## 1. Log In

- Go to: <u>https://foothill.tracdat.com</u>
- Username: Your last name and first name, example: "smithjohn"
- Password: default set to "password"

• You may customize your account with a new password by going to the "Home" tab, and then the "Profile" sub-tab. At the bottom of the screen you will see a "Change Password" button.

| Home | Program  | Program | n Assessment Plan | Assessment Findings | Reports | Documents |
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| Sumn | nary Cal | lendar  | Profile           |                     |         |           |

# 2. Finding your Department/Course

• In TracDat, all courses are "owned" by departments. Select your department from the drop down menu at the top of the page. If you are unable to see a Department or Program you are connected to, make note of it to give to your Division SLO Representative.

| Selected Unit: | Department - Art (ART)                                | \$ |
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| _              | Reporting Units                                       |    |
| nent Course A  | Division - Fine Arts                                  |    |
| ry Calendar    | Programs  |    |
| 21             | Department - Art (ART)                                |    |
|                | Department - Communication Studies (COMM)             |    |
|                | Department - Fine Arts (FA)                           |    |
| First Name: *  | Department - Graphic & Interactive Design (GID)       |    |
|                | Department - Performing Arts (PA)                     |    |
| Last Name: *   | Department - Theatre Arts (THTR)                      |    |
|                | Department - Video Arts (VART)                        |    |
| Email: *       | Program (FA-ARTG) - Art General AA/CA                 |    |
|                | Program (FA-ARTG) - Art General CA                    | Ψ  |
| Title:         | Program (FA-ARTH) - Art History AA/CA                 |    |
|                | Program (FA-ARTH) - Art History CA                    |    |
| Degree:        | Program (FA-ARTS) - Art Studio AA/CA                  |    |
|                | Program (FA-ARTS) - Art Studio CA                     |    |
| Phone:         | Program (FA-COMM) - Communication Studies AA          |    |
|                | Program (FA-GID) - Graphic & Interactive Design AA/CA |    |
|                | Program (FA-GID) - Graphic & Interactive Design CA    | 4  |
|                | Program (FA-MUSI) - Music Technology AA/CA            | v  |

# 3. Input/Edit Course-Level SLOs

• By the third week of each quarter, you should have entered in your reflections for any courses you taught in the previous quarter. Each course must have SLO reflections logged in at least once for each year it is taught.

• After you have found your department, you will click on the "Course Assessment Plan" tab and then the "Course-Level SLOs" sub-tab. Here you will select the course you wish to edit. If your SLO is not entered, you may do so by selecting the "Add New Course-Level SLO" button.

• You can edit or update your SLOs by clicking the "edit" link next to the respective SLO. Make sure you "Save Changes" after each edit.

|   | Course:                  | ART 1 - INTRODUCTION TO ART   |                            |                           | <b>\$</b>            |  |
|---|--------------------------|---|----------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------|--|
|   | Course-Level<br>SLO Name | Course-Level SLO  | Course-Level SLO<br>Status | Created By                |                      |  |
| ۲ | 1 - Evaluate<br>Artwork  | A successful student will be able to evaluate and interpret in<br>writing artwork produced in a variety of media (e.g.,<br>photography, printmaking, painting, and performance, etc.) by a<br>selection of contemporary artists (e.g., Lorna Simpson, Guillermo<br>Gomez-Pena, Hung Liu, etc.) whose work exemplifies the<br>creativity of multicultural America. | Active                     | Department - Art<br>(ART) | edit   copy   delete |  |

#### 4. Choosing an Assessment Method for your Course-Level SLO

• Stay within the "Course Assessment Plan" tab, and select the "Means of Assessment" sub-tab.

- Make sure the appropriate course is selected in the drop-down menu.
- Select the appropriate CL-SLO you would like to choose an assessment method for.
- You can now select the "Add New Assessment Method" button.
- Select an assessment method from the drop-down menu and provide a brief description of the method.
- Provide a brief description of the target for the assessment results.
- Save changes and return.

| Course:  | INTRODUCTION TO ASIAN ART  |  |
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| Course-Level SLO Name:   | 1 - The Buddha   |  |
| Course-Level SLO:  | A successful student will be able to analyze Buddhist iconography and recognize specific aspects/attributes of the Buddha when he is portrayed in art. |  |
| Assessment Method Type:  | Essay/Journal  |  |
| * 3-5 page essay on a portrayal of the Buddha in a piece of art.<br>Assessment Method: |  |  |
| Target for Success:  | 80% of students will receive a grade of 3 or higher on the 5-point rubric.   |  |
| Notes:   |  |  |
| Active:  |  |  |
| Save Changes   | Discard Changes Relate Document Assign Return  |  |

#### 5. Linking a Course-Level SLO to an Institutional-Level SLO

• Stay within the "Course Assessment Plan" tab, and select the "Related Institutional Goals" sub-tab.

• Make sure the appropriate course and CL-SLO are selected in the drop-down menus.

• Select the appropriate IL-SLO you would like to link your course to. You can choose more than one if it is appropriate.

