# COURSE DETAIL

## MORAL PHILOSOPHY

**Country**
United Kingdom - Scotland

**Host Institution**
University of Edinburgh

**Program(s)**
University of Edinburgh

**UCEAP Course Level**
Upper Division

**UCEAP Subject Area(s)**
Philosophy

**UCEAP Course Number**
118

**UCEAP Course Suffix**

**UCEAP Official Title**
MORAL PHILOSOPHY

**UCEAP Transcript Title**
MORAL PHILOSOPHY

**UCEAP Quarter Units**
8.00

**UCEAP Semester Units**
5.30

**Course Description**

This course covers moral philosophy, the branch of philosophy that deals with the nature, extent, and foundation of obligations, duties, virtues, practical reasons, and moral rights. Precise topics vary from year to year; representative topics include: Where do moral obligations come from, and what motivates people to follow them? How do we know what we morally ought to do? Do people have moral right; what about animals? What reasons do we have to help those in need? Do we have moral duties to ourselves; to our loved ones? Is the aim of providing a fully general, informative, moral theory achievable? Is there a universal human morality?

**Language(s) of Instruction**
English

**Host Institution Course Number**
PHIL10213

**Host Institution Course Title**
MORAL PHILOSOPHY

**Host Institution Course Details**
http://www.drps.ed.ac.uk/24-25/dpt/cxphil10213.htm?code=PHIL10213

**Host Institution Campus**

**Host Institution Faculty**
School of Philosophy, Psychology and Language Sciences

**Host Institution Degree**

**Host Institution Department**

**Course Last Reviewed**
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