**Executive Summary of Program Assessment**

**Campus:** MU

**College/School: College of Arts and Science**

**Academic Unit: German and Russian Studies**

**Date Submitted: 02/09/2016**

**Person Responsible for Success of Program:** Tim Langen, Chair

**Person Submitted Executive Summary:**

Patricia Okker, Senior Associate Provost

**Degree Programs**

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| **Degree (e.g., BS, MA, PhD)** | **Degree Program** | **Enrollment** | | **Number of Degrees Awarded** | |
| **Most Recent Fall Semester**  **2014** | **5-Year Fall Semester Average** | **Most Recent Academic Year**  **2014** | **5-Year Average** |
| BA | German & Russian | 52 | 47.4 | 20 | 16.8 |
| MA | German/Russian & Slavonic Studies | 18 | 18.2 | 5 | 6.2 |

**Changes Since Last Review**

* Establishment (Spring 2013) of the Digital Global Certificate
* Establishment (starting Summer 2015) of a summer program in Moscow, shared with the Department of Psychology
* Establishment (starting AY 2014-2015) of undergraduate minors in Chinese, Japanese, and Korean
* Establishment (starting Summer 2015) of a joint study abroad program in China with MU’s Trulaske School of Business. Students will be able to earn management and/or humanities credits.
* Creation of a software application which students can use to study Chinese words and characters, with supporting exercises to help students develop a greater awareness of the structures and meanings of the characters that make up Chinese words.

**Strategies or Plans for Improving Program**

* Increase number of nationally recognized awards received by GRS Faculty
* Enhance alumni outreach
* Continue to seek new campus-wide partnerships