COURSE DETAIL

FUNDAMENTAL STRUCTURE OF THE WORLD
Country New Zealand
Host Institution University of Waikato
Program(s) University of Waikato
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy
UCEAP Course Number 155
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title FUNDAMENTAL STRUCTURE OF THE WORLD
UCEAP Transcript Title FUND STRUC OF WORLD
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

This course examines a range of metaphysical questions that relate to our everyday lives. These include questions like: what is a border; what is a person; what are race and gender; do fictional characters like Sherlock Holmes exist; does it even make sense to ask which things (really) exist and what do we mean when we ask this sort of question; how is metaphysics related to cognitive science; how should you respond when members of another culture have different metaphysical beliefs than you do; are the concepts that we use to ask metaphysical questions the concepts that we should be using; and should we try to construct new concepts, and if so, how should we do that?

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PHILO355

Host Institution Course Title
THE FUNDAMENTAL STRUCTURE OF THE WORLD

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
Hamilton

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

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