Departmental and Program Assessment
Annual Assessment Plan Report

Academic Year: 2005-06

Academic Department or Program: Department of History

Chair: Allison K. Shutt

Describe any changes in the Assessment Plan that have made during this academic year. (If changes have been made, please submit an electronic copy of the revised Assessment Plan to Amanda Hurd.)

Department members will provide all History majors who complete “research” papers required for the major formal, written feedback. In addition, the department will maintain an archive of each student papers and all professors’ comments.

Describe which assessment data have been collected for the year and which have not.

Each faculty member has collected A, B, and C papers and exams in each History course taught. Our seniors take the ETS Major Field Test in History, a standardized general history exam taken by students nation-wide. We also have GRE scores for selected students. The chair collects the data from the ETS and GRE exams.

Describe any curricular or other programmatic changes that have been made that were based on the availability of your assessment data.

None this year.