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Subject: WGSS 1110, 2260, and 2317
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Dear Mary and Jackson,

At its last meeting of Spring semester, the Race, Ethnicity, and Gender Diversity Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed requests to add new GE REGD to WGSS 1110, 2260, and 2317.

Both [WGSS 1110](#) and [2260](#) were unanimously approved with the following comment/recommendation:

- The Panel asks that the university diversity statement (found at <https://ascas.osu.edu/curriculum/syllabus-elements>) and land acknowledgment statement (found at <https://mcc.osu.edu/about-us/land-acknowledgement>) be included on all syllabi submitted for approval under the GE Foundation: REGD category.

[WGSS 2317](#) was unanimously approved with one contingency and one comment/recommendation:

- Contingency:
 - Categories beyond gender seem to be less prominent than in the other courses. There are two class sessions on race and not much on ethnicity. There is potential to engage the question of ethnicity through [Moonstruck](#), but the link with ethnicity is not made explicit. Ethnicity should be emphasized more in the course. Ethnicity is not even mentioned in the course learning outcomes.
- Comment/recommendation:
 - The Panel asks that the university land acknowledgment statement (found at <https://mcc.osu.edu/about-us/land-acknowledgement>) be included on all syllabi submitted for approval under the GE Foundation: REGD category.

WGSS 2260 has already been advanced. Please note that we will keep 1110 in our office queue until we receive the parallel request for 1110H. Could you take care of this in the next few days? *Thanks for letting me know.*

As for WGSS 2317, I will return the course via curriculum.osu.edu to enable the department to address the Panel's feedback.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Richard Fletcher (faculty chair of the REGD panel; here cc'd), or me.

My best,
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