Program Student Learning Outcomes

College:  Arts & Science
Program:  Library and Information Studies, MLIS

Upon completion of the M.L.I.S. in Library and Information Studies, students should be able to:

- Interpret, evaluate, and advocate the theories, principles, and practices that form the foundation of library and information science (American Library Association “ALA” Standard 2008 I.2.1).

- Interpret, evaluate and promote the use of information resources, technologies and services (ALA Standards I.2.1, I.2.9).

- Demonstrate professional attitudes regarding scholarship, professional ethics, intellectual freedom, and access to information in a democratic society (ALA Standards I.2.2, I.2.10).

- Demonstrate competency in communication, leadership, and management skills (ALA Standard I.2.4).

- Understand and critically evaluate research and professional literature in the LIS field (ALA Standards I.2.5, I.2.6).

- Analyze diverse information settings to design information systems and services to provide solutions to information problems (ALA Standard I.2.8, I.2.9).

- Apply appropriate basic research methods and techniques, when necessary, to conduct applied systematic inquiry (ALA Standards I.2.5, I.2.7).