I. GOALS RELATED TO FACILITIES

FACILITIES GOAL # 1. Complete planned move to renovated space in Moffett

FACILITIES GOAL # 2. Expand use of the (new) Brooks Museum following the move to Moffett

[Projected date of completion of Moffett Renovation: Spring 2009]

FACILITIES GOAL # 3. Expand use of Main Street facilities

The above facilities goals contribute to the achievement of Goal I of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “SUPPORT AND ENHANCE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE”

II. GOALS RELATED TO ENROLLMENTS

ENROLLMENT GOAL #1. In light, particularly, of steady increases in the number of Criminology majors, and in light of the implementation of a new major in archaeology:

Develop a long-term strategy to manage enrollments in all majors offered by the department while continuing to provide the highest quality of instruction and support to our students, while continuing to promote the highest academic standards, and maintaining curricular balance among our programs.

The above enrollment goal contributes to the achievement of Goal I of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “SUPPORT AND ENHANCE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE”

Due to the very nature of the curricula offered by the Sociology/Anthropology Department, the above enrollment goal also contributes to the achievement of Goal II of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “TO MAKE SUNY CORTLAND A MORE CULTURALLY COMPETENT INSTITUTION” and to Goal III of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “TO INTERNATIONALIZE THE CAMPUS”
III. GOALS RELATED TO CURRICULUM

CURRICULAR GOAL #1. Revise the Sociology major

CURRICULAR GOAL #2. Fully implement the new Archaeology major

CURRICULAR GOAL #3. Revise the Social Gerontology curriculum

CURRICULAR GOAL #4. Reassess the place of Sociology 100 (“American Society”) in the Sociology curriculum

CURRICULAR GOAL #5. Promote the further internationalization of the sociology, anthropology, and criminology curricula

CURRICULAR GOAL #6. Increase the number of courses offered by the department as a whole with service-learning and civic engagement components

CURRICULAR GOAL #7. Explore, in conjunction with other academic departments, the development of a forensic anthropology program

All of the above curricular goals contribute to the achievement of Goal I of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “SUPPORT AND ENHANCE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE”

Due to the very nature of the curricula offered by the Sociology/Anthropology Department, all of the above curricular goals also contribute to the achievement of Goal II of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “TO MAKE SUNY CORTLAND A MORE CULTURALLY COMPETENT INSTITUTION”

Curricular Goal #5 above also contributes directly to Goal III of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “TO INTERNATIONALIZE THE CAMPUS”

IV. GOALS RELATED TO (FACULTY) STAFFING

STAFFING GOAL #1. Reduce reliance on adjunct faculty

STAFFING GOAL #2. Increase the number of full-time faculty teaching Introduction to Sociology (Soc 150), American Society (Soc 100), and Introduction to Cultural Anthropology (ANT 102)

STAFFING GOAL #3. Restore two of the tenure-track faculty lines which were lost after recent retirements, one of which would be expressly intended both to contribute to the Sociology curriculum and to meet increased demand for Criminology courses.
All of the above faculty staffing goals contribute to the achievement of Goal I of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “SUPPORT AND ENHANCE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE”

All of the above faculty staffing goals also contribute significantly, if indirectly, to the achievement of Goal IV of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “SUPPORT RESEARCH AND SCHOLARSHIP THROUGH SPONSORED ACTIVITY”

V. GOALS RELATED TO STUDENT SUPPORT

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #1. Increase the availability and the number of students taking advantage of internship opportunities

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #2. Increase the number of majors studying abroad

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #3. Increase the number of foreign students studying in the department

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #3. Continue to improve the quality of academic advisement for majors

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #4. Provide better career planning assistance to majors

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #5. Expand affiliations with national honors societies

   STUDENT SUPPORT GOAL #6. Rejuvenate (in some form) the “Sociology/Anthropology Club”

All of the above student support goals contribute to the achievement of Goal I of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “SUPPORT AND ENHANCE ACADEMIC EXCELLENCE”

Student Support Goals #2 & #3 above also contribute directly to Goal III of the Academic Affairs Strategic Plan: “TO INTERNATIONALIZE THE CAMPUS”

VI. ADDITIONAL GOALS

   • Update and revise the department website

   • Review, revise, and (where necessary) create department by-laws

   • Promote faculty participation in international exchanges and research