

Service-learning Course Development Form

Course: _____

Year(s) of students enrolled: First Year _____ Sophomore _____ Junior _____ Senior _____ Grad _____

Learning Outcomes Related to Service-learning:

- A. Knowledge outcomes: What is the subject area and content that the students will master through this service-learning experience?

- B. Skills outcomes: What skills will the students be expected to develop? (writing, problem solving, critical thinking, interpersonal, etc)

- C. Attitudes/Values: What attitudes or values do you hope the students will develop?

- D. Other outcomes: (emotional, spiritual, leadership, commitment to civic engagement, etc.)

Service-learning activities:

- A. What service activities could your students engage in that would enable them to fulfill any or all of course outcomes A-D (listed previously)? Is there a population or geographic location that you would prefer to have your students' partner with in this class?

- B. What criteria will you use to select your service location? Will you predetermine the service recipient or will the students select?

- C. What reflection activities will you use to connect the service with the learning (written assignments, oral discussion, project, drama, small group activities)?

- D. What format will the students participate in service? (individually, groups, as a class)

- E. How much service will you require? (specific hours, certain number of visits, project-based)

- F. What is the timeline for the service-learning? Will the students begin service at the beginning of the term, half was through, towards the end? Is this a one-time experience or several?

- G. What orientation will be needed at the community organization and with the students?

- H. Are there any legal implications to be considered?

- I. What resources or set-up is needed? (IRB approval, transportation, supplies)

Evaluation/assessment:

- A. How will you evaluate/grade the students? What evidence and criteria will be used for awarding credit?

- B. How will you integrate service recipient feedback?