

**SELF-ASSESSMENT - SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES
UGA SOCIOLOGY**

Condition #1: *The right people apply for doctoral study.*

Condition #2: *The right applicants are admitted as doctoral students*

Condition #3: *Students and faculty form productive working relationships*

Condition #4: *Students experience social support from fellow students*

Conditions	Goals /Activities	Timeline
1	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Expand the “Frequently Asked Question” section on the department program page to cover more issues related to program/student fit. • Increase outreach efforts to colleagues at other universities who may be in a position to recommend students to our program. • Advertise the successes of current graduate students and alumni by featuring them on our webpage. 	<p>Summer 2006</p> <p>Summer 2006</p> <p>Fall 2006</p>
2	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Increase the quality of students who are invited to the visistation weekend by placing students in contact with faculty members in their areas of interest, before the visit. 	Spring 2006
3	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help first year students build early relationships with faculty by assigning all incoming students a temporary advisor. 	Fall 2006
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Help first year students adjust to their new role as teaching assistants by assigning a senior student to be Lead TA in each introductory Sociology class. The Lead TA will act as a resource and oversee the activities of the other TAs. 	Fall 2006