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Good morning Birgitte and Jen,

On Friday, May 12th, the Themes 1 Panel of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a new GEN Theme: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World request for History 3501.

I am pleased to report that the Panel unanimously approved the proposal with two contingencies and one recommendation:

- **Contingency:** The reviewing faculty ask that it further showcased within the course syllabus how the course engages with the diversity and justice aspect of the GEN Theme: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World category. While they believe this course may be engaging with that work, they are unsure this will be clear to students. They suggest including in the syllabus some of the language found in the responses to ELOs 4.1 and 4.2 in the GE submission form.
- **Contingency:** The reviewing faculty ask that a cover letter be submitted that details all changes made as a result of this feedback.
- **Recommendation:** The reviewing faculty recommend removing the D- from the grading scale and replacing the "F" with an "E", as Ohio State does not award "F" or "D-" grades.

I will return History 3501 to the departmental queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Panel's above feedback.

Should you have any questions, please do not hesitate to reach out to Jim Fredal, faculty Chair of the Themes 1 Panel, Birgitte Soland, faculty Chair of the Theme Advisory Group: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World, or me.

All my best,
Michael



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