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Dear Lisa and Mollie,

On Tuesday, March 29 , the Arts and Humanities Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee re-considered proposals for History of Art 7189.01 and 7189.02.

I am happy to report that the Panel unanimously approved the new courses with the following two recommendations:

- History of Art 7189.01 is a workshop about exhibition planning. History of Art 7189.02 is about exhibition execution. However, the course titles and course descriptions for each course are identical, namely “Curatorial Practicum.” Students might be confused about which course covers what. Recommendation to differentiate the two decimalized courses by differentiating the titles and/or course descriptions (on the forms in curriculum.osu.edu; which is the information that will go in the course catalog). Differentiating those items on the basis of “exhibition planning” and “exhibition execution” might make most sense. For example, “Curatorial Practicum: Exhibition Planning” for the 7189.01 title and “Curatorial Practicum: Exhibition Execution” for the 7189.02 title, and have similar distinctive language in the course descriptions. (However, mentioning that the first course needs to be taken in the Autumn of the final year in the MA Contemporary Art and Curatorial Practice and the second course in the Spring might work as well.)
- For History of Art 7189.02: Instead of stating that the prereq is “Students must be in the final year of the MA program in Contemporary Art and Curatorial Practice,” it would be better to state that the prereq is 7189.01.

Please let me know what you think about these two recommendations. I may be able to make the changes for you. I will wait until I hear back from you before advancing the courses—and the proposed MA in Contemporary Art and Curatorial Practice (which the full ASC Curriculum Committee had previously approved with the contingency that History 7189 be fully approved).

History of Art 7189.01 can be viewed here: <https://curriculum.osu.edu/curriculum/course.jsf?id=1028967&scid=22198>

History of Art 7189.02 can be viewed here: <https://curriculum.osu.edu/curriculum/course.jsf?id=1029898&scid=22198>

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Janice Aski (faculty Chair of the A&H Panel; cc’d on this e-mail), or me.

Best wishes,

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