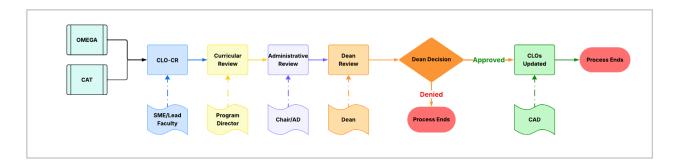


Outcomes Management for Evaluation, Governance, & Alignment (OMEGA) SME/Lead Faculty Request

Overview

This document provides a comprehensive guide for **SME/Lead Faculty** responsible for submitting Course Learning Outcome Change Requests (CLO-CR) within the OMEGA form. SME/Lead Faculty oversee the Course Outcome Catalog and Map documentation and submission process.

The CLO-CR has 4 distinct phases: SME/Lead Faculty Initial Request, Curricular Review, Operational Review, and Dean Review, which results in the Dean's decision to either approve or deny the CLO-CR.

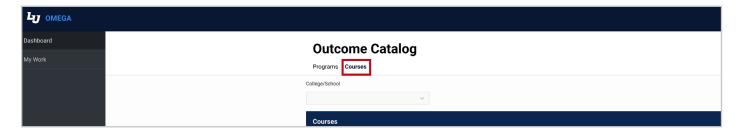


How to Access the CLO-CR Process in OMEGA

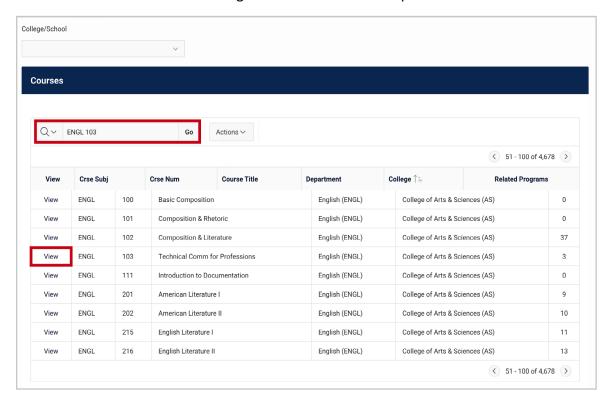
1. To access the OMEGA Form, visit www.Liberty.edu/OMEGA and log in using your Liberty University credentials.



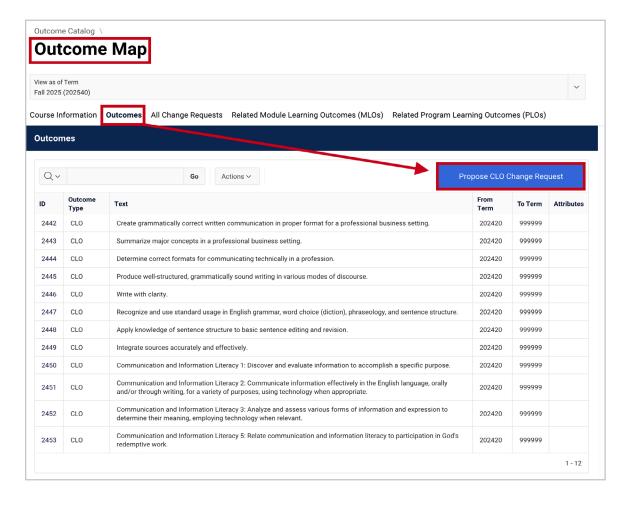
2. Select the **Courses** tab at the top of the page.



