

# Philosophy

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<b>Overview:</b>	The prerequisites for entry to fourth-year honours in Philosophy are completion of all the requirements for the BA, completion of a major in Philosophy and an average of at least H2A (75%) in second and third-year subjects within the major, or equivalent.																														
<b>Objectives:</b>	See course objectives																														
<b>Structure &amp; Available Subjects:</b>	<p><b>Students undertaking pure honours in philosophy must complete:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Philosophy Thesis (25 points); and</li> <li># Six honours subjects in philosophy (totalling 75 points).</li> </ul> <p><b>Students undertaking combined honours in philosophy and another program must complete:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Philosophy Thesis (25 points); and</li> <li># Three honours subjects in philosophy (37.5 points)*; and</li> <li># Three honours subjects in the combining discipline (totalling 37.5 points).</li> </ul> <p>* As the honours thesis in philosophy is 25 points (as opposed to the usual 37.5 thesis in other Arts areas) combined honours students taking their thesis in philosophy take three coursework subjects in both philosophy and the combining discipline.</p> <p>or</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li># Honours thesis in the combining discipline (37.5 points); and</li> <li># Two honours subjects in the combining discipline (totalling 25 points); and</li> <li># Three honours subjects in philosophy (37.5 points).</li> </ul> <p>Total 100 points</p>																														
<b>Subject Options:</b>	<p><b>Philosophy Thesis Subject:</b></p> <p>Note: the thesis requires two consecutive semesters of enrolment.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>PHIL40015 Philosophy Thesis</td> <td>Semester 1, Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p><b>Philosophy Honours Subjects:</b></p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Subject</th> <th>Study Period Commencement:</th> <th>Credit Points:</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>PHIL40002 Recent European Philosophy</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PHIL40005 Metaphysics and Epistemology</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PHIL40007 Philosophy of Language and Mind</td> <td>Semester 2</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PHIL40014 Topics in Asian Philosophy</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>HPSC90010 Environment and Knowledge</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PHIL40016 The Ethics of Sex</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>PHIL90010 Global Justice</td> <td>Semester 1</td> <td>12.50</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	PHIL40015 Philosophy Thesis	Semester 1, Semester 2	12.50	Subject	Study Period Commencement:	Credit Points:	PHIL40002 Recent European Philosophy	Semester 2	12.50	PHIL40005 Metaphysics and Epistemology	Semester 1	12.50	PHIL40007 Philosophy of Language and Mind	Semester 2	12.50	PHIL40014 Topics in Asian Philosophy	Semester 1	12.50	HPSC90010 Environment and Knowledge	Semester 1	12.50	PHIL40016 The Ethics of Sex	Semester 1	12.50	PHIL90010 Global Justice	Semester 1	12.50
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	PHIL90009 Violence, War and Terrorism	Semester 2	12.50
	PHIL40011 Political Philosophy	Semester 1	12.50
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