

COURSE DETAIL

ETHICS AND APPLIED ETHICS

Country

Barbados

Host Institution

University of the West Indies

Program(s)

University of the West Indies

UCEAP Course Level

Lower Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

7

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

ETHICS AND APPLIED ETHICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

ETHICS& APPLIED ETH

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

This course examines theoretical ethics and applied ethics. The focal point of the first part is an explication of some basic moral principles and theories. Theoretical ethics is concerned with understanding the nature of ethics, ethical language and ethical reasoning. On the other hand, the focus of applied ethics is more practical—it seeks to reach a practical judgment about what should be done in particular situations, or what is the most coherent ethical view to take towards a serious issue, such as abortion or euthanasia.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PHIL1002

Host Institution Course Title

ETHICS AND APPLIED ETHICS

Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus

Cave Hill

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

History and Philosophy

Course Last Reviewed

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