

ACADEMIC LEARNING COMPACTS

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND HUMANITIES WRITING AND RHETORIC - B.A.

Discipline Specific Knowledge, Skills, Behavior and Values

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Critical Thinking

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Assessment of Writing and Rhetoric - B.A. Outcomes

These outcomes will be assessed using a variety of assessment methods, including:

- Papers/projects from core and other select courses
- Digital and multimedia projects from select courses
- Student writing e-portfolios
- Focus groups of current students
- Graduating student survey
- Employer survey
- Community partner survey
- Alumni survey and Facebook group
- Periodic curriculum reviews