Rochester Institute of Technology AMS » National Technical Institute for the Deaf » Engineering Studies Applied Mechanical Technology AAS Program

2019-2020 Assessment Cycle

## Assessment Plan

#### **Mission Statement**

## **Mission Statement - Engineering Studies**

# **Primary Vision**

The Department of Engineering Studies will be a leader in providing technical education, academic support, and encouragement to prepare deaf and hard-of-hearing students for careers in engineering, engineering technology and engineering-related fields.

#### **Mission Statement**

The Department of Engineering Studies' mission is to provide the best academic experience for our students' growth and achievement during their learning experiences at RIT/NTID in preparation for a successful career.

The Department of Engineering Studies will offer intensive real-world practices in technical classes taught by experienced faculty who communicate well with deaf and hard-of-hearing students. They provide opportunities for students to develop skill sets that are in demand by industry. Students gain fundamental skills for entry-level positions within engineering and engineering technology fields as well as advanced learning opportunities offered through the other colleges of RIT.

## **Measures**

### **Applied Mechanical Technology AAS Program Outcome Set**

Develop knowledge of traditional manufacturing techniques and how they relate to basic engineering concepts

Outcome: Demonstrate competency in design and manufacturing of mechanical components

▼ **Measure:** Mechanical Design & Fab [NETS-150] - Written Test

Course level Direct - Exam

Details/Description:

Acceptable Benchmark: 75% of students will achieve a grade of C (i.e., grade

of 75) or better on written test

Implementation Plan

(timeline):

Collection: annually at end of fall semester

beginning AY 2013/2014

Key/Responsible

Personnel:

Data collected by Assessment Coordinator

▼ **Measure:** Mechanical Design & Fab Lab [NETS-151] - Final Project

Course level Direct - Student Artifact

Details/Description:

Acceptable Benchmark: 75% of students will achieve a grade of C (i.e., grade

of 75) or better on a final project

Implementation Plan

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Collection: annually at end of fall semester

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Personnel:

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Preparation for entry to CAST manufacturing and mechanical engineering technology programs

Outcome: Demonstrate competency in core technical courses needed to meet admissions requirements into CAST manufacturing and mechanical engineering

▼ **Measure:** Complete Core Courses and Change of Program Form

Details/Description: Course grades and Change of Program form

Complete any four of the following courses and the

Change of Program Form.

Fundamentals of Engr. [NETS-101]
Foundations of Mat'l [NETS-110]
Foundations of Mat'l Lab [NETS-111]
Manufacturing Process [NETS-120]
Mechanical Design & Fab [NETS-150]
Lab Mechanical Design &Fab [NETS-151]

Acceptable Benchmark: 75% of students completing the AMT degree will

achieve a grade of C or better in all four core courses and be accepted into CAST mechanical or manufacturing engineering technology programs.

Implementation Plan

(timeline):

Collection: annually at end of spring semester

beginning AY 2013/2014

Key/Responsible

Personnel:

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Success in course work required in CAST mechanical or manufacturing engineering technology programs

Outcome: Demonstrate competency in analysis and design of structures and machine components

▼ **Measure:** Strength of Materials [MCET-221] - Course grade

Course level Indirect - Other

Details/Description:

Acceptable Benchmark: 75% of students will achieve a grade of C or better

Implementation Plan

Collection: annually at end of spring semester

(timeline):

beginning AY 2014/2015

Key/Responsible

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Personnel:

Success in CAST BS mechanical or manufacturing engineering technology programs

# Outcome: Earn BS degree in CAST mechanical or manufacturing engineering technology

**▼ Measure:** Graduation Rates

Details/Description:

Acceptable Benchmark: For AMT graduates who transfer to a CAST

engineering program, retention and graduation rates will not be significantly different than those of

other transfer students

Implementation Plan

(timeline):

Collection: annually at end of spring semester

beginning AY 2016/2017

Key/Responsible

Personnel:

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Achieve student satisfaction with AMT courses and program

Outcome: Graduates of the AMT program will indicate satisfaction with courses and program

▼ Measure: Student Satisfaction Survey Instrument or Focus Group Feedback Program level Indirect - Survey

Details/Description:

Acceptable Benchmark: 75% of students graduating will indicate

"satisfaction" with AMT courses and the program on the Student Satisfaction Survey Instrument or

Focus Group Feedback.

Implementation Plan

Collection: annually at end of spring semester

(timeline):

beginning AY 2014/2015

Key/Responsible Data collected by Assessment Coordinator
Personnel:

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