

# COURSE DETAIL

## MORAL AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY 2

**Country**

France

**Host Institution**

University of Bordeaux

**Program(s)**

University of Bordeaux

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Philosophy

**UCEAP Course Number**

130

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

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**UCEAP Official Title**

MORAL AND POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY 2

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

MORAL & POL PHIL 2

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

6.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

4.00

### **Course Description**

The course focuses on the Second Civil Government Treaty. The course presents Locke's political thought as it unfolds in the TWO TREATIES OF THE CIVIL GOVERNMENT, and places it in relation to the previous expositions devoted to the natural law. The course is devoted to analyzing the tensions that seem to exist in Locke's thought between a radical critique of any form of sovereignty that involves the affirmation of the absolute and inalienable character of natural human rights grounded in natural law, and the apparent defense of a form of popular sovereignty. The course tries to determine if Locke really tries and if he manages to articulate two essential principles of political modernity that are quickly identifiable with its two liberal and democratic components, even republican.

### **Language(s) of Instruction**

French

### **Host Institution Course Number**

LEP4U3

### **Host Institution Course Title**

PHILOSOPHIE MORALE ET POLITIQUE 2

### **Host Institution Campus**

UNIVERSITÉ BORDEAUX MONTAIGNE

### **Host Institution Faculty**

### **Host Institution Degree**

### **Host Institution Department**

Philosophie

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