

Assessment Plan – MA/MS in Interdisciplinary Studies  
Office of Graduate Studies

SLO	2017-2018	2018-2019	2019-2020	2021-2022	2022-2023
<b>#1: Students will demonstrate an understanding of the meaningful interconnections between their program disciplines.</b>		Assessment Committee will assess all students' justification statements, initial program plans, and final program plans going back 5 years using a rubric.			
<b>#2 Students will demonstrate the ability to produce scholarly research relevant to their disciplinary fields, utilizing appropriate methods and engaging in theoretical application to practice, advanced data analysis, and sound academic writing.</b>			Assessment Committee will assess all Fall 2018- Spring 2020 IDST student theses and projects using a rubric developed for this purpose		Assessment Committee assess all Fall 2020- Spring 2023 IDST student theses and projects using a rubric developed for this purpose
<b>#3: Students will demonstrate advanced skills in oral presentation and communication commensurate with their disciplinary expectations.</b>		Graduate Coordinator and thesis committee will assess this SLO at each student's oral defense using a rubric.		Graduate Coordinator and thesis committee will assess this SLO at each student's oral defense using a rubric.	
<b>#4: Students will demonstrate comprehensive knowledge and expertise from at least two disciplines to fulfill their academic and professional goals.</b>	Graduate Committee will assess the past 5 years of students' culminating activities using a rubric and will conduct a survey of alumni careers.				Graduate Committee will assess the past 5 years of students' culminating activities using a rubric and will conduct a survey of alumni careers.