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|        | Course   | ART 12 - IN                   | TRODUCTION TO ASIAN ART   |
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| Course |  | 1 . The Bud                   |   |
| Course | -Level SLO Name:                                     | - The bud                     |   |
|        | Created By:  | Department                    | - Art (ART)   |
| C      | Course-Level SLO:                                    | A successful<br>specific aspe | student will be able to analyze Buddhist iconography and recognizects/attributes of the Buddha when he is portrayed in art.   |
|        | Foothill ILOs  |                               |   |
|        | Core Competence                                      | y                             | ILO   |
| V      | Communication  |                               | Demonstrate analytical reading and writing skills including<br>evaluation, synthesis, and research; deliver focused and<br>coherent presentations; demonstrate active, discerning<br>listening and speaking skills in lectures and discussions.         |
|        | Computation  |                               | Complex problem-solving skills, technology skills, computer<br>proficiency, decision analysis (synthesis and evaluation), apply<br>mathematical concepts and reasoning, and ability to analyze<br>and use numerical data.                               |
| Ø      | Creative, Critical<br>Analytical Thinki              | , and<br>ng                   | Judgment and decision making, intellectual curiosity, problem<br>solving through analysis, synthesis and evaluation, creativity,<br>aesthetic awareness, research method, identifying and<br>responding to a variety of learning styles and strategies. |
|        | Community/Glob<br>Consciousness an<br>Responsibility | al<br>d                       | Social perceptiveness, including respect, empathy, cultural<br>awareness, and sensitivity, citizenship, ethics, interpersonal<br>skills and personal integrity, community service, self-esteem,<br>interest in and pursuit of lifelong learning.        |
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#### 6. Entering CL-SLO Assessment Results

- Select the "Assessment Findings/Reflection" tab and then the "By Course" sub-tab.
- Select the course you would like to enter assessment findings for.
- Click the "Add Assessment Finding/Reflection" button.
- Select the appropriate CL-SLO you would like to enter assessment results for.

• A pop-up window will ask you to select which designated Assessment Method you would like to enter assessment information for. Select the appropriate method.

• The "Assessment Finding/Reflection" box is where you'll enter your actual assessment data, e.g. "80% of students scored a 3 or higher on the rubric."

• Select the "Year This Assessment Occurred," which signifies which year you are reporting results for, and if you met or did not meet your target.

• You may now add a resource request if applicable.

• Use the "IL-SLO Reflection" box to document your reflection(s) about how your assessment findings connect with the Institutional <u>SLOs</u> (a.k.a. the "Four Cs").

• Summarize any associated follow-up action using the "add Action Plan" link.

• Finally, if applicable, you can relate a document to this assessment using the tabs at the bottom of your screen.

• Save Changes and Return.

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| Course-Level SLO:                        | SLO 1 - knowledge demonstration : Demonstrate knowledge of mental disorders  |
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| Assessment Method:                       | Exam - Course Test/Quiz - The exams require students to have read and understood criteria for mental disorders in different categories, in order to correctly answer test questions. |
| Target for Success:                      | Students will receive passing grades indicating a competency level of understanding of mental disorders.   |
| *<br>Assessment Finding/Reflection:      | Students are able to learn and apply the information correctly using categories set by the APA and discussed and practiced through class discussions and homework.                   |
| Assessment Finding/Reflection *<br>Date: | 9/10/2012 Result: * Target Met   |
| Year This Assessment *<br>Occurred:      | 2011-2012 🛟  |
| Resource Request:                        | 2  |
| GE/IL-SLO Reflection:                    | This addresses core competencies of Communication as well as Creative and Analytical thinking and Community and Global Consciousness and Responsibility ?                            |

# 7. Running a Basic Report (Four Column)

• The Four Column Report is useful for viewing all assessments in the department or program. This particular report will be used in the Annual Program Review process to help to have a global view of the Student Learning Outcomes Assessment Cycle.

- Select the "Reports" tab at the top of your screen.
- Select the "Course" sub-tab.
- Click "run" next to the "Unit Course Assessment Report Four Column"
- Click "Open Report." The report will automatically download.

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|  | Department - N   | lathematics (MATH)  |                                    |
| ourse-Level SLOs   | Means of Assessment & Targets for<br>Success / Tasks   | Assessment Findings   | Reflection/Action Plan & Follow-Up |
| partment - Mathematics (MATH) - MATH<br>- ELEMENTARY STATISTICS - Identify<br>pes of Data and Statistical Information -<br>te student will be able to distinguish<br>tween quantitative and qualitative data;<br>mple and population; descriptive statistics<br>d inferential statistics. (Created By<br>partment - Mathematics (MATH))<br>sessment Cycles:<br>11-2012 | Assessment Method:<br>Students are given a mid-term in week 5<br>featuring key concepts, including sample<br>and population.<br>Assessment Method Type:<br>Exam - Course Test/Quiz<br>Target for Success:<br>80% of students will pass the test. | 09/15/2011 - 82% of students passed in Spring<br>2011. (This is an example assessment for training<br>purposes. May be deleted.)<br>Result:<br>Target Met<br>Reporting Year:<br>2010-2011<br>Resource Request:<br>More calculators may improve pass rate. |                                    |
| purse-Level SLO Status:<br>ttive   |  |   |                                    |
| partment - Mathematics (MATH) - MATH<br>- ELEMENTARY STATISTICS - Graphing<br>he student will be able to read a graph<br>d conclude what information the graph is<br>voying about the data. (Created By<br>partment - Mathematics (MATH))<br>seessement Cycles:<br>111-2012  |  |   |                                    |
| ourse-Level SLO Status:<br>tive  |  |   |                                    |
| partment - Mathematics (MATH) - MATH<br>- ELEMENTARY STATISTCS -<br>saures Used to Solve Application<br>oblems. The student will be able to<br>fuculate measures of central tendency,<br>spersion and relative standing and use<br>see measures to solve application<br>oblems. (Created By Department -<br>athematics (MATH))<br>seessement Cycles:<br>111-2012       |  |   |                                    |
| ourse-Level SLO Status:  |  |   |                                    |

#### **Timeline Info:**

• Course Level SLOs are entered by the 3<sup>rd</sup> week of the quarter for the previous quarter's classes.

• Each course must be reflected on once per Academic Year.