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Dear Professor Harnish,

The Social and Behavioral Sciences Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee recently reviewed a course change proposal for Speech and Hearing Science 4530.

The Panel unanimously approved the request with one contingency and one recommendation:

- Contingency: Panel members ask that rubrics be revised for the two case studies and participation, so they are more precise in providing qualitative descriptions of expectations for each score or a range of scores. Only providing descriptions for some scores (e.g. 0 points, 5 points, and 10 points) may be too vague for students enrolled in a distance learning course.
- Recommendation: Panel members observed that the grade distribution for the course is heavily weighted toward the exams. Shifting the distribution may encourage better participation in the discussion boards.

I will return Speech and Hearing Science 4530 to the department queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Panel's requests.

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

Best wishes,
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