

PROGRAM REVIEW STEERING COMMITTEE SPRING 2019 ANNUAL UPDATE FEEDBACK TEMPLATE

PROGRAM: Physics-Astronomy

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OVERALL ASSESSMENT	
Support of College Strategic Goals:	established
Planning:	established
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Peer review for purposes of improvement:

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Physics & Astronomy commendations:

• According to enrollment data, the program has maintained stable enrollment for physics.

- Collaboration with Math to support as-risk student learning and success.
- Innovative projects such as webcast lectures
- While there are no full-time faculty member serving in Astronomy, there has been significant achievement by adjunct faculty.
- Good job working towards bringing PHYC 110 into course rotations.
- Proactive program with high academic support standards

Physics and Astronomy recommendations:

• One of the better success rates is in the area of hand-son instruction, which mainly comes from the lab sessions. To continue to offer high quality experiences and meaningful experiments, the college must commit some monies for the replacement and the purchasing of new equipment.