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Good morning,

On Jan. 23rd, 2023, the Race, Ethnicity and Gender Diversity Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a course proposal for History 2046.

The Panel unanimously approved the request with one contingency and 3 recommendations:

1. Contingency: The Panel requests that the department alter either the syllabus (pg. 1 under “Prerequisite”) or the Course Request Form (pg. 1 under “Prerequisites and Exclusions”). Currently the Course Request Form states that either English 1110.xx or another WIL course is a pre- or co-requisite, but the syllabus only allows for English 1110.xx and does not say that taking the courses concurrently is an option.
2. Recommendation: The Panel recommends that the department expand the descriptions of the assignments, especially the short papers and the exams (syllabus pg. 3-4, to better demonstrate to students how REGD topics will be a focus of these assignments.
3. Recommendation: The Panel recommends that the department update the Mental Health Statement (syllabus pg. 12 under “Your Mental Health”), as there is a new phone number for the National Crisis/Suicide Hotline. The most up-to-date statement can be found here: <https://ascas.osu.edu/curriculum/syllabus-elements>.
4. Recommendation: The Panel recommends that the department use the most up-to-date version of the Student Life Disabilities Services statement (syllabus pg. 12 under “Accessibility Accommodations for Students With Disabilities”). An up-to-date statement can be found here: <https://ascas.osu.edu/curriculum/syllabus-elements>.

As a reminder, **contingencies** (in bold above) must be addressed and resubmitted via curriculum.osu.edu before a course can move forward in the approval process. *Recommendations* (in italics above) should be implemented when the course is next taught. I will return History 2046 to the department queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Panel’s requests.

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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