

COURSE DETAIL

INTRODUCTION TO THE PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION

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)

Religious Studies Philosophy

UCEAP Course Number

145

UCEAP Course Suffix**UCEAP Official Title**

INTRODUCTION TO THE PHILOSOPHY OF RELIGION

UCEAP Transcript Title

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UCEAP Quarter Units

6.00

UCEAP Semester Units

4.00

Course Description

Through lectures/seminars, students will explore the ways in which philosophers have sought to understand and respond to the demands of Christian faith from both within and without that faith. Students will explore the social and psychological context of such faith, and the ways in which one might understand Christian notions of love, purity, devotion and sainthood, amongst others. Students will explore the ways in which some thinkers have seen Christianity as deepening our sense of the human condition whilst others have seen Christianity as degrading of our condition. The course is text based as, in this context, this is one of the best ways in which students can come to a deepened intellectual understanding of the matters under consideration.

Language(s) of Instruction

English

Host Institution Course Number

4AAT1601

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Host Institution Campus

King's College London

Host Institution Faculty

Host Institution Degree

Host Institution Department

Theology and Religious Studies

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