College Arts, Humanities, and Social & Behavioral Sciences Assessment Council

The function of the CAHSBS Assessment Council shall be to assist the Dean in working with college programs to "create goals and concomitant guidelines, deadlines, and procedures that align with the undergraduate Institutional Learning Goals and with the campus-wide activities in student learning assessment." (FSU MSCHE Self-Study Report)

The goals of this council will be the following:

- Support instructional excellence and assurance of learning in CAHSBS programs.
- Assure that assessment planning is linked to strategic planning.
- Provide a support system for programs by helping them to develop plans to assess program effectiveness and student learning.
- Validate assessment plans and activities of programs.
- Review and validate the program assessments and information obtained.
- Encourage utilization of assessment information for improvement of programs.
- Recommend resource needs for coordination of assessment efforts.
- Maintain communication between CAHSBS and the university-wide assessment committees.
- Facilitate assessment training for faculty and staff.

Membership of the CAHSBS Curriculum Committee is defined by the following provisions:

- six members elected to staggered two-year terms
- two representatives from each of the three units within the College
- no two members from the same department may serve concurrently
- only tenured and tenure-track faculty are eligible to serve
- The Assistant Dean will serve in an advisory, non-voting role as an *ex officio* member of the council.
- The Director for Assessment and Institutional Research or a designee will serve in an advisory, non-voting role as an *ex officio* member of the council.

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Music	Communication	Political Science
Theatre & Dance	English/Foreign Lang.	Psychology
Visual Arts	History	Sociology
	Philosophy	