COURSE DETAIL

METAPHYSICS

Country

Singapore

Host Institution

National University of Singapore

Program(s)

National University of Singapore

UCEAP Course Level

Upper Division

UCEAP Subject Area(s)

Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

103

UCEAP Course Suffix

UCEAP Official Title

METAPHYSICS

UCEAP Transcript Title

METAPHYSICS

UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Metaphysics is the study of fundamental conceptual categories, including that of space and time, appearance and reality, mind and body, substance and existence, objects and their properties, and God. These concepts pertain to the structure of "ultimate reality" and generate perplexing philosophical issues, a sample of which are discussed in this course. Some topics: the problem of universals, paradoxes of the infinite, the concept of God, paradoxes of time travel, problems of cause and effect, free will, fatalism and determinism, the mind-body problem, realism and idealism, existence, identity, and individuation, essentialism, the relation between logic and metaphysics.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

PH2213

Host Institution Course Title

METAPHYSICS

Host Institution Campus

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Philosophy

Print