

PHILOSOPHY (PHL)

PHL-125A: Philosophy of the Human Person (3 Credits)

This course examines the philosophical literature on the question, what it means to be a human person. Topics such as the material and spiritual dimensions of the human person, the immortality of the soul, ethics and human dignity, and individuality and inter-subjectivity or community will be considered.

Fulfills Core Requirement in Philosophy.

Theme: Creative, Aesthetic, Spiritual Experience.

PHL-225A: Quest for the Good Life (3 Credits)

This course engages the philosophical and ethical literature seeking answers to the question: What makes a life good? We shall explore the roles of reason and faith in the search for the good life and probe subjects such as: happiness, wisdom, justice, and other virtues through study of the great works of philosophers, such as Plato, Aristotle, Augustine, Aquinas, Kant, and Mill. In their company, we will have the opportunity to examine our lives and what makes for a life truly worth living.