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Good afternoon,

On Wednesday, November 15th, the Themes 2 Subcommittee of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a new GEN Theme: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World proposal for Slavic 2797.02.

I am pleased to report that the Subcommittee unanimously approved the request with one contingency and one recommendation:

- **Contingency:** The reviewing faculty ask that the Religious Accommodation statement, found on page 11 of the syllabus, be the official statement that is mandated by the Office of Academic Affairs. If the instructor would like to add any additional attendance requirements or expectations, the reviewing faculty recommend that this be placed underneath the attendance section of the syllabus (such as on pages 3 and 4). Additionally, they would like to remind the course instructor that any additional policies should not contradict the official university policy, which states that students have 14 days after the beginning of each semester to request religious accommodations. The most up-to-date [statements can be found here](#) on the ASC Curriculum and Assessment website.
- **Recommendation:** The reviewing faculty offer the friendly recommendation to update the Student Life – Disability Services statement in the course syllabus, as it has been recently updated for the 2023-24 academic year, as well as the Mental Health statement. The most up-to-date [statements can be found here](#) on the ASC Curriculum and Assessment website.

I will return Slavic 2797.02 to the departmental queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Subcommittee's feedback.

Should you have any questions regarding this feedback, please do not hesitate to reach out to Ila Nagar, faculty Chair of the Themes 2 Subcommittee, Birgitte Soland, faculty Chair of the Theme Advisory Group: Citizenship for a Diverse and Just World, or me.

All my best,
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