Dear Alisa,

On Friday, October 3, the Social and Behavioral Sciences Panel reviewed a new course request for Psychology 1200.

The course was approved with the following recommendation:

• For the assessment plans for both GE categories: establish metrics to measure success in terms of student achievement of each GE expected learning outcome. The assessment plans will need to be implemented the first time the course is offered and a report will be due after two offerings of the course. Therefore, the specifics of the plans will need to be further defined before first offering the course.

Provided the course request is subsequently approved all the way through the Office of the University Registrar, Psychology 1200 will be a new course with GE Social Science—Individuals and Groups & GE Diversity—Social Diversity in the US starting Autumn 2015.

Please know that the GE assessment plan of Psychology 1200 will need to be implemented each time the course is offered and GE data gathered. After the second offering of the course, the Department will be asked to submit an initial report summarizing GE assessment results of those first two offerings (following the format of sections I and II of the Assessment Report Requirement in Appendix 6 of the ASC Curriculum and Assessment Operations Manual [p. 75] <u>https://asccas.osu.edu/sites/asccas.osu.edu/files/ASC\_CurrAssess\_Operations\_Manual.pdf</u>). Our program assistant Danielle Hogle (hogle.12) can help the Department with any aspect of the GE assessment requirement. She will also make sure to contact the Department before the course is offered and provide any assistance that the faculty member may need. Could you please communicate this information to the faculty member?

If you have any questions about this feedback, please feel free to contact Professor Pok-sang Lam (Chair of the SBS Panel; here cc'd), or me.

My best, Bernadette

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