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Good morning,

On Wednesday, October 9th, the Arts and Humanities 2 Subcommittee of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a GEN Foundation: LVPA request for Slavic 3310.

The Subcommittee unanimously approved the request with the following feedback:

- **Comment:** The Subcommittee appreciates the level of detail presented in the syllabus and finds the course to be both exciting and engaging.
- **Comment:** The Subcommittee notes that the reference on the first page of the syllabus to this course as cross-listed with WGSS should be removed.
- **Recommendation:** The Subcommittee notes that the syllabus references an OSU standard grading scale and recommends that the department remove this, as the university does not have a standard grading scale. Additionally, the grading scale seem to be missing the mark of B as well as the percentage range 80-82.9, so the Subcommittee recommends adjusting the scale to include this information. [Syllabus p. 1]
- **Recommendation:** The Subcommittee recommends that the syllabus mention the approximate cost of the required texts so that students can budget appropriately. [Syllabus p. 2]
- **Recommendation:** The Subcommittee recommends that the department use the most recent version of the university's recently updated diversity statement if they wish to keep it in the syllabus. The updated statement can be found in an easy to copy/paste format on the [Arts and Sciences Curriculum and Assessment Services website](#). [Syllabus p. 7]

As a reminder, *recommendations* should be implemented when the course is next taught.

Slavic 3310 will continue through the approval process to OAA.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Subcommittee, please feel free to contact Björn Köhnlein (acting faculty Chair of the A&H2 Subcommittee; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

Best,
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