

COURSE DETAIL

HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY II B

Country

Ireland

Host Institution

Trinity College Dublin

Program(s)

Trinity College Dublin

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

104

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY II B

UCEAP Transcript Title

HIST OF PHIL 2B

UCEAP Quarter Units

8.00

UCEAP Semester Units

5.30

Course Description

This course focuses on the work of major figures within the analytic tradition, including Bertrand Russell, G.E. Moore, A.J. Ayer, Rudolf Carnap, and W.V. Quine. The course examines how these philosophers have differed on a number of central issues, including a priori knowledge, the status of metaphysics, the role of philosophy, and the relationship between philosophy and science. The course considers the status of philosophy of language and metaphysics within the analytic tradition, and the purpose of philosophical theorizing. The course covers influential work within the analytic tradition from the 20th century, including that of Ludwig Wittgenstein, Ordinary Language Philosophy, Saul Kripke, and the revival of metaphysics.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PI2011

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HISTORY OF PHILOSOPHY II B

Host Institution Campus

Trinity College Dublin

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Philosophy

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