COURSE DETAIL

TOPICS IN GREEK PHILOSOPHY B
Country United Kingdom - England
Host Institution King's College London
Program(s) King's College London
UCEAP Course Level Upper Division
UCEAP Subject Area(s) Philosophy
UCEAP Course Number 109
UCEAP Course Suffix
UCEAP Official Title TOPICS IN GREEK PHILOSOPHY B
UCEAP Transcript Title GREEK PHILOSOPHY B
UCEAP Quarter Units 6.00
UCEAP Semester Units 4.00

Course Description

Neoplatonism is the last great ancient Greek philosophical tradition, founded in the 3rd century by Plotinus, who is arguably the most important ancient Greek thinker after Plato and Aristotle. Neoplatonism had a tremendous historical influence on subsequent philosophy, in both the European and Islamic worlds. Above all, however, the Neoplatonists are distinctive for their own philosophical interest and value, developing fascinating positions on issues such as the structure of reality, the soul and its happiness, the nature of evil, and the meaning of freedom. The Neoplatonic tradition also devoted considerable attention to the interpretation and harmonization of Plato and Aristotle. Anyone interested in the work of these two thinkers is likely to find Neoplatonism of interest too.

Language(s) of Instruction
English

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