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Hi Michelle,

The proposed changes to the Creative Writing Minor, which, as you know, were approved by the ASC Curriculum Committee at its latest meeting, were presented to CAA this afternoon. You will hear shortly from Randy Smith that the proposed changes were approved, but a number of questions regarding the place of 2267 came up, especially whether this created a dead-end in the minor for students who took it but then needed upper level workshops for which this was not listed as an optional prerequisite. In my role representing ASC, I did my best to answer questions (and I apparently did at least an adequate job, since the proposal was approved), but what eventually came out of the discussion was that from the advising sheet it is not clear that the workshops are repeatable, so the committee thought students would be confused or misled about what and how many different courses they needed to take for the minor. They recommended that the advising sheet be modified to make it clear that students could take a given workshop more than one time.

If this makes sense, can you submit a revised advising sheet to Bernadette Vankeerbergen in the ASC Curriculum and Assessment office? And if it doesn't make entire sense yet, let me know and we'll talk about it further.

Thanks,

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