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Good evening,

On Tuesday, April 18th, the Themes II Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee and the Theme Advisory Group: Health & Wellbeing reviewed a course proposal for Sociology 2290.

The reviewing faculty unanimously approved the request with two recommendations:

- i. *Recommendation:* The reviewing faculty recommend removing the following sentence from the Disability Statement (syllabus pg. 5): "This course is designated as an in-person class and lectures will not be recorded.", as this is not a part of the Disability Services statement as required by the Arts and Sciences Curriculum Committee (<https://asccas.osu.edu/curriculum/syllabus-elements>).
- ii. *Recommendation:* The reviewing faculty recommend that the department remove the D- from the grading scale (syllabus, pg. 7) as this grade cannot be assigned at Ohio State.

As a reminder, *recommendations* (in italics above) should be implemented when the course is next taught.

Sociology 2290 will continue through the approval process.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Panel, please feel free to contact Ila Nagar (faculty Chair of the Themes II Panel; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

Best,
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