

Innovation (Graduate)

Definition: Innovation is the ability to combine, synthesize and apply existing ideas, knowledge, and experiences in original ways that can make a contribution to a community and/or society.

GOAL: Students will be capable of and effective in contributing toward the innovation process.

OBJECTIVES/INDICATORS: Students will have the ability not only to identify, but also to realize new approaches and solutions when addressing opportunities and challenges confronting a community and/or society.

Traits	1. Does Not Meet Expectations	2. Meets Expectations	3. Exceeds Expectations	Points
<p>Question and Challenge Ideas/Concepts:</p> <p>Asking “why/how” questions as well as “why not” questions where appropriate.</p>				
<p>Relate and Connect Ideas/Concepts:</p> <p>Making associations between things not previously as well as not usually considered.</p>				
<p>Develop Ideas/Concepts:</p> <p>Creating novel and unique possibilities through the consideration of complementary and contradictory perspectives .</p>				
<p>Transform Ideas/Concepts into Action: (e.g., activities, products, processes, etc.)</p> <p>Utilizing resources to translate ideas/concepts into practices.</p>				
Total:				