

REQUIREMENTS FOR THE BA DEGREE WITH A MAJOR IN:

Philosophy

August 2017

GENERAL EDUCATION REQUIREMENTS

Category		# Credits	Specific Courses Required	Other
FirstBridge		8	Course offerings vary by semester.	Freshmen must take during their first semester.
Speaking the World	English	Up to 8	EN1010: College Writing EN2020: Writing & Criticism	Minimum grade of "C" required in each course. Placement above EN1010 or EN1020 or transfer from English-speaking university is possible.
	French	Up to 8	FR1100: Elementary French & Culture I FR1200: Elementary French & Culture II	Minimum grade of "C" required in each course. Placement above FR1100 or FR1200 is possible
Comparing Worlds		4	Courses coded GE100,GE115	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.
Mapping the World		4	Courses coded GE110,GE115	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.
Comparing Worlds OR Mapping the World		4	Courses coded GE100, GE110, GE115	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.
Modeling the World	Math	4	Any course coded GE120	Must simply pass course. Placement above or transfer is possible.
	Science	4	Any course coded GE130	Must simply pass course. Transfer is possible.

MAJOR REQUIREMENTS – 41 credits (Minimum grade of "C-" required in each course.)

Course Number	Course Name (<i>prerequisites</i>)
MA2400	Discrete Mathematics (<i>MA1010 or above or CS1040</i>)
PL1100	History of Philosophy I: from Ancient to Medieval
PL1200	History of Philosophy II: from Renaissance to Modern
PL3050	Philosophy's Conjunctions: Existence, Value, Truth (<i>[PL1000 or PL1006 or PL1100 or PL1200 or PL2011 or PL2022] + one course at PL2003 or above</i>)
PL4075	Portfolio – 1 credit (<i>senior standing + PL major</i>)
Select three courses from the following list – <i>The Open Questions & the Key Texts</i>	
PL/PO2003	Introduction to Political Philosophy
PL2036	Metaphysics, Science & Rationalism
PL2037	Empiricism, Skepticism & Materialism
PL2041	Environmental Ethics
PL2070	Philosophy of Mind
PL/AH3074	Philosophy of Aesthetics
Select three courses from the following list – <i>Exploring Your Questions</i>	
PL2015	Philosophy & the City
PL2071	Critique of Political Economy: Smith & Marx
CL2085	Literary Theory & Criticism
PL/FM2095	Philosophy & Film
PL3010	Phenomenology & Existentialism
PL3007	Concepts in Relativity & Quantum Theories
BA3012	Business Ethics & Corporate Social Responsibility (<i>BA1020 + BA2020 + junior standing</i>)
PL/CL3017	Key Texts of Classical Antiquity
PL3020	Philosophy & the Body
CL/LW3027	Law & Literature
PL/CL3030	Philosophy & the Theatre
PL3047	Wittgenstein & the Vienna Circle
PL/PO3076	Political & Philosophical Modernity: Kant & Hegel
PL3079	Modern Critical Theory
CL/PL/PY 4091	Topics, where appropriate
PL4095	Senior Thesis

FREE ELECTIVES

Any courses desired – must complete a total of 128 credit hours to graduate.