

PHIL102 Introduction to Moral Philosophy

2022 W2

In-person Meetings:

Mon: No meetings; Wed: 35 minutes; Fri: 50 minutes

Meetings will not be recorded nor live-streamed.

Overview

In a sense, this course is not so much about moral philosophy as about your lives. Through introducing a number of value and moral theories, this course aims to develop your ethical thinking skills; that is, the ability to identify ethically relevant considerations, to take into account the interests of all stakeholders, and to make ethically-informed decisions in your lives. The topics discussed in this course will also give you opportunities to think critically about issues that concern your lives and to use your own live experiences to critique moral philosophy.

Moreover, this course also aims to prepare you for upper-year philosophy courses by developing your reading and writing skills.

Learning Objectives

At the end of the course, successful students will be able to:

- (1) make and defend ethical and moral decisions in their daily life;
- (2) present, object to, and defend arguments;
- (3) think critically about moral and social issues.