
Economics 8858

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Good afternoon,

On Wednesday, Sept. 24th, the Social and Behavioral Sciences Subcommittee of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a course proposal for Economics 8858.

The Subcommittee unanimously approved the request with two contingencies and one recommendation:

- a. **Contingency:** The Subcommittee asks that the department obtain a concurrence for the course from the John Glenn College of Public Affairs.
- b. **Contingency:** The Subcommittee requests that the department provide more information on the syllabus (p.1) regarding how often the course will meet and for how long so that the subcommittee can confirm that the course meets the requirements for a 3 CH course.
- c. *Recommendation:* The Subcommittee notes that most of the students' work is due at the end of the semester, and they recommend that the department consider spreading the work more evenly throughout the semester.

As a reminder, **contingencies** (in bold above) must be addressed and resubmitted via curriculum.osu.edu before this course can move forward in the approval process to the Graduate School. *Recommendations* (in italics above) should be implemented when the course is next taught. I will return Econ 8858 to the department queue via curriculum.osu.edu in order to address the Subcommittee's requests.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Subcommittee, please feel free to contact Rachel Dwyer (faculty Chair of the SBS Subcommittee; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

Best,
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