW Unit Strategic Plan Progress Report 2023

Unit:

GSW Strategic Goal One	Ensure an engaged community of life-long supporters who help students understand their connection to the world around them
GSW Strategic Objective 1.1	All undergraduate students will complete a minimum of 40 service hours prior to graduation, or 10 hours per year of attendance at GSW
Unit Objective that Aligns with GSW Objective 1.1	
Brief Summary of Progress on Unit Objective.	
GSW Strategic Objective 1.2	Ensure all students are exposed to issues of diversity, equity and inclusion prior to graduation
Unit Objective that Aligns with GSW Objective 1.2	
Brief Summary of Progress on Unit Objective.	
GSW Strategic Objective 1.3	Provide personal connections across campus throughout their experience at GSW
Unit Objective that Aligns with GSW Objective 1.3	
Brief Summary of Progress on Unit Objective.	
GSW Strategic Objective 1.4	Connect all students to the GSW Alumni Association
Unit Objective that Aligns with GSW Objective 1.4	
Brief Summary of Progress on Unit Objective.	

Tools on Institutional Effectiveness Website

- Assessment and Planning Resources:
<https://www.gsw.edu/academic-affairs/iep/assessment-planning>.
- Unit Strategic Plan Template
- Unit Strategic Plan Progress Template
- GSW Annual Report Template
- Unit Assessment Plan Tables
- Unit Assessment Results Table
- GSW Action Plan Form
- Rubrics used by IEC

QUESTIONS?

