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Course Details

Credit Points 6

Summary of the Course

This Course will provide you with an in-depth engagement with selected themes in political philosophy. It will develop your understanding of some of the fundamentals, social and political challenges human societies face, how to address them philosophically, as well as key figures in this tradition. Issues that may be addressed include: individual and collective identity, civil society, rights, the relation of the individual to the state, power, freedom, social, recognitive and distributive justice, authority, the constitution of subjectivity, among others.

Course Learning Outcomes

1. Explain the origins and arguments from political philosophy
2. Apply philosophical concepts and arguments to contemporary problems and their proposed solutions
3. Evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of different philosophical approaches to complex political problems
4. Apply skills of scholarly inquiry in a study of philosophy
5. Communicate and debate complex ideas

Teaching Strategies

The course is designed to develop your capacity to comprehend and independently engage in classical and contemporary debates on key themes in political philosophy. It is structured around weekly readings, lectures and tutorial discussions on the readings. Preparation by reading the set texts is crucial for success and participation in the course. There will be introductory lectures that provide background information and introduce the core thematic and analytical properties, and subsequent lectures will explore, with the aid of specialised weekly readings, key debates in social and political philosophy. The tutorials will be extensive and involve in-depth discussion of the readings and related contemporary insight for debates and approaches. You are encouraged to participate in the class actively, by presenting questions, and trying to think of answers to the question posed.

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