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To: Simmons, Clare; Lowry, Debra
Cc: Heysel, Garett; Aski, Janice
Subject: English 3271 distance learning
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Dear Clare and Debra,

Last Friday, the Arts and Humanities 1 Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee considered a proposal to offer English 3271 (and existing course with GE Cultures and Ideas) in a 100% distance format.

I am happy to report that the request was unanimously approved with one comment/question and one recommendation:

The first page of the in-class syllabus states, "Many of the concepts that this class covers are quite technical, and in my experience students find it very difficult to learn the material independently. Therefore, attendance in class is crucial." Given this is the case, the Panel notes the inconsistency in values between online and in-person delivery. How will this difference be accommodated in online course? Will the online version be sufficient to explain technical aspects of course without meeting in-person?

- Page 5 of on-line syllabus: Statement on academic services refers to ASC academic services. Since this course is a GE course, it can be taken by students from any college at Ohio State. Therefore, services listed should not exclusively be ASC's (since academic advisors in ASC do not advise non-ASC students). Instead of inserting this link http://artsandsciences.osu.edu/academics/current-students/advising , please use this one http://advising.osu.edu/welcome.shtml

The course request will now continue through the approval process.

Should you have any questions about this feedback, do not hesitate to contact Janice Aski (cc'd here), faculty Chair of the Arts and Humanities 1 Panel, or me.

My best,
Bernadette

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