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Good evening,

On April 13th, the Race, Ethnicity and Gender Diversity Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a course proposal for WGSS/AAAS 2367.04.

The Panel unanimously approved the request with four recommendations:

1. *Recommendation:* The Panel recommends that the department edit the name of the GE category to read “Race, Ethnicity and Gender Diversity” rather than “Race, Ethnic, and Gender Diversity” (syllabus pg. 2 under “General Education Goals and Expected Outcomes”).
2. *Recommendation:* The Panel recommends altering the syllabus to clarify the delivery mode of the course. The “How this Course Works” section of the syllabus (pg. 3) states that the course is “100% online”, however, pg. 1 of the syllabus gives a physical location (Mendenhall Lab).
3. *Recommendation:* The panel notes that there is no “standard” grading scale at Ohio State and recommends that the language “OSU Standard Grade Guidelines” be amended to read “Grade Guidelines” or similar (pg. 5).
4. *Recommendation:* The Panel recommends including the assignment due dates on the Course Calendar (syllabus pg. 9-11).

AAAS/WGSS 2367.04 will continue through the approval process.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Richard Fletcher (faculty Chair of the REGD Panel; cc’d on this e-mail), or me.

Best,  
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