# **Ready to Submit Checklist**

For Inquiry Core Curriculum Courses

Use the following checklist prior to submission of your course in curriculog to ensure all documents are properly completed.

# **Core Course Approval Document**

### **OT36** Mapping

- □ Unique information is provided for each required outcome
- □ Column A indicates specific course learning outcomes and/or content that speaks to the indicated learning outcome
- □ Column B identifies specific activities/assignments related to the OT-36 outcome and explains how the activity/assignment relates to the outcome
- □ Column C identifies specific supporting material included in the submission, including specific sections/pages in the syllabus when it is used as the supporting material

#### **Inquiry Orientation**

- □ There are 1-3 overarching questions/problems which frame the course and would be engaging to first-year, non-major students
- □ Activities/assignments that actively engage students in *some* of the stages of inquiry are provided, with an emphasis on development of inquiry skills and not (merely) assessment
- □ The inquiry orientation of the course is evidenced to students through the design and language of the syllabus

### **Core Competency Mapping**

- □ For each required core competency, 2 of the provided learning outcomes are identified for emphasis
- □ For each core competency learning outcome, there is a specific instructional plan to promote development prior to (major) assessment

#### Signature Assessment

- □ The authenticity (to the discipline, profession, or society) of each signature assessment (minimum 1) is clearly explained
- □ Each core competency learning outcome is assessed in at least one signature assessment, and it is indicated *how* the outcome will be assessed through the assessment
- □ There is a clear and robust reflection assignment aimed at engaging students in thinking about some aspect of their learning in the course

# Syllabus

- □ Has all elements required by the <u>Faculty Senate Syllabus Template</u>
- □ Includes the <u>Core Curriculum Syllabus statement</u>, properly completed
- □ Explicitly and thoroughly presents the inquiry orientation of the course in a way that would be inviting and accessible to first-year, non-major students

### Signature Assessment(s) Overview

- □ Clearly explains the purpose of the assignment to students, especially highlighting the core competencies to be developed and assessed
- □ Provides criteria for evaluation of the work (such as a rubric), clearly indicating how the associated core competency learning outcomes will be assessed
- □ Reflection Assignment is structured to guide students through reflection on some aspect of their learning, either as it pertains to the specific assignment or to the course as a whole