

UK Core Summit

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Learning Outcomes

Students will demonstrate:

- an understanding of and ability to employ the processes of intellectual inquiry.
- competent written, oral, and visual communication skills both as producers and consumers of information.
- an understanding of and ability to employ methods of quantitative reasoning.
- an understanding of the complexities of citizenship and the process for making informed choices as engaged citizens in a diverse, multilingual world.



State of the Core

- Broad faculty involvement is critical to the continued success
- Currently in the third year of program implementation
- 236 total courses approved with 167 being taught in Fall 2013
- Course proposals (except for UKC) are processed in eCATS
- Need more Arts & Creativity, Social Sciences, and NPMS courses

UK Core Education Committee (UKCEC)

- Chaired by Dr. Ben Withers
- Standing committee of the Senate
- 10 voting faculty members
- Functions include:
 - Approval of courses
 - Long-term oversight (including periodic review)
 - Propose recommendations to enhance the program
 - Set policies for transfer/waiver credit

Assessment Update

- C&C and Citizenship evaluation took place in May 2013; Inquiry and Quantitative Reasoning will be May 2014
- All courses must upload an assignment for assessment purposes (every semester)
- Each outcome will be assessed every two years in May by faculty evaluators utilizing the area evaluation rubric

Center for the Enhancement of Learning & Teaching

Supports UK Core through:

- Course design consultations
- Workshops
- Mid-term class observations
- Disseminating research of best practices
- Leveraging learning technology
- CELT Studio to support flipped courses
- Highlighting UK Core faculty "Doing it Right"
- UK 101

Visit their website at www.uky.edu/CELT for support and information

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