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Dear Andrea and Julia,

On Wednesday of this week, the Arts and Humanities 2 Panel reconsidered new course Linguistics 2797.02 (with GE Education Abroad). I am happy to report that the Panel unanimously approved the course.

I am including a reminder that the GE assessment plan will need to be implemented from the very first offering of the course and GE data will need to be gathered. As is the case for all new GE courses, after the second offering of the course, the Assessment Panel will ask the department to submit an initial report summarizing GE assessment results of those first two offerings (following the format in Appendix 10 of the ASC Curriculum and Assessment Operations Manual [p. 126] https://asccas.osu.edu/sites/asccas.osu.edu/files/ASC_CurrAssess_Operations_Manual.pdf). The Assessment Panel and/or our office can help the department with any aspect of the GE assessment requirement. Shelby Oldroyd, ASC Curriculum and Assessment Assistant, will also make sure to contact the department before the course is offered and provide any assistance that may be needed with assessment. Could you please let the faculty member(s) know?

My best,
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Dear Andrea and Julie,

On Wednesday, September 5, the Arts and Humanities 2 Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a proposal for new course Linguistics 2797.02, with GE Education Abroad.

The Panel did not vote on the proposal but would like the Department of Linguistics to address the following points first:

- The Panel would like to know more about the Linguistics content of the course. What type of Linguistics research is going to happen? Also, the course is not limited to majors so how will non-Linguistics majors do this research?
- Schedule refers to a conversation partner program but no French language knowledge is required for that, or to conduct the Linguistics research portion of the course. Please clarify.
- If this is a GE Education Abroad course, make rationale more explicit. How is the *academic content* of the course (readings, lectures, assignments etc—as opposed to informal free time) tied to the GE expected learning outcomes (ELOs)? Please provide specifics. (One example: In the GE rationale, the first bullet point for the first GE ELO refers to history, but it is not clear where history appears in the course. Incidentally, that word is also part of the subtitle of the course. Are there readings, lectures, or discussions about French history?)

I will return the courses via curriculum.osu.edu in a minute to enable the department to address the feedback above.

Should you have any questions about this feedback, do not hesitate to contact Carmen Taleghani-Nikazm (faculty Chair of the A&H2 Panel), or me.

My best,
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