Hum 231: Philosophy 2 Credit Hours.

2 hrs. per week.

Nature and Scope of Philosophy, Functions of Philosophy; Methods of Philosophy: Dogmatism, Criticism and Analysis; Theories of the Origin of Knowledge: Authoritarianism, Empiricism (Francis Bacon, Protagoras, John Locke, George Bishop Berkeley, John Stuart Moore etc); Rationalism (Socrates, Plato, Aristotle, Rene Descartes, Leibniz, Spinoza, Hegel, Bradeley, Bosanquet), Intuitionism and Critical Theory of Kant; Theories of Evolution: Mechanical, Teleological, Creative and Emergent; Oriental Philosophy: Indian Philosophy, Chinese Philosophy and Japanese Philosophy; Contemporary Philosophy: Phenomenalism and Existentialism, Postmodernism, Logical Positivism, Pragmatism, Structuralism, Continental Philosophy and Frankfort School. Applied Philosophy: Environmental Philosophy.