

Core Prototypes for Review and Feedback

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Dear SLU community,

The University Undergraduate Core Committee is happy to present three prototypes for a SLU common undergraduate core. You can view a short presentation on our process [here](#). On February 1, the UUCC began reviewing core designs submitted by members of the SLU community. We received 11 complete core submissions and 28 core component submissions, together representing the work of 82 individual participants, including undergraduate and graduate students, staff, faculty and administration.

Between February 1 and April 5, the UUCC put in over 950 collective working hours to create the prototypes linked here for your review:

- [Review Prototype A here, including the mapped SLOs here](#)
- [Review Prototype B here, including the mapped SLOs here](#)
- [Review Prototype C here, including the mapped SLOs here](#)

A few caveats:

These three prototypes are **DRAFT** models. They differently value and prioritize what we saw in Core Invention workshops and Core Design submissions to imagine three distinct paths forward. No one prototype, by itself, will be the core we end up with, and it is possible that none is fully workable for SLU. We offer these prototypes to spark a campus-wide conversation about the benefits and tradeoffs of different approaches to a common core.

For all three prototypes, we would like to know:

- Which aspects of this prototype most resonate with you and why?
- Which aspects of this prototype seem feasible for SLU? Which do not, and why? If something seems desirable but unfeasible, what would we need to make it feasible?
- What are you not seeing here that you expected to see, or that you would have liked to have seen?

Once you have had a chance to review these prototypes, [please visit this Qualtrics survey to provide the UUCC with your feedback](#). The UUCC will also be holding open feedback sessions and brown bag discussion throughout the month of April. Check with your college / school / unit for dates and times.

And as ever, please visit our [core feedback form](#) with any larger questions, comments or concerns about the work of the UUCC.

With best regards,

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