

**Notice of consultation requested for LAS 3143:**

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**Cc:** Maria Alejandra Aguilar Dornelles <maguilardornelle@fau.edu>

**Subject:** Course Proposal: Cuisine, Culture, and Community in Latin America and Florida

Dear Maria,

I'm the Director of Undergraduate Studies in the Department of Languages, Linguistics and Comparative Literature. One of my colleagues, Alejandra Aguilar (cc'd) is proposing a new course, LAS 3143 Cuisine, Community and Culture: Latin America and Florida. The course proposal was up for review at UUPC today. The UUPC chair mentioned that you teach a similar course and asked that we consult with you as our proposal progresses through faculty governance.

You can see our course proposal and syllabus

here: <https://www.fau.edu/uupc/documents/materials/2026/february-23-2026/las-3143.pdf>.

If you have no objections, we would appreciate a brief email letter of support to include with the course proposal.

Thank you.

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