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LIBRARY IMPACT STATEMENT (New Course Proposal) LIBRARIAN'S ASSESSMENT

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Program: AVS 280X

Department, College: Fisheries, Animal & Veterinary Science. CELS

Faculty Member: Professor Justin Deming

Date returned to Faculty: March 29, 2021

Librarian Completing Assessment: Michael A. Cerbo II

<u>Collection Management Officer:</u> Professor Joanna Burkhardt

This new 3 credit temporary course is titled "Culture in Agriculture" and the Professor expects the students to conduct little research in this course. The focus will be on Ireland's agricultural and fisheries sector, and the "...course will be centered around a 14-day study abroad in early July that will allow students to immerse themselves in local history and culture..."

We are able to add whatever appropriate monographic needs might arise for the instructor. Our monographic holdings in the agricultural sciences are good, including one of the recommended text: *The Cambridge Social History of Modern Ireland*. Any additional materials can be garnered though our library.

Access to journals in this field meets the needs of the course. Our online indexes and abstracts in agricultural sciences specifically and the sciences generally should more than meet the demands of this course. In particular, access to reference databases such as Academic Search Complete and others are available. There are many online journals in the field that are also available online through the Library. Since there will be little research in this class, our current holdings in this field seem sufficient.

Therefore, the librarian believes that the Library can support, bibliographically, the needs of the students to be able to acquire the most out of this course.

Michael A. Cerbo II, Fisheries, Animal and Veterinary Science Bibliographer 29 March 2021