3. Locate the desired course using the search bar at the top or scroll down to find the course and click View.

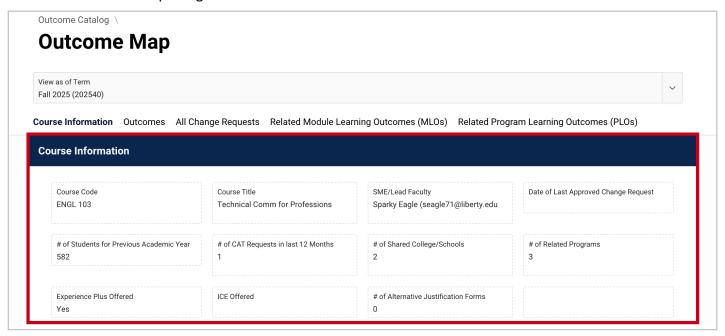


4. Once the Outcome Map page loads, go to the Outcomes tab and click Propose CLO Change Request.

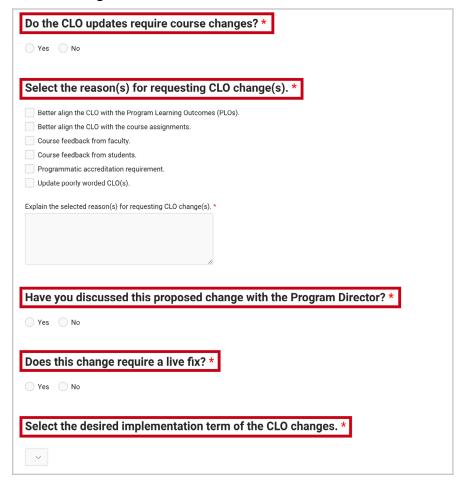


How to Submit a CLO Change Request

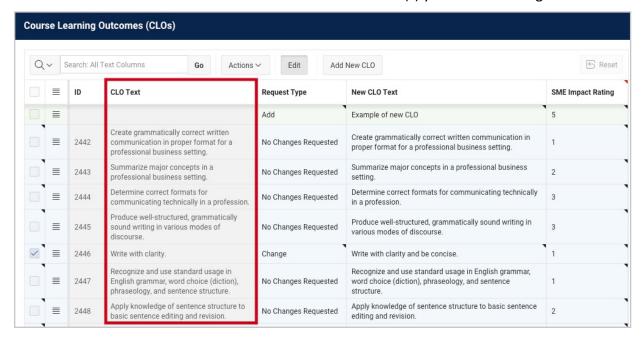
1. From the **Outcome Map** page, review the **Course Information** section that provides critical information to consider while completing the CLO-CR.



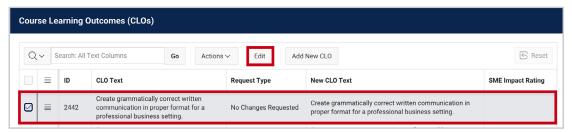
2. Navigate to the **Course Learning Outcomes (CLOs)** section and answer the questions about the proposed CLO changes.



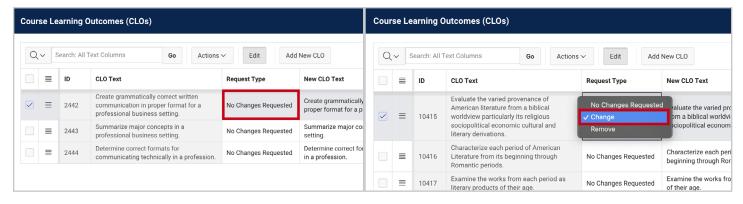
3. Review the current CLOs on the chart and select the CLO(s) you want to change.



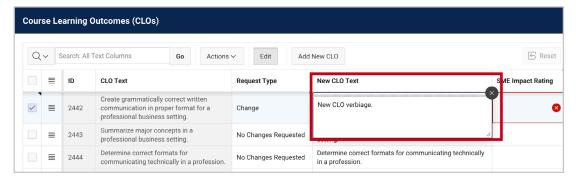
To edit a CLO, select the CLO from the list and click Edit.



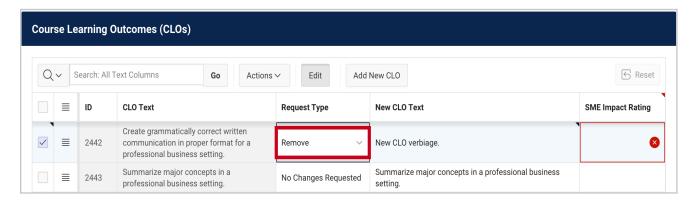
5. In the Request Type column, double click on the CLO and select Change.



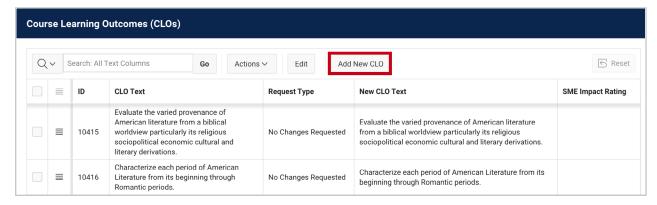
6. Enter the updated CLO text in the New CLO Text field.



