

Executive Summary

Q: A brief recap or highlights of the entire program review document. (500 words or less)

- Highlight major strengths and weakness.
- Highlight areas for improvement over the next 3-6 years.

Response:

Our department takes pride in delivering outstanding instruction to our students. While we have other responsibilities on campus, our most important job is teaching. We do this job very well. Our biggest strength is the 5 dynamic full-time instructors teaching in Economics and Philosophy.

Over the next 3-6 years, our most important task will be finding a suitable replacement hire for Ercument Aksoy who will be retiring in the future. Our department is focused on making a wise choice this hiring season.

In addition, our department is increasing the number of online classes we offer, both in Economics and Philosophy. Another challenge for us in the coming years will be to ensure that these online classes mirror the experience delivered in our face-to-face classes.

Our department also experiences dramatic differences in class sizes, with some sections completely full and others with relatively low enrollments. We would like to have a more consistent experience for students occurring across all of our sections.

Participants

Q: Please indicate the individuals that participated in the completion of this program review.

Response:

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Validation & Feedback

Validation Comments for Program

Q:

Response:

Not completed. -MJ
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Comments for Review Committees

Q:

Response:

Not completed. -MJ

