

University of Florida

Academic Affairs

Academic Colleges

College of Agricultural & Life Sciences

Certificates

Environmental Education and Communication

Environmental Education and Communication Graduate Certificate Mission

The Environmental Education and Communication graduate certificate program supports the missions of the college and university to serve the nation's and state's critical needs by contributing to a well-qualified and broadly diverse citizenry, leadership, and workforce. Specifically, this certificate will allow students from a variety of related disciplines to gain proficiency in the development and delivery of educational materials which focus on environmental topics. This certificate will also help potential employers recognize the additional skill set recipients possess.

2014-15 SLO 1: Knowledge

Describe and explain theories and practices of environmental education and communication.

SLO Area (select one): Knowledge (Grad)

Assessment Method

The Student Learning Outcomes will be assessed through a mandatory comprehensive essay which covers all subject matter described above. This essay will be scored for SLO purposes only, and will not impact the student's academic standing.

An essay score of 70% is considered a passing score for SLO assessment purposes.

2014-15 SLO 2: Skills

Apply and synthesize knowledge of environmental education and communication to develop programs and solve problems in the field.

SLO Area (select one): Skills (Grad)

Assessment Method

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Environmental Education and Communication AAP Detail

Start: 7/1/2014

End: 6/30/2015

Progress: Ongoing

Providing Department: Environmental Education and Communication

Responsible Roles: Dean (Turner, R)

Research (Graduate and Professional AAPs only)

Assessment Timeline (Graduate and Professional AAPs only)

Curriculum Map (UG AAPs only)

Assessment Cycle (All AAPs)

Environmental Education and Communication

College of Agricultural and Life Sciences

Analysis and Interpretation:

May – June annually

Improvement Actions:

Completed by August 1 of each year

Dissemination:

Completed by September 1 of each year

SLOs	Year	13-14	14-15	15-16	16-17
#1		X	X	X	X
#2		X	X	X	X

Methods and Procedures (UG and Certificate AAPs) & SLO Assessment Matrix (UG AAPs only)

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SLO Assessment Rubric (All AAPs)**Measurement Tools (Graduate and Professional AAPs Only)****Assessment Oversight (All AAPs)**

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Academic Assessment Plan Entry Complete: