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Dear Professor Hamlin,

The ASC Curriculum Committee has reviewed your proposal for a new freshman seminar, "Christ Recrucified: Artists, Writers, and Filmmakers Interpret the Gospels."

The freshman seminar is approved with one contingency, one reminder, and one recommendation:

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Contingency

- In schedule, please provide weekly assignments in enough detail to judge the workload (e.g., more specifics about sources to consult, provide page intervals within each source for the class meetings).

Reminder

- Students will be non-Honors, first-year students, so they should be given more guidance on the expectations and frequency of the "short reading responses" and the "brief seminar presentations." Students may also not be prepared for appropriate levels or styles of participation right-out-of-the-gate. Likewise, some idea of level of achievement needed to receive an A, a B, etc. should be added in the syllabus when the seminar is taught.
- Final version of the syllabus should specify that the lectures will be 55 minutes each week.

Recommendation

- Please inform the Dept of Comparative Studies (Barry Shank, Chair; [shank.46@osu.edu](mailto:shank.46@osu.edu)) about this new freshman seminar.

Should you have any questions about the feedback, I encourage you to contact Meg Daly, faculty Chair of the ASC Curriculum Committee (cc'd here), or me.

Please feel free to send a revised syllabus to me and I will then submit it for final committee approval.

Best wishes,  
Bernadette



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