

# COURSE DETAIL

## SKEPTICISM AND RELATIVISM

**Country**

Hong Kong

**Host Institution**

University of Hong Kong

**Program(s)**

University of Hong Kong

**UCEAP Course Level**

Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**

Philosophy

**UCEAP Course Number**

111

**UCEAP Course Suffix****UCEAP Official Title**

SKEPTICISM AND RELATIVISM

**UCEAP Transcript Title**

SKEPTICISM&RELATIVE

**UCEAP Quarter Units**

5.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**

3.30

## Course Description

Is knowledge of the world possible? And is there even an objective world for our knowledge to be about? These are the topics of skepticism and relativism. Skeptics challenge our ability to know anything about the world. Relativists contest that there is no absolute, objective truth. In this class, we will study both historical and contemporary thinking about these perennial topics. We will address ancient arguments for skepticism, but also look to more contemporary relativistic thinking about science, morality, and other matters.

## Language(s) of Instruction

English

## Host Institution Course Number

PHIL2115

## Host Institution Course Title

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## Host Institution Course Details

## Host Institution Campus

## Host Institution Faculty

## Host Institution Degree

## Host Institution Department

Philosophy

## Course Last Reviewed

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