

Dear Dr. Piperata,

I am pleased to inform you that your proposal for Anthropology H597.05 – The Global Food Crisis has been selected for funding in this year's competition for new Honors courses, contingent upon approval by all relevant curricular bodies. Committee members found your proposal to address clear needs within our Honors offerings. Please accept our congratulations, along with those of all of our colleagues on the selection committee, as well as our thanks for your commitment to the Honors & Scholars Programs.

Your department will receive \$9590 the first time the course is taught (projected: SP 2010), and \$4900 for the second offering (total over 2 years: \$14,490). Please let us know when you confirm the quarter of initial offering. After the 15th day of that quarter, please contact Marilyn Figlestahler at figlestahler.1@osu.edu or at 688-0225 for transfer of funds. This award is conditional upon a firm commitment from your department to offer the course at least twice beyond the initial two offerings for which you will receive support. Additionally, as stated in the Request for Proposals, the University Honors & Scholars Center reserves the right not to fund the course if the course has low enrollment or if the course is not offered for the second time by Spring Quarter 2012.

As you know, relevant curricular bodies must approve your course before you can offer it for the first time. Please inform us of your progress within the curricular approval process, including the Arts and Sciences Honors Committee, and let us know if we can be of assistance.

Publicity for new courses is essential to ensure full enrollment. Some ways that have proven successful for others who have offered new Honors and Scholars courses in the past include: fliers, posters, and advertisements sent through our online Honors & Scholars Net. We would be happy to assist you in these efforts. Additionally, we host a quarterly Honors scheduling event to inform Honors students of available Honors courses. This takes place one week before Honors students schedule their courses for the following quarter.

Please let us know if you have any questions. Your reply to this email will indicate your acceptance of this funding arrangement. We look forward to continuing to work with you.

Sincerely,

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