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Good morning,

On Thursday, October 14th, the Themes Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a new GE Theme: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World proposal for Religious Studies and International Studies 4873.

The Panel did not vote on the proposal, as they'd like the following concerns addressed:

- The reviewing faculty request that additional information surrounding how, specifically, Citizenship is addressed within the course. They are very supportive of this course, but have a concern that Citizenship is not explicitly explored within the course syllabus. For example, in the GE submissions for ELO 1, they find these to be excellent responses for the course's specific discipline but ask that they be more specifically connected to Citizenship.
- The reviewing faculty ask that information about how Citizenship is translated into the course assignments to better connect them with the GE Theme: Citizenship for a Just and Diverse World Goals and ELOs.

I will return Religious Studies and International Studies 4873 to the departmental queues via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Panel's concerns.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Jim Fredal, faculty Chair of the ASCC Themes Panel, Isaac Weiner, faculty Chair of the Theme Advisory Group: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World, or me.

Best,
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