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Subject: Psychology 6867.01, 6867.02, and 7187
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Dear All,

On Tuesday, October 3, the Social and Behavioral Sciences Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a new course proposal for Psychology 6867.01, 6867.02, and 7187. Please find below the Panel's feedback for these courses.

- Psychology 6867.01 (new course) approved with one recommendation:
 - The content description on the first page of the syllabus mentions student group presentations, but these are not listed in the evaluation of the course. Will these be evaluated or are they part of class participation? The Panel recommends clarifying the role of group presentations in the syllabus.
- Psychology 6867.02 (new course) approved with one recommendation:
 - The "other information" section on page 2 of the syllabus indicates, "All assignments must be completed and turned in for the class session indicated." No due dates are indicated in the syllabus. The Panel recommends adding the due dates to the schedule.
- Psychology 7187 (new course). The Panel did not vote on the course as they would like the following points addressed:
 - Since the course is a summer semester course, it should include a 12-week option on the form from curriculum.osu.edu.
 - Request concurrence from Social Work
 - The Panel recommends generally cleaning up the syllabus to make it easier for students to read. The current syllabus structure does not give a good indication of what the workload is for students. Add page numbers on the reading list or put reading citations in the schedule. Also, add due-dates for assignments on page 4 of the syllabus or put the due-dates in the schedule. The Panel also recommends moving the grade breakdown and assignment descriptions before the course schedule.

I will return Psychology 7187 to the department queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Panel's requests. Psychology 6867.01 and 6867.02 will continue through the approval process.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Christina Roup (faculty Chair of the SBS Panel; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

Best wishes,
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