



Planning and Evaluation Tracking

College Year: 2008-09

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Purpose Statement:

Goal Statements	Objectives/Outcomes (including assessment tools and standards)	Results	Use of Results (including improvements and revisions)
1. Adequately prepare students for employment in the legal field	1. Upon graduating from the program, 90% of the graduates will be employed in the legal field, continuing their education, or in the military, based upon a post-graduation survey conducted 6-8 weeks after graduation. [Revised 4/28/08]	1. Fall 2007 Graduates: 4 of 8 students, or 50%, are employed in the legal field or continuing their education.	1. ANALYSIS 2007-2008: I am pleased that 50% met the criteria. PLAN OF ACTION: -Encourage students to pursue a bachelor's degree -Continuing posting available jobs on the Paralegal Majors page through MyAC.
2. Understanding of what constitutes the authorized practice of law.	2. Upon completion of the capstone LGLA-2307 Law Office Management course, 80% of the students will identify 5 of 7 things a paralegal may not do without being accused of the unauthorized practice of law. This will be determined by embedded questions using a final test.	2. 2007-2008. No data available.	2. ANALYSIS 2007-2008: No data because program director failed to collect it. PLAN OF ACTION: -Calendar collection of data at end of Fall 2008 term. -Ascertain that all part-time faculty are stressing what constitutes the unauthorized practice of law in each course. -Create the embedded question -Investigate collection of data through Web CT exam.

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