

Abilene Christian University

Goals and Faculty Evaluation

Year 2014-15

Name Kelly Elliott

Department History

23 April 2014

Teaching

Teaching Goals for the Year (completed by June 1 by faculty member)

1. Develop and teach for the first time: Mongols, Poppies, and Satyagraha: China, India, and the West since the Fourteenth Century.
2. Update existing course assignments in upper level courses to encourage production of student papers for presentation at Undergraduate Research Festival and Phi Alpha Theta.
3. Continue refining Core 210; effectively incorporate more TurningPoint/ResponseWare technology.

Reflections on Goals (completed by March 1 by faculty member)

1. New course on Asia (Fall 2014). One of Kelly's favorite teaching experiences so far.
2. Students in "Mongols" presented their research in mock panels; 7 then presented at URF (Spr.'15)
3. Did learn more of the technology that is useful for CORE 210.

Chair's Evaluation of Goal Completion (completed by April 1)

Not met	Met	Met with Distinction
		X
	X	
	X	

Additional teaching activities not included in goals:

1. Taught new course (HIST 419)
- 2.

Not met	Met	Met with Distinction
	X	

Areas of Competence: Faculty are expected to develop competence in each of these areas (completed by April 1 by chair)

Student Satisfaction

Classroom Effectiveness

Syllabi NA

Integration of Faith/Learning NA

Class/Course Enhancement

Student Advising/Mentoring

Unsatisfactory Needs Improvement Effective Excellent

			X
			X
		X	
			X

Teaching (Overall rating by chair)

Unsatisfactory Needs Improvement Effective Excellent

			X
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Comments: Special commendation for the work in "Poppies" course, with good work helping students make progress in research abilities and confidence.

Scholarship

Scholarship/Creativity Goals for the Year (completed by June 1 by faculty member)

1. Present paper at Conference on Faith and History.
2. Complete book proposal and submit to a press.
3. Submit Obeah article to a peer-reviewed journal.

Reflections on Goals (completed by March 1 by faculty member)

1. Well received on a good panel.
2. Good news: Ashgate has requested (4/2015) to see entire book MSS; is interested.
3. Set aside for now to work on book project.

Additional scholarly/creative activities not included in goals:

1. Paper given at ASCH in 1/2014 was published in *Fides et Historia* 2015
- 2.

Scholarship/Creativity
(Overall rating by chair)

Chair's Evaluation of Goal Completion
(completed by April 1)

Not met	Met	Met with Distinction
		X
	X	

Not met	Met	Met with Distinction
	X	

Unsatisfactory Needs Improvement Effective Excellent

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Comments:

Good progress in scholarship, with a conference paper given, MSS submitted to Baylor (spring/summer 2014), then Ashgate. Published article in *Fides et Historia*, Spring 2015.

Service

Service Goals for the Year (completed by June 1 by faculty member)

1. Sponsor Phi Alpha Theta and take students to regional conference.
2. Collaborate with faculty and students on department chapel.
3. Make myself available to participate on a different university level committee, now that my term on the CASAC is complete.

Reflections on Goals (completed by March 1 by faculty member)

1. Worked with PAT, but conference canceled.
2. in addition, hosted Senior blessing; contributed to department needs in other ways.
3. ??

Not met	Met	Exceeded
	X	
	X	

Additional service activities not included in goals:

1. Serving as outside reviewer for student academic journal at Harding University.
2. Was on abstract review committee for URF 2015.
3. Has agreed to mentor department social activity committee for 2015-16.

Not met	Met	Exceeded
	X	
	X	

NOTE: Activities should reflect service in at least two of the following categories: Profession, University/College, Department, Community/Church.

Unsatisfactory Needs Improvement Effective Excellent

Service (Overall rating by chair)

		X	
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Chair's Comments: I have recommended Kelly not join a college or university committee at this time. Her service within the department has been stellar, and she can fulfill roles there that other dept. members cannot. With book manuscript to work on still, other commitments are not timely at the moment.

Summary Assessment by Department Chair

Written Comments:

1. Collegiality

Very good. Always available for dept. needs and fellowship. Hosted end of year Senior Blessing. Contributes to wonderful work environment. Outside department, her partnership with Lauren Lemley enriches collegial climate on campus.

2. Progress toward tenure

Very solid. I expect her application in fall 2015 to be successful.

3. Progress toward promotion

She should be promoted to Associate when she applies in Fall 2015.

4. Constraints on performance

None. Very good progress. Students love her AND learn immensely from her courses.

5. Comment on church membership

Active in various roles at Minter Lane C of C

6. Other

Kelly Elliott
Faculty

22 April 2015
Date

Department Chair

Date

