2011-13 Cal Poly Catalog

Philosophy Department

BA PHILOSOPHY

60 units upper division
2.0 GPA
GWR
USCP

* = Required in Major; also satisfies GE

Note: No major, support or concentration courses may be taken as credit/no credit.

MAJOR COURSES

PHIL 101 Introduction to Philosophy .................. 4
PHIL 230 Philosophical Classics: Knowledge and Reality (C2)* ........................................ 4
PHIL 231 Philosophical Classics: Ethics and Political Philosophy ........................................... 4
PHIL 241 Symbolic Logic I ................................. 4
PHIL 242 Symbolic Logic II ............................... 4
PHIL 321 Philosophy of Science .......................... 4
PHIL 331 Ethics ............................................. 4
PHIL 411 Metaphysics ..................................... 4
PHIL 412 Epistemology .................................... 4
PHIL 460 Senior Project I .................................. 2
PHIL 461 Senior Project II .................................. 2

History of philosophy electives .......................... 16

Select four of the following:
PHIL 309 Early Greek Philosophy Plato (4)
PHIL 310 Aristotle & Hellenistic Philosophy (4)
PHIL 311 Greek Philosophy (4)
PHIL 312 Medieval Philosophy (4)
PHIL 313 Early Modern Rationalism (4)
PHIL 314 Early Modern Empiricism (4)
PHIL 315 Kant and 19th Century European Philosophy (4)
PHIL 316 20th Century European Philosophy (4)
PHIL 317 History of Analytic Philosophy (4)
PHIL 318 Phenomenology (4)
PHIL 319 Existentialism (4)

Concentration (see below) or 300–400 level PHIL electives .................................................. 20

(At least 12 units must be 400 level)

76
(6/25/15)

GENERAL EDUCATION (GE)

72 units required, of which are specified in Major.
See page 39 for complete GE course listing.
Minimum of 12 units required at the 300 level.

Area A Communication (12 units)

A1 Expository Writing ................................. 4
A2 Oral Communication ............................... 4
A3 Reasoning, Argumentation, and Writing ........ 4

Area B Science and Mathematics (20 units)

B1 Mathematics/Statistics ............................. 8
B2 Life Science ........................................ 4
B3 Physical Science ................................... 4
B4 One lab taken with either a B2 or B3 course
B5 elective

Area B elective (select one course from B1-B5) .... 4

Area C Arts and Humanities (12 units)

C1 Literature ............................................ 4
C2 Philosophy * 4 units in Major ..................... 0
C3 Fine/Performing Arts ............................. 4
C4 Upper-division elective (not in PHIL) .......... 4

Area D/E Society and the Individual (20 units)

D1 The American Experience (40404) ............... 4
D2 Political Economy .................................. 4
D3 Comparative Social Institutions ................. 4
D4 Self Development (CSU Area E) ................... 4
D5 Upper-division elective (not PHIL courses) .... 4

Area F Technology Elective (upper division)

(4 units) .................................................. 4

68

FREE ELECTIVES ....................................... 36

180

CONCENTRATION OR ELECTIVES

Select either the following concentration or 20 units of 300–400 level PHIL electives.

Ethics and Society Concentration ..................... 20

Select five of the following courses:
PHIL 285 Ethics Bowl (4)
PHIL 322 Philosophy of Technology (4)
PHIL 323 Ethics, Science and Technology (4)
PHIL 327 Robotic Ethics (4)
PHIL 332 History of Ethics (4)
PHIL 333 Political Philosophy (4)
PHIL 334 Philosophy of Law (4)
PHIL 335 Social Ethics (4) (USCP)
PHIL 336 Feminist Ethics, Gender and Society (4)
(USCP)
PHIL 337 Business Ethics (4)
PHIL 339 Biomedical Ethics (4)
PHIL 340 Environmental Ethics (4)
PHIL 341 Professional Ethics (4)
PHIL 343 Continental Political Philosophy (4)
PHIL 385 Advanced Ethics Bowl (2)
PHIL 439 Selected Problems in Ethics and Political Philosophy (4)

(12/8/15)

Approved Philosophy Electives

300–400 level PHIL electives ......................... 20

(At least 12 units must be 400 level)

PHIL 285, 323, 327, 343, 385 (6/25/15)
An additional 4 units of free electives may substitute. (4/23/14)