## PHILOSOPHY, B.A.

120 credits and Three 1-credit PE courses

## GENERAL EDUCATION CORE BASIC REQUIREMENTS

( 6 credits and three 1-credit PE courses)
Composition and Rhetoric
EN 103 Composition and Rhetoric I
EN 104 Composition and Rhetoric II
Physical Education Courses
PE 100
PE $\qquad$
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MODES OF THINKING ( $\mathbf{1 2}$ credits)
Literature (Select one)
EN 110, EN 112, EN 115
Mathematics (Select one)
MA 109, MA 110, MA 111, MA 112, MA 121
Natural Science (Select one)
BI 209, 210, 211, 242, CH 209, PH 209
Philosophy (Satisfied by Major)
Social Sciences (Select one)
CJ 109, CM 130, EC 209, EC 112, HCM 230, PO 103, PO109, PS 109, SO 109

## CULTURAL LITERACY ( 15 credits)

Humanities I and II. Preferably select a set (e.g., HI 201/202). However, a combination (e.g., PO
$201+\mathrm{HI} 214)$ is acceptable.
Hum. I: HI 201, PO 201, HI 213
Hum. II: HI 202, PO 202, HI 214, HI 262
Humanities III: Great Works of Art \& Music
Humanities IV: Great Works of Literature (Satisfied by Major)
Foreign Language/World Cultures
(Select either two of the same language, any two WC, or one WC and one approved course with international study)

## CHRISTIAN VALUES AND THEOLOGY

(6 credits)
Catholic Theology
TH 109
Intermediate Theology (200/300 level TH)
TH
Values Seminar
(Satisfied by Major)

## MAJOR ( $\mathbf{3 6}$ credits)

## Foundational

PL 109: Philosophical Thinking
PL 225: Logic

## Ancient Period

One of the following (PL 350-The
Republic of Plato OR PL 355-The
Nicomachean Ethics of Aristotle).

## Medieval Period

One of the following (PL 345-The Confessions of St. Augustine OR PL 360-The Summa Theologiae of Thomas Aquinas).

## Modern Period

One of the following (PL 375-The Age of Reason, OR PL 410-Metaphysics: The Search for Synthesis).

## Contemporary Period

One of the following (PL 340-
Existentialism OR PL 390-Seminar in Creativity and Beauty OR PL 438: Applied Ethics).

## Contemporary Values Seminar

One of the following: PL 473-479
Advanced Study in Philosophy
TH 451: Integrating Seminar in Theology/Philosophy

## Controlled Electives: Choose any four courses

 in philosophy or related fields, chosen by the student and approved by the philosophy faculty.$\qquad$
FREE ELECTIVES (45 credits)
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OPTIONAL MINOR


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Example Plan: PHILOSOPHY MAJOR (B. A.)

FIRST YEAR

FALL SEMESTER (15 Credits and 1-Credit PE)
Composition and Rhetoric I (EN 103)
Philosophical Thinking MOT (PL 109)
... or ...
Foreign Language/World Cultures I
Free Elective
Free Elective
Lifetime Fitness and Wellness (PE 100)

SPRING SEMESTER (15 Credits and 1-Credit PE)
Composition and Rhetoric II (EN 104)
Social Science MOT
Foreign Language/World Cultures
Free Elective
Free Elective
Physical Education (Activity)

## SECOND YEAR

## FALL SEMESTER (15 Credits and 1-Credit PE)

Humanities I
Literature MOT
... or ...
Catholic Theology (TH 109)
PL required course (PL 350 OR PL 355)
...or...
Free Elective
Physical Education (Activity)

## THIRD YEAR

## FALL SEMESTER ( 15 credits)

| Humanities III | ... or ... |
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| Natural Science MOT | ... or ... |
| PL required course (345 OR PL 360) | ... or ... |
| PL required course (PL $375 \underline{\text { OR PL 410) }}$ | $\ldots$...... |

## FOURTH YEAR

## FALL SEMESTER ( 15 credits)

PL Values Seminar
... or ...
PL controlled elective *
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

## SPRING SEMESTER ( 15 credits)

Humanities II
Mathematics MOT
Logic and Argument (PL 225)
Free Elective
Free Elective

## SPRING SEMESTER (15 credits)

Integrating Seminar in Theology/Philosophy (TH 451)
PL controlled elective *
Free Elective
Free Elective
Free Elective

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