

skills (SLO #2 for Biostatistics MS). It was decided that these SLO's are better addressed by

Table 1: Frequencies of Rubric Score for Biostatistics MS 2015

Table 2: Summary Statistics of Rubric Scores for Biostatistics MS 2015

Statistic	SLO 1	SLO 2	SLO3
Minimum	1	3	2
Maximum	4	5	5
Mean	2.17	4.39	3.83
StandardDeviation	1.04	0.70	0.99

The Statistics and Biostatistics Department evaluates the results of the comprehensive examination twice per year. This information, along with student feedback, alumni feedback, and information about current industry demands for specific statistical skills has led to our recent modernizing of our curriculum. This year, two new courses were offered: in Winter, STAT 6610 “Data Visualization” and in Sp