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Good morning,

On Monday, April 18th, the Arts and Humanities 1 Panel reviewed a distance learning request for History 3551.

The Panel unanimously approved the request with one contingency and one recommendation:

- **Contingency:** The Panel kindly asks that the course instructor remove the statement on page 1 of the course syllabus asking students to email their @gmail.com email address and to add their @osu.edu email address to the syllabus and utilize their official @osu.edu to interact with students.
 - Utilizing a non-OSU email account for interactions with students violates several OSU policies, raises significant privacy concerns, and is a violation of FERPA. For more information, please see the Information Security Control Requirements (<u>https://cybersecurity.osu.edu/system/files/osu.iscr.v2.1.pdf</u>) or The Office of Academic Affairs Policies and Procedures Handbook Volume 1 (<u>https://oaa.osu.edu/sites/default/files/links_files/oaa-handbook-vol-1-chap-2-rev-08-2021.pdf</u>).
- **Recommendation:** The Panel recommends adding and clarifying the following to the "Survey" assignment:
 - Clarification that the survey assignments are anonymous in nature and how, to students, these surveys are anonymous while still allowing them to receive credit for completion.
 - It is unclear whether the survey assignment includes opportunities for students to self-reflect about their progress within the course. If this is not the case, the Panel recommends adding such questions, which would further enhance the pedagogical value of the survey.

I will return History 3551 to the departmental queue via curriculum.osu.edu to address the Panel's feedback.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to David Staley, faculty Chair of the Arts and Humanities 1 Panel, or myself.

Best, Michael



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