

ECU COURSE CATALOG

2025-2026 PHILOSOPHY COURSES

PHIL-2003 **Being, Knowing, Doing: Intro to Phil** **3 Credits**

THIS SURVEY OF PHILOSOPHY ACQUAINTS STUDENTS WITH FIGURES AND WORKS IN THE DISCIPLINE RANGING FROM THE ANCIENT PERIOD TO THE PRESENT. IT RELATES FIGURES AND WORKS BY DEMONSTRATING THE WAY IN WHICH THEORIES REGARDING THE ULTIMATE NATURE OF REALITY (METAPHYSICS) INFLUENCE THEORIES OF KNOWLEDGE (EPISTEMOLOGY) AND THEORIES OF PERSONAL AND SOCIAL CONDUCT (ETHICS).

**PHIL-2013 Faith, Freedom, Fate: Intro to Philosoph To
Philosophy of Religion 3 Credits**

THIS CLASS PROVIDES STUDENTS WITH AN INTRODUCTION TO PHILOSOPHY AND TO THE PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION. THE PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION CONSIDERS THE NATURE OF RELIGIOUS EXPERIENCE AND CLASSIC AND CONTEMPORARY ARGUMENTS FOR TRADITIONAL ARTICLES OF FAITH. THE COURSE EXAMINES RELIGIOUS PHENOMENON, SUCH AS PRAYER, AS WELL AS CLASSICAL WORKS WHERE PHILOSOPHY HAS BEEN EMPLOYED TO ACHIEVE RELIGIOUS ENDS.

PHIL-2023	Self, Society, Justice: Intro to Philoso	To Social
	Philosophy and Ethics	3 Credits

THIS CLASS PROVIDES STUDENTS WITH AN INTRODUCTION TO SIGNIFICANT AREAS IN PHILOSOPHY INCLUDING IDENTITY THEORY, SOCIAL AND POLITICAL THEORY, AND MORAL PHILOSOPHY. DRAWING FROM CLASSICAL TO CONTEMPORARY SOURCES, IT ENGAGES DEEPLY PHILOSOPHICAL QUESTIONS, INCLUDING: WHO AM I WHO ARE WE AND HOW SHOULD WE LIVE TOGETHER

PHIL-2033 Truth, Goodness, Beauty: Intro to Philos
Introduction to the Philosophy of Art 3 Credits

THIS COURSE IS AN INTRODUCTION TO THE PHILOSOPHY OF ART OR AESTHETICS. AESTHETICS REFERS TO THE PHILOSOPHIC DISCIPLINE THAT STUDIES THINGS ASSOCIATED WITH TASTE, MOST NOTABLY ART. READINGS INCLUDE WORKS FROM PROMINENT FIGURES IN AESTHETICS RANGING FROM CLASSIC FIGURES SUCH AS PLATO TO CONTEMPORARY FIGURES SUCH AS MARTHA NUSSBAUM.

PHIL-4981 Seminar in Philosophy 1 Credit

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4982 Seminar in Philosophy 2 Credits

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4983 Seminar in Philosophy 3 Credits

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4984 Seminar in Philosophy 4 Credits

DIRECTED GROUP STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4991 Individual Study in Philosophy 1 Credit

DIRECTED INDIVIDUAL STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4992 Individual Study in Philosophy 2 Credits

DIRECTED INDIVIDUAL STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4993 Individual Study in Philosophy 3 Credits

DIRECTED INDIVIDUAL STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.

PHIL-4994 Individual Study in Philosophy 4 Credits

DIRECTED INDIVIDUAL STUDY ON SPECIAL SUBJECT OR PROBLEM.