

Critical Thinking

Graduation Portfolio Rubric for Student Expectation # 7

Criteria	Proficient With Distinction (4)	Proficient (3)	Developing Proficiency (2)	Substantially Below Proficiency (1)
Identifies and Understands Problems	Identifies appropriate main issue and describes it accurately recognizing unstated implications	Identifies appropriate main issue and describes it accurately	Identifies the main issue without clear or sufficient explanation	Failure to identify or correctly explain the main issue
Evaluate Key Information	Evaluates all important evidence including implications and consequences Including sources point of view (if applicable)	Evaluates all important evidence clearly and precisely	Identifies data and information that counts as evidence but fails to evaluate its credibility	Unable to evaluate information or does so superficially
Synthesize Information	Formulate a clear and precise personal point of view, and acknowledges different points of view	Formulates a clear and precise personal point of view concerning the issue	Formulates a vague and indecisive point of view	Fails to clearly express own point of view