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**Subject:** Philosophy / Political Science / Economics 3001 and 3002  
**Date:** Wednesday, January 17, 2018 3:38:00 PM  
**Attachments:** [image001.png](#)

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Dear Jennifer, Trevon, and Neil,

Both the Social and Behavioral Sciences Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee and the Arts and Humanities 1 Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed proposals for cross-listed courses Philosophy / Political Science / Economics 3001 and 3002. The SBS Panel reviewed the courses at its meeting on January 9 and the A&H 1 Panel at its meeting on January 11.

Please find below the feedback of the panels:

- 1) Economics/Political Science/Philosophy 3001: unanimously approved with four contingencies and two recommendations
  - Contingencies:
    - Form in curriculum.osu.edu: Issue with differing CIP codes for the various offerings. Right now, the Political Science and Economics offerings use a political science CIP code; the Philosophy offering uses a philosophy CIP code. All three versions should have the same CIP code. Deborah Haddad will work with the departments.
    - P. 1: No descriptions for the course requirements (the various graded assignments). Provide further detail for each requirement.
    - P. 2: Grading scale includes a C instead of C- (so scale has two C letter grades) and includes F instead of E.
    - P. 2: Link to Student Life Disability Services is incorrect. Update to new weblink [slds.osu.edu](https://slds.osu.edu) & use preferred statement available on p. 14 of the ASC Curriculum and Assessment Operations Manual: [https://ascas.osu.edu/sites/ascas.osu.edu/files/ASC\\_CurrAssess\\_Operations\\_Manual.pdf](https://ascas.osu.edu/sites/ascas.osu.edu/files/ASC_CurrAssess_Operations_Manual.pdf)
  - Recommendations:
    - P. 1: Change references to Canvas in "Course Requirements" to Carmen.
    - Pp. 3-5: Include page numbers in list of readings.
- 2) Economics/Political Science/Philosophy 3002: unanimously approved with four contingencies and one recommendation
  - Contingencies:
    - Form in curriculum.osu.edu: Issue with differing CIP codes for the various offerings. Right now, the Political Science and Economics offerings use a political science CIP code; the Philosophy offering uses a philosophy CIP code. All three versions should have the same CIP code. Deborah Haddad will work with the departments.
    - P. 1: Clarify the point about adjustment of grades based on participation.
    - P. 2: Grading scale includes a C instead of C- (so scale has two C letter grades) and includes F instead of E.
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  - Recommendations:
    - Pp. 3-5: Include full citations for readings (especially how many pages) & add greater detail on when readings are due (which week and days of the week).

I will return the proposals via [curriculum.osu.edu](http://curriculum.osu.edu) in a minute to enable the departments to address the points above.

Should you have any questions about this feedback, do not hesitate to contact Christina Roup (faculty Chair of the SBS Panel; cc'd here) or Carmen Taleghani-Nikazm (faculty Chair of the A&H1 Panel on 1-11-18; cc'd here), or me.

Best,  
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