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Good morning,

On Friday, February 11th, the Themes Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed new GE Theme: Citizenship for a Just and Diverse World proposals for Religious Studies 3678 and Comparative Studies 3692. Please see the Panel's feedback below:

Religious Studies 3678 was unanimously approved.

Comparative Studies 3692 was not voted on as the Panel would like the following feedback items addressed:

- The reviewing faculty ask the department and course proposer to more clearly and strongly connect the course to the GE Theme: Citizenship ELOs and to further explain how the GE category ELOs are being met through the course syllabus, as in its current form they are unable to determine if the GE Theme ELOs will be met.
- The reviewing faculty ask that a statement explaining how the course will satisfy the GE ELOs be added to the course syllabus, as this is a requirement of the College of Arts and Sciences for GE courses.
- The reviewing faculty recommend updating the Title IX statement and the most up-to-date statement can be found on the ASC Curriculum and Assessment Services website at: <https://ascas.osu.edu/curriculum/syllabus-elements>.

I will return Comparative Studies 3692 to the departmental queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Panel's feedback while Religious Studies 3678 will continue through the approval process.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Jim Fredal, faculty Chair of the Themes Panel, Jeff Cohen, faculty Chair of the Theme Advisory Group: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World, or myself.

Best,
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