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Good afternoon,

On Thursday, September 25th, the Themes Subcommittee 1 of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a proposal for History 3085 for inclusion in the GEN Theme: Traditions, Cultures, and Transformations.

The Subcommittee unanimously approved the request with the following feedback:

- *Recommendation:* The Subcommittee recommends that the instructor provide more details in the syllabus on the in-class sessions of the course. Currently, the syllabus indicates that a substantial portion of the class time is devoted to watching films, which does not constitute advanced engagement on its own. The Subcommittee encourages a clear explanation of how contact hours are being met, including a description of student work during class such as discussions, lectures, and engagement with the films so that the structure of the course is clear to students or anyone who views the syllabus.

As a reminder, *recommendations* (in italics above) should be implemented when the course is next taught.

History 3085 will continue through the approval process to OAA.

Should you have any questions about the feedback, please do not hesitate to contact Philip Tuxbury-Gleissner (faculty Chair of the Themes Subcommittee 1; cc'd on this e-mail) or me.

Best,
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