ETSU Counseling Program 2012-2013 Program Outcomes Report

Approximately 76 students were enrolled in the program with approximately 62 women and 14 men. The Counseling Program accepts a maximum of 38 students each year for the four concentrations. Over 90% of students graduate within the expected time frame (3 years or less for full-time students; 5 years for part-time students). The ETSU Counseling Program is able to maintain small class sizes (averaging 18-20 students for non-field courses and 5-7 for practicum and internship courses) and a core faculty to student ratio of less than 10:1.

This report summarizes outcomes for the M. A. in Counseling program CACREP accredited concentrations: Community Agency (now called Clinical Mental Health), Higher Education (now called College Counseling/Student Affairs), and School Counseling for Summer 2012, Fall 2012, and Spring 2013. Note that Couples and Family data are not available for this report.

Community Agency

Last year there were 11 graduates from the Community Agency Concentration representing a 100% completion rate within the expected time period. The pass rate for students taking the NCE examination was 100%. Of graduates responding to our employment survey, 82% indicated that they had obtained employment in an occupation for which they were educated within 180 days of graduating. Other respondents indicated that they did not choose to look for a job in counseling or chose to go to Ph.D. program.

Higher Education

Last year there were 4 graduates from the Higher Education Concentration representing an 80% completion rate within the expected time period (note that 3 individuals chose to leave the program for personal reasons). The pass rate for students taking the NCE examination was 100%. Of graduates responding to our employment survey, 75% indicated that they had obtained employment in an occupation for which they were educated within 180 days of graduating.

School Counseling

Last year there were 8 graduates from the School Counseling Concentration representing a 100% completion rate within the expected time period. The pass rate for students taking the PRAXIS II exam for School Counselors was 100%. Of graduates responding to our employment survey, 100% indicated that they had obtained employment in an occupation for which they were educated within 180 days of graduating.