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From: Van Maanen, Michelle M

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To: Olson, Lyle Cc: Westwick, Joshua

Subject: Re: MCOM 215 Sports Writing

Lyle,

When reviewing our C&I documents and related communications I saw that I had not yet replied to this email. Please accept my apologies. I did speak with my faculty members about this change and we fully support adding MCOM 210 Basic News Writing as the prerequisite for MCOM 215 Sports Writing. Thank you both for getting the ball rolling. Dr. Kyle Miller is the instructor for our 215 class and after teaching it for the first time he had sentiments similar to Jim Helland. The other potential instructors agree that it is time to make the change.

Best, Michelle

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