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Dear Professors Panero and Gaudi,

On Monday, September 23, the Natural and Mathematical Sciences Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a new course proposal for Earth Sciences and Astronomy 5205.

The Panel unanimously approved the request with five recommendations:

- The prerequisite of “GE Data Analysis course” may be too general if this course is intended for earth sciences, astrophysics, aeronautic engineering, and physics majors. Change the prerequisite to Math 1152 and its equivalents or the data analysis courses for these majors and keep “or permission of instructor.”
- There is no standard OSU grading scale, but there is a default Carmen grading scale. Include the grading scale in the syllabus.
- Include the readings in the course outline.
- Fix typo: “Additional reading material will **consist** of...” rather than “Additional reading material will **consistent** of...”
- The project proposal adds up to 105%.

Please let me know if you would like me to adjust the prerequisite before advancing the course.

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

Best wishes,
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