COURSE DETAIL

PROBLEMS IN ANALYTIC PHILOSOPHY

Country
United Kingdom - England

Host Institution
London School of Economics

Program(s)
London School of Economics

UCEAP Course Level
Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)
Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number
143

UCEAP Course Suffix
Y

UCEAP Official Title
PROBLEMS IN ANALYTIC PHILOSOPHY

UCEAP Transcript Title
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UCEAP Quarter Units
12.00

UCEAP Semester Units

8.00

Course Description
The aim of this course is to give an overview of some central themes in analytic philosophy, drawn from several areas: metaphysics, the philosophy of mind and action, and the philosophy of language. We will discuss questions such as the following: Metaphysics: Is "physicalism" -- the thesis that everything is ultimately produced by physical processes -- philosophically defensible? Are there any features of the world that go beyond physical ones? Is the world deterministic? Could there be true randomness? What is the nature of causation and causal laws? What is the role of time? What is it for one object (or person) to persist through time?

Language(s) of Instruction
English

Host Institution Course Number
PH221

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Host Institution Course Details

Host Institution Campus
LSE

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department
Philosophy

Course Last Reviewed

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