Annual Report on Program Student Learning Outcomes Assessment

Program: MM in Music Theory, School of Music, CFA

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1. List the learning outcomes for the program (if you are new to program assessment, you might want to begin with 3-5 primary outcomes):

Students in the MM program in Music Theory will:

- Acquire secure knowledge of prevailing approaches to the theory and analysis of tonal and post-tonal music
- Develop facility in essential analytic and research techniques for tonal and post-tonal music and related topics
- Learn to critically assess theoretical approaches and to make informed analytic choices and judgments
- Develop proficiency in communicating theoretical concepts and analytic observations both verbally and in writing
- Acquire knowledge and skill in related fields such as music history and literature, musicology and ethnomusicology, composition, and performance
- Achieve reading competence in at least one foreign language
- Advance professional skills such as networking, conference participation, and formal presentation