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Subject: History 3798.04 and 3252
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Dear Paula and Ashley,

On November 7, the Arts and Humanities Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed requests for a new History course (3798.04) and a course change request (number change from 2252 to 3252). Please find below the feedback of the Panel:

- History 3798.04 (new course; requesting GE Historical Study; GE Diversity—Global Studies; GE Education Abroad)

The Panel unanimously approved the course with 3 contingencies and 3 recommendations:

Contingencies:

1. Request concurrence from Department of Spanish and Portuguese.
2. Syllabus:
 - a. P. 1: “Study Abroad” is not name of GE category. The GE category is “Education Abroad.”
 - b. Pp. 1-3: For each GE category, also list GE goals on syllabus, not just the expected learning outcomes.
 - c. P. 2. References to “International Issues GE,” “Western (Non-United States),” and “Non-Western (Global)” are no longer used under semesters. These terms were used for the GEC under quarters. Under semesters with the GE, the category is called “GE Diversity—Global Studies.” Likewise, adjust “Rationale for fulfilling the GE Learning Outcomes for *International Issues*.”
 - d. P. 3: “Rationale for fulfilling the GE Learning Outcomes for *International Issues*” should refer to Education Abroad.
3. Need to add GE Education Abroad assessment plan. See pp. 56-59 of ASC Curriculum and Assessment Manual
https://asccas.osu.edu/files/ASC_CurrAssess_Operations_Manual.pdf

Recommendations:

1. Credit hour rationale. The total for “structured educational experiences” should be 38, not 36 (arithmetic mistake). However, on the next page there is a reference to 51 hours of structured educational experiences (which seems to be a mistake). At 45 hours of formalized instruction and 38 hours of structured educational experiences, this course is more a 5 credit hr course. Consider bringing the course closer to 3 credits.
2. For the readings, might there be more current readings?

3. Form in curriculum.osu.edu should not say “independent study” for “Course Components” and “Grade Roster Component.” This is probably more a lecture and/or field experience course.

I will return the course via curriculum.osu.edu in a minute to enable the Department to address the points above.

Please know that the GE Education Abroad status has not been reviewed yet as there is a separate ad-hoc Panel that reviews such requests. The course will go to that Panel when it comes back with the requested changes/additions.

- History 3252 (course number change from 2252 to 3252; course already has GE Historical Study and GE Diversity—Global Studies)

The Panel approved the number change unanimously. The course change will now advance to the full ASC Curriculum Committee.

If you have any questions about this feedback, please feel free to contact Carmen Taleghani-Nikazm (Chair-for-the-day of the A&H Panel on Nov. 7; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

My best,
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