

161-431 Recent European Philosophy

Credit Points:	12.50
Level:	4 (Undergraduate)
Time Commitment:	Contact Hours: A 2-hour lecture/seminar per week Total Time Commitment: 2 contact hours/week, 8 additional hours/week. Total of 10 hours per week.
Prerequisites:	Admission to the postgraduate diploma or fourth-year honours in philosophy.
Corequisites:	None
Recommended Background Knowledge:	None
Non Allowed Subjects:	None
Core Participation Requirements:	<p><p>For the purposes of considering request for Reasonable Adjustments under the Disability Standards for Education (Cwth 2005), and Student Support and Engagement Policy, academic requirements for this subject are articulated in the Subject Overview, Learning Outcomes, Assessment and Generic Skills sections of this entry.</p> <p>It is University policy to take all reasonable steps to minimise the impact of disability upon academic study, and reasonable adjustments will be made to enhance a student's participation in the University's programs. Students who feel their disability may impact on meeting the requirements of this subject are encouraged to discuss this matter with a Faculty Student Adviser and Student Equity and Disability Support: http://services.unimelb.edu.au/disability</p></p>
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Subject Overview:	This subject involves a study of one or more key texts and themes in 20th century European philosophy. Students completing the subject should have achieved a critical understanding of the texts and themes discussed and be able to relate them to contemporary issues in philosophy.
Objectives:	Students who successfully complete this subject will <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # have a detailed understanding of some major texts in contemporary European philosophy; # be able to critically evaluate these texts; # demonstrate an ability to explain the themes and theses of these texts.
Assessment:	A 5000-word essay 100% (due at the end of semester).
Prescribed Texts:	A subject reader will be available.
Breadth Options:	This subject is not available as a breadth subject.
Fees Information:	Subject EFTSL, Level, Discipline & Census Date, http://enrolment.unimelb.edu.au/fees
Generic Skills:	Students who successfully complete this subject will <ul style="list-style-type: none"> # be able to relate these texts to others in the history of philosophy and apply the themes considered to contemporary issues in philosophy; # be able to think in highly abstract and theoretical terms; # have refined the critical skills necessary for original research.
Notes:	Formerly available as 161-039. Students who have completed 161-039 are not eligible to enrol in this subject.
Related Majors/Minors/Specialisations:	Anthropology and Social Theory Philosophy Philosophy Philosophy Social Theory

Social Theory