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Good morning,

On Thursday, October 14th, the Themes Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a new GE Theme: Health and Wellbeing proposal for Russian 3355.99.

The Panel voted to not approve the course, with the following feedback items:

- The reviewing faculty do not find enough evidence within the proposal, in its current form, to merit inclusion within the GE Theme: Health and Wellbeing. They ask the Department to submit a substantial revision of the course to address the GE Theme: Health and Wellbeing Goals and ELOs (which can be found on the Office Academic Affairs' website at: <https://oaa.osu.edu/ohio-state-ge-program>) and better incorporate the course assignments within the GE Theme category.
 - The reviewing faculty would like to mention that the course, in its current form, would potentially make an excellent addition to the GE Foundation: Historical and Cultural Studies, given that it is already currently approved as a Cultures and Ideas course in the current GE program.
- The reviewing faculty invite the department and/or the faculty member that designed the syllabus to either attend the Theme's Panel open meeting, scheduled for October 28th, 2021 from 3:30PM – 4:15PM (please register for that meeting here: https://osu.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJ0qfuGprTwsEtfACKaah5AVBnV4SPuoM_7K) to ask questions of the Panel.
 - Additionally, if the Department/submitting faculty member is unable to attend this meeting, the reviewing faculty invite you to speak with Megan Amaya, faculty chair of the Theme Advisory Group: Health and Wellbeing, and Jim Fredal, faculty chair of the ASCC Themes Panel.

I will return Russian 3355.99 to the departmental queue 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, Megan Amaya, faculty Chair of the Theme Advisory Group: Health and Wellbeing, or me.

Best,
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