

Spring 2012 **Philosophy Courses**



Ethics (PHIL 122, 01 & 02) — Professor Klein

An introduction to ethics by looking at the role of moral philosophy in our relationship with animals, friendship, drug use, and other contemporary issues.

Logic (PHIL 221) — Professor Klein

A study of principles and methods of correct reasoning. Topics include fallacies, definition, syllogistic logic, some truth-functional logic, and inductive reasoning.

Ideas of Liberty in Modern Philosophy (PHIL 315) — Professor Klein

Our ideas about liberty and individual freedom have their roots in the thinkers of the 17th and 18th centuries. We will explore these ideas in the influential works of Hobbes, Locke, Smith, Burke, and other modern thinkers.

Business & Economic Ethics (PHIL 325) — Professor Hicks

Through readings and cases, moral problems in economic life are studied, including: the profit motive, justice, corporate responsibility, and advertising.

Philosophy of Art (PHIL 349) — Professor Hicks

Aesthetics interprets the artistic and related aspects of human life, and raises questions about the nature and value of art, criteria for criticism, and about beauty.

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