COURSE DETAIL

CLASSIC READINGS IN PHILOSOPHY
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution University of East Anglia
Program(s) Environment and Sustainability, East Anglia
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy
UCEAP Course Number 103
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title CLASSIC READINGS IN PHILOSOPHY
UCEAP Transcript Title CLASSIC READNG/PHIL
UCEAP Quarter Units 8.00
UCEAP Semester Units 5.30

Course Description
This introductory course is designed to invite students into philosophical inquiry by engaging in a conversation – in the first instance - with some key figures from the history of philosophy, with an emphasis on ancient, medieval, and renaissance texts. Students examine the work of Plato, Aristotle, Boethius, Montaigne, Emerson, and Mill. Discussion is complimented by a series of mainstream Hollywood films from the 1930s to the present. The central theme of the conversation is friendship; more specifically, a certain understanding of friendship which is devoted to the moral or spiritual education of one friend by another: one which has, as its heart, the teaching of being true to oneself.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PPLP4061A

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
University of East Anglia

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Politics, Philosophy, Language and Communication

Course Last Reviewed

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