## **Rubric: General Education Category 7: Humanities**

The goal of this category is to help students appreciate and understand the humanities. Courses in this category will address a humanities discipline through a variety of resources and critical approaches.

| Elements   | Target  | Acceptable  | Unacceptable   |
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| SLO 1: be able to<br>critically respond to<br>works in the<br>humanities;  | Student responds to<br>works in the humanities<br>through a critical<br>engagement.<br>Student demonstrates a<br>sophisticated ability to<br>do one or more of the<br>following: manipulate;<br>synthesize; critique;<br>apply; evaluate; analyze;<br>and interrogate the core<br>ideas of works in the | Student responds to<br>works in the<br>humanities through a<br>critical engagement.<br>Student demonstrates<br>basic ability to do one<br>or more of the<br>following: manipulate;<br>synthesize; critique;<br>apply; evaluate;<br>analyze; and<br>interrogate the core | Student inadequately<br>responds to works in the<br>humanities through a<br>critical engagement.<br>Student demonstrates a<br>limited ability to do one<br>or more of the following:<br>manipulate; synthesize;<br>critique; apply; evaluate;<br>analyze; and interrogate<br>the core ideas of works in<br>the humanities. |
| SLO 2: be able to<br>discuss major human<br>concerns as they are<br>treated in the<br>humanities                         | humanties.<br>Student demonstrates a<br>sophisticated ability to<br>articulate and defend a<br>position about the major<br>human concerns as they<br>are treated in the<br>humanities.  | ideas of works in the<br>humanities.<br>Student demonstrates<br>a basic ability to<br>articulate and defend<br>a position about the<br>major human<br>concerns as they are<br>treated in the<br>humanities.   | Student inadequately<br>articulates and defends a<br>position about the major<br>human concerns as they<br>are treated in the<br>humanities.   |
| SLO 3: demonstrate an<br>understanding of the<br>conventions and<br>methods of at least<br>one area in the<br>humanities | Student applies the<br>conventions and<br>methods of at least one<br>area in the humanities in<br>a sophisticated manner.   | Student applies the<br>conventions and<br>methods of at least<br>one area in the<br>humanities in a basic<br>manner.  | Student applies the<br>conventions and methods<br>of at least one area in the<br>humanities in an<br>inadequate manner.  |