

UNIVERSITY OUTCOMES

religious traditions and experiences while being faithful to personal beliefs and practices.

University Outcomes for All Undergraduates

The Concordia University graduate will be able to demonstrate the following competencies:

Critical Thinking – Identify the problem/issue; articulate solutions/perspectives; identify and assess key assumptions; identify and assess data and evidence; identify and consider of the influence of context; evaluate of the ethical dimensions and apply ethical principles; and synthesize conclusions, implications, and consequences.

Information Literacy – Prepare for research; generate search strategy and access resources; evaluate and process information; transfer and apply learning; incorporate information technology; practice legal and ethical use of information.

Oral Communication – Develop content into a well-organized oral presentation; use appropriate language and nonverbals to enhance the fluency of the presentation; effectively incorporate citations into the presentation; effectively tailor the presentation to the audience and respond appropriately to audience feedback.

Quantitative Reasoning – Translate verbal or written assertions into quantitative data; read, analyze, and interpret quantitative data, such as graphs, charts, or statistics; and support conclusions using quantitative data.

Writing – Relate content to an audience, develop and organize material, construct fluent sentences using standard grammar, mechanics and references.

Aesthetic Values – Relate how artistic expressions reflect philosophical, religious, and social thought in human communities; and recognize major forms of artistic expression in their culture.

Civic Values – Understand the value of participation in the civic infrastructure of the United States; recognize the similarities and differences between American civic policies, institutions, and beliefs and those of other communities, nations, cultures, and peoples throughout the world; and recognize the civic responsibility of the citizen and all levels of government to ensure a democratic and just vision for society.

Global Values – Pose critical questions about global issues and articulate arguments from a variety of global perspectives; identify and evaluate a variety of underlying cultural values that influence the diversity of ethics among cultures/countries; describe and interpret various aspects of other cultures relative to their own culture.

Interpersonal Values – Display effective interpersonal skills during interactions with others such that they accept and deliver constructive criticism; effectively resolve conflicts; demonstrate active listening strategies and other factors that contribute to positive relationships.

Physical Values – Demonstrate an understanding of and consistently implement health-conscious behaviors.

Spiritual Values – Identify and analyze narratives, theological themes, and literary types of the biblical texts; relate the Bible to Christian teachings and practice, particularly as these have been conveyed in the Lutheran tradition; state the central place of the Gospel in the teaching, life, and witness of the Christian church; respect those with differing