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I, Joshua Leihe, request that my History 7B course, take at Berkeley City College Fall Semester 2010, be accepted in substitution of UCSC's ER general education requirement.

I believe that History 7B is a good candidate for the ER requirement, because it exemplifies the course qualities described under ER on the Senate Website. Some of the key course objectives described in the syllabus are as follows (see attached syllabus).

Create a coherent time line for American History after the Civil War

Discuss the history of previously excluded groups, such as women, gays, African Americans, Arab Americans, Native Americans, Latin Americans, and Asian Americans.

Explain the importance of various basic ideologies and movements in American society: Reconstruction, labor movement, Socialism, feminism, Civil Rights Movement, AntiWar Movement, etc.

These course objectives our perfectly in line with the educational goals/requirement described on the senate website. By taking this course I feel I have a solid understanding of the issues ethnicity and race.

I hope that upon reviewing the attached material you will agree with me and approve my petition.

Sincerely,

Joshua Leihe