

**UW-Stout
University Priority 3
Initiated Fall 2004**

University Priority	Academic Programs
<p>One to two sentences summarizing the answer to the question: <i>“What solution are you proposing?”</i></p> <p>Revise programs in line with relevancy, structural guidelines, title and delivery options.</p> <p>Linkage to Strategic Plans <i>University of Wisconsin-Stout Strategic Plan</i></p> <p>Goal X: Goal Y: Goal Z:</p>	

Statement of the Issue:
<p>One to two sentences summarizing the answer to the question: <i>“What issue are you trying to solve?”</i></p> <p>Some programs are under enrolled; students are demanding more flexibility; reduced the number of credits to degree.</p>

Action Plan:	Responsible:	Timeline:
<p>Write 3 – 5 high level steps needed to accomplish the priority statement above.</p> <p><i>“What has to be done for this priority to succeed?”</i></p>	<p><i>“Who are the positions or people that will be responsible for each step?”</i></p>	<p><i>MUST be specific target completion date.</i></p>
<p>Clarify roles and responsibilities for program advisory committees.</p>		
<p>Create program data materials for use by program advisory committees.</p>		
<p>Using input from P.A.C. and external stakeholders, each program director will create a strategic plan for their program.</p>		

Implication for Resources:

“What is needed for this priority to succeed?”

(Human, fiscal, physical, other)

Shuffling of personnel

Key Measures of Performance:

Identify no more than two critical Measures of Performance when answering the question:

“What information will be collected to benchmark and measure the priority’s success?”

There will be fewer credits to degree:

Average Attempted Credits to Degree

Year of Graduation	Credits
1995-96	149
1996-97	149
1997-98	148
1998-99	146
1999-00	144
2000-01	144
2001-02	142
2002-03	143
2003-04	142
2004-05*	141

Increased number of program and course revisions: see performance indicators

Increased student enrollment following revisions: see performance indicators

Increased student satisfaction: see performance indicators

More rapid movement of undecided students into majors.

Decreased number of transfers out of Stout because of programmatic offerings.