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Katie Reed
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Re: PHR 3710 concurrence request

Dear Katie,

We have obtained concurrence from the Department of Plant Pathology and the Department of Horticulture and Crop Science for PHR 3710, *From Botanicals to Pharmaceuticals: The Evolution of Culture on Drug Production and Policies*. We received official notification from Dr. Jeanne Osborne from CFAES (see copy of email communication below).

On behalf of the College of Food, Agricultural, and Environmental Sciences, please accept concurrence for the proposal for a new undergraduate course, PHR 3710, 'From Botanicals to Pharmaceuticals: The Evolution of Culture on Drug Production and Policies'. This proposal has been reviewed by the Departments of Plant Pathology and Horticulture and Crop Science within the CFAES, which have responded with concurrence. They found the proposed course to be complimentary to existing courses within their respective portfolios – PLNTPH 3920, 'Psychedelic Studies: Neurochemistry, Plants, Fungi, and Society' and HCS 4520, 'Medicinal Plants'. The CFAES supports this proposal and appreciates the opportunity to review the new course proposal.

Thank you for your review of our course and please let us know if you need anything else.

Sincerely,

Leslie Newman