

# Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy

## Requirements (45 units)

Total units for graduation: 120

## Requirements for the B.A. in Philosophy

(Program Code: PHIL)

### Lower-division requirements (3)

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| Basic Logic |  |   |
| PHIL 2100   | Critical Thinking Through Symbolic Logic | 3 |

### Upper-division requirements (27)

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| History                                   |  |   |
| PHIL 3210                                 | Ancient Philosophy                           | 3 |
| PHIL 3250                                 | Early Modern Philosophy                      | 3 |
| Intermediate Logic                        |  |   |
| PHIL 3100                                 | Predicate Logic                              | 3 |
| Value Theory                              |  |   |
| Six units chosen from:                    |  | 6 |
| PHIL 3315                                 | Moral Psychology                             |   |
| PHIL 3310                                 | Ethics                                       |   |
| PHIL 3330                                 | Social and Political Philosophy              |   |
| Metaphysics/Language                      |  |   |
| Three units chosen from:                  |  | 3 |
| PHIL 3550                                 | Metaphysics                                  |   |
| PHIL 3580                                 | Philosophy of Language                       |   |
| Knowledge/Science                         |  |   |
| Three units chosen from:                  |  | 3 |
| PHIL 3510                                 | Theory of Knowledge                          |   |
| PHIL 3520                                 | Philosophy of Science                        |   |
| PHIL 3530                                 | Social Epistemology                          |   |
| 19th and 20th Century European Philosophy |  |   |
| Three units chosen from:                  |  | 3 |
| PHIL 3610                                 | Phenomenology                                |   |
| PHIL 3620                                 | Existentialism                               |   |
| PHIL 3640                                 | Nineteenth Century European Philosophy       |   |
| Advanced Issues                           |  |   |
| Three units chosen from:                  |  | 3 |
| PHIL 4100                                 | Advanced Issues in Logic                     |   |
| PHIL 4200                                 | Advanced Issues in History of Philosophy     |   |
| PHIL 4300                                 | Advanced Issues in Value Theory              |   |
| PHIL 4500                                 | Advanced Issues in Metaphysics and Knowledge |   |
| PHIL 4900                                 | Advanced Topics in Philosophy                |   |

### Electives (15)

Fifteen units chosen from philosophy courses. Elective units may include philosophy courses taken to satisfy General Education requirements. No more than 6 elective units from philosophy courses numbered 1005 – 3099. In consultation with the chair, philosophy majors are encouraged to include philosophy courses from study abroad in their elective category. Students with philosophy as a double major may complete the elective requirements for the philosophy major by taking up to nine units in non-philosophy courses that are related to the philosophy major. These customized non-philosophy elective packages need to form a coherent plan of study within the philosophy major and should be constructed in consultation with a faculty advisor; the plan of the elective package then needs to be submitted to and approved by the department chair.

**Critical Thinking:** Majors need not satisfy the GE Critical Thinking Requirement with PHIL 2100; but students who fulfill the requirement with PHIL 2100 thereby satisfy the prerequisite for PHIL 3100.

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