

KU Core Course Nomination Form – G2, LO1

For inclusion in the KU Core, the department offering a course or educational experience must complete this form to indicate how it will meet the criteria associated with this goal and learning outcome. To nominate a course for additional learning outcomes, please complete the appropriate form for each outcome. Before beginning this process, you may wish to consider the questions you will be asked and the information you will be expected to provide.

Please note that it may be useful to copy and paste the requested information from a word processing program.

Contact Information

Please provide contact information for the primary contact person.

Name *

First Last

Email *

Preferred Phone Number *

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Submitting School/College *

Submitting Department *

Certification of Approval

Has the department approved the nomination of this course to the KU Core? *

- Yes
 No

Name of person giving departmental approval: *

Date of departmental approval: *

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Course Information

Please provide the following information about the course being nominated for the KU Core.

Course Title: *

Course Subject Code and Number: *

Current Course Description *

Do all instructors of this course agree to include content that enables students to meet KU Core learning outcome(s)? *

- Yes
 No

Do all instructors of this course agree to develop and save direct evidence that students have met the learning outcomes(s)? *

- Yes
 No

Is the course cross-listed? *

- Yes
 No

List any cross-listing and/or honors courses associated with the course you are nominating. Please specifically note when approval was given and who gave approval in the other department(s). *

Do all cross-listed departments and honors program partners agree to develop and save direct evidence that students have met the learning outcomes(s)?

- Yes
 No

Is the course also a degree requirement? *

- Yes
 No

Does the course require any prerequisites? *

- Yes
 No

If yes, please list the prerequisites: *

Abstract

Provide an abstract (1000 characters maximum) that summarizes how this course meets the learning outcome. *

Maximum Allowed: 1000 characters. *Currently Used: 0 characters.*

Application for Approval

Upon reaching this goal, students will be able to analyze and evaluate assumptions, claims, evidence, arguments, and forms of expression; select and apply appropriate interpretive tools.

To have your course or educational experience approved as meeting this learning outcome you need to:

1. State what aspects of your course or educational experience will include instruction in how to: (Please limit responses to 1000 characters.)

- a) Analyze how language and rhetorical choices vary across texts and different institutional, historical, and/or public contexts.
- b) Demonstrate rhetorical flexibility within and beyond academic writing.
- c) Revise and improve their own writing. *

Maximum Allowed: 1000 characters. *Currently Used: 0 characters.*

2. State what writing assignments (a minimum of 2000 words/course) in English will include at least three different types of writing for different purposes, audiences, or media. (Please limit responses to 1000 characters.) *

Maximum Allowed: 1000 characters. *Currently Used: 0 characters.*

3. State how your course will deliver structured feedback to students that leads to revision and sequential improvement of their texts (for example, through the revision of successive drafts). (Please limit responses to 1000 characters.) *

Maximum Allowed: 1000 characters. *Currently Used: 0 characters.*

4. State how you will evaluate the quality of students' written communication and how you will use this evaluation for a supermajority (greater than or equal to 60%) of the final course grade. (Please limit responses to 1000 characters.) *

Maximum Allowed: 1000 characters. *Currently Used: 0 characters.*

Documenting Student Achievement

Please include a copy of the syllabus.

You may also append documents that help to demonstrate how your course or educational experience will enable students to achieve the learning outcome(s) indicated, and how you will document student achievement.

Attach a copy of the syllabus *

No file selected.

Optional Supporting Documents/Evidence

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Submitting your nomination

When you submit this form, the College/School will receive a copy of your submission. A copy of your submission will also be sent to the email address you listed above.

Depending on its practice, the College/School will forward this nomination to its curriculum committee or will allow it to move directly to the University Core Curriculum Committee.

By clicking submit, you understand that KU Core courses and educational experiences will be reviewed periodically and considered for continued approval for and inclusion in the KU Core. To support re-approval, a department will be expected, at a minimum, to (a) identify exam questions, projects, assignments, etc., that address learning outcomes; (b) preserve direct evidence and evaluation of a representative sample of student work from those elements of the course; (c) comment on how well students have achieved the learning outcomes; (d) indicate what will be worked on in the future to improve student achievement. Sample rubrics are available on the KU Core web site.
