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A two-part workshop with division chairs and deans took place on May 16 to develop SLO calendars for the next four-year assessment cycle and to align Program Student Learning Outcomes with Institutional and General Education Student Learning Outcomes. Nine division chairs participated, and another workshop is scheduled on May 22 for the remaining chairs and deans that did not attend. The calendar and mapping completion date is set for June 1.

The SLO Committee supported the Third Annual Poster Project Showcase on May 16 and worked with faculty and students to assess another cycle of Institutional SLO using a common rubric that was applied to the displayed student work. The data derived from the rubrics will be gathered for faculty and SLO Committee to reviewed and discussed. A report of the data will be available next month.

The Administrative Services Division has completed a full cycle of assessment of their areas this past April. The following Administrative Services units completed outcomes assessments: the Office of the Vice President/Procurement, Business Office, Information Technology, Personnel/Payroll, Staff Services (Reprographics/Bookstore), Facilities-Maintenance, and Plant Facilities-Operations).

Development of a WIKI page was started for West after the SLO Symposium that took place on April 12th. The finalized page will be available to view shortly. If you didn’t have a chance to attend on April 12th, all of the topics discussed and the valuable web links shown will be available on this webpage. Please look for a message about how to log in to the page shortly.

Please visit the SLO website to view the latest “SLO Cycle” diagram. The diagram allows a way to view what takes place in four years at West. The ongoing cycle of assessment, dialogue, implementation of changes and reassessment of all courses and SLOs is something that all faculty should be familiar with as you may be called upon to assess a course this semester or next. Please see the link on the next page to access the SLO Cycle Diagram.
The SLO Committee reports to the Academic Senate through the Curriculum Committee.

The SLO Committee meets on the third Monday of the month from 1 to 2:30 pm in Winlock.

SLO News can also be accessed online at www.wlac.edu/slo.

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