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To: "Cowley, Jennifer"

Cc: Weinberg, Bruce; Hogle, Danielle
Subject: City and Regional Planning 3500
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Dear Jennifer:

On Thursday, January 5, the ASCC SBS Panel reviewed City and Regional planning 3500. I am happy to report that the Panel unanimously approved the course for Diversity in the US GE category. For the Organizations and Polities GE status, the course was approved contingent on Geography concurrence. (The Panel decided that it was necessary to double-check that Geography concurs with the course since no concurrence from that unit was actually attached to the proposal.)

A few additional points were mentioned that we think would be beneficial to share with you for informational purposes--these do not, for now, require any action on your part:

- The GE Assessment Plan focuses on the Diversity in the US GE category. A comprehensive Assessment Plan would also map how the Social Science category will be assessed.
- It is recommended that the disability statement on a syllabus be written in 16 point font.
- P. 5 of the proposal (first page of syllabus) has incoherent numbering (starts with 4 instead of 1).
- The Panel is wondering whether the finals week can indeed be used for a final group project presentation.

Should you have any questions about this feedback, don't hesitate to contact me or Professor Bruce Weinberg, Chair of ASCC SBS Panel (cc'd on this e-mail).

Best regards, Bernadette

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