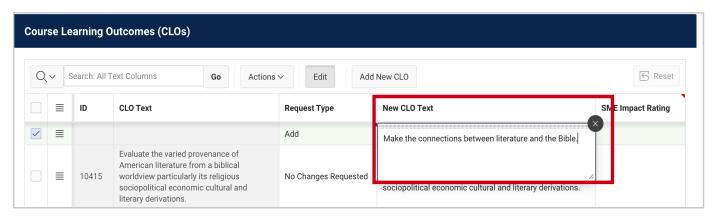
7. To remove the CLO, select **Remove** under the **Request Type** dropdown menu, select **Remove**.



8. To add a new CLO, click **Add New CLO**.

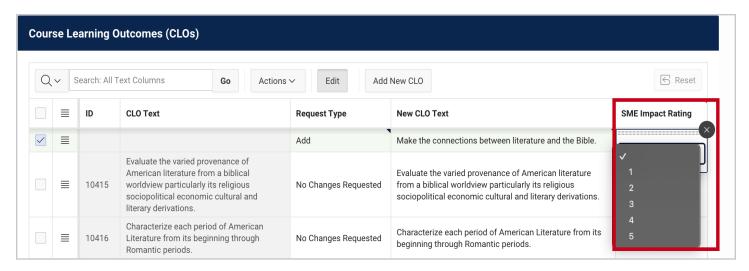


9. Enter the new CLO text in the **New CLO Text** field.



10. Repeat steps 3 – 9 for all desired CLO changes, removals, and/or additions.

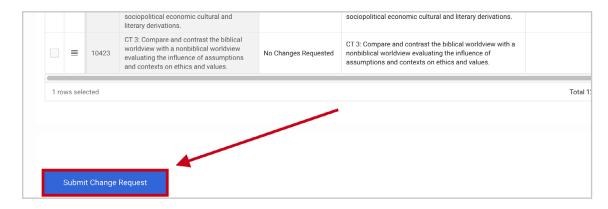
11. Rate the impact of each proposed CLO change using the SME Impact Rating scale (1 = minimal impact, 5 = major impact). See the **Curricular Impact Rating Scale** after the screenshot.



Note: To determine the SME Impact Rating, the SME/Lead Faculty should refer to the answers below the chart, the Course Information section, and the Curricular Impact Rating Scale.

Curricular Impact Rating Scale		
SME Impact Rating	Category	Description
1	Minimal Im- pact	The CLO update is minor (e.g., wording adjustments, punctuation changes). The course is used by a single college/school, appears in few programs, has few or no Alternative Justification Forms, and is not widely available through EPlus, ICE, CLEP, or Ministry Partnerships. The CLO update does not affect course assessments, instructional materials, or alignment with program outcomes.
2	Slight Impact	The CLO update refines but does not change the fundamental intent of the CLO. The course is used by a limited number of Colleges/Schools, appears in a moderate number of programs, and has some Alternative Justification Forms. The course may be available through a few experience-plus options, but these are not widespread. Minor updates to course materials may be needed, but no major assessment or instructional redesign is required.
3	Moderate Impact	The CLO update shifts focus, potentially affecting Learn and Apply items. The course is used by multiple Colleges/Schools, appears in a larger number of programs, and has several Alternative Justification Forms. The course is also available through multiple experience-plus options (EPlus, ICE, CLEP, Ministry Partnerships), increasing its flexibility in the curriculum. Moderate course revisions may be necessary to maintain assessment and instructional coherence.
4	Significant Impact	The CLO update substantially alters course objectives, affecting Learn and Apply items. The course is used by many Colleges/Schools, appears in a large number of programs, has numerous Alternative Justification Forms, and is widely available through various experience-plus options. The CLO update may require extensive content revisions and possible adjustments to align with related courses.
5	Major Impact	The CLO update fundamentally changes or removes a critical learning objective. The course is used by a high number of Colleges/Schools, appears in many programs across the institution, has extensive Alternative Justification Forms, and is offered in numerous experience-plus options. The modification requires significant curriculum redesign, including changes to course materials, assignments, and potentially the program structure.

12. Click **Submit Change Request** to finalize your submission.



Need Assistance?

For assistance with the Outcomes Management for Evaluation, Governance, & Alignment (OMEGA) form, contact your school's Academic Operations Liaison.

If you're unsure who that is, email <u>AcademicOperations@Liberty.edu</u> for guidance.