

**Texas Tech University
College of Arts & Sciences
Committee on Academic Programs
(ASCAP)**

**Minutes
of the meeting on
January 9, 2006**

The Arts and Sciences Committee on Academic Programs convened a scheduled meeting at 3:00 p.m. on Monday, January 9, in Holden Hall 129. Members present were Borst, Curzer, Hubbard, and Stewart (chair).

The single item on the day's agenda was to distribute and discuss a sample of degree program learning outcomes assessment plans. Plans for the following degree programs were distributed:

- BS in Biology
- MS in Chemistry
- BA in Spanish
- Ph.D. in Spanish
- Ph.D. in Environmental Toxicology
- Ph.D. in Mathematics
- B.A. in Economics
- B.S. in Economics
- Ph.D. in English
- Ph.D. in Technical Communication and Rhetoric

Committee members individually will review these plans and submit comments to the chair prior to the January 23 meeting. The objective is to compile a set of general comments about assessment plans for programs in Arts and Sciences. Any specific findings or comments of possible importance to a particular academic unit will be relayed to the chairperson following that meeting. Another sample of assessment plans from the remaining departments will be reviewed between January 23 and January 30.

The meeting adjourned at 3:30 p.m.

The next scheduled meeting of ASCAP is set for 3:00 p.m. January 23 in Holden Hall 129.