
AAAS/Religious Studies 4343

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Good evening,

On Tuesday, October 14th, the Arts and Humanities 2 Subcommittee of the ASC Curriculum Committee reviewed a course proposal for AAAS/Religious Studies 4343.

The Subcommittee unanimously approved the request with one recommendation:

- a. *Recommendation*: The Subcommittee recommends separating the grade weights from the assignment descriptions to improve the readability of the syllabus (pp. 1-2).

As a reminder, *recommendations* (in italics above) should be implemented when the course is next taught. AAAS/Religious Studies 4343 will continue through the approval process to the Themes Subcommittee to be reviewed for inclusion in the GEN Theme: Traditions, Cultures, and Transformations category.

Should you have any questions about the feedback of the Subcommittee, please feel free to contact David Staley (faculty Chair of the A & H 2 Subcommittee; cc'd on this e-mail), or me.

Best,
Rachel



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