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**Subject:** New First-Year Seminar - Baseball Economics  
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Dear Professor Ruddy,

On Friday, February 15, the Social and Behavioral Sciences (SBS) Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee considered a proposal for a new first-year seminar, "Baseball Economics."

The faculty panel unanimously approved the proposal with three contingencies and one recommendation:

- Contingencies:
  - Syllabus: Make sure to include the boilerplate statement on academic misconduct and the statement about disability services as found on p. 14 of the Curriculum and Assessment Operations Manual: [https://ascas.osu.edu/sites/ascas.osu.edu/files/ASC\\_Curriculum\\_and\\_Assessment\\_Operations\\_Manual\\_2018-19.pdf](https://ascas.osu.edu/sites/ascas.osu.edu/files/ASC_Curriculum_and_Assessment_Operations_Manual_2018-19.pdf)
  - Syllabus: Grading scale: F should be E. (F is not used as a grade at OSU.)
  - The course proposal form should be approved by the Chair of the Department.
  
- Recommendation (for when course is taught): *Syllabus*: Provide examples of current events assignments.

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 me.

Please feel free to send a revised syllabus and complete course proposal form to me, and I will then submit these to Christina Roup for final review and approval.

Best regards,  
Bernadette



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