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Proséminaire I : Concepts-clés de philosophie contemporaine (2PH2195)

Filières concernées	Nombre d'heures	Validation	Crédits ECTS
Pilier principal M A - philosophie	Séminaire: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	3
Pilier secondaire M A - philosophie	Séminaire: 2 ph	Voir ci-dessous	3

ph=période hebdomadaire, pg=période globale, j=jour, dj=demi-jour, h=heure, min=minute

Période d'enseignement:

- Semestre Automne

Equipe enseignante

Prof. Kathrin Koslicki, Prof. Simon-Pierre Chevarie-Cossette, Prof. Olivier Massin, with presentations by guest-speakers.

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The aim of this Proseminar I is to familiarize MA students in philosophy with key concepts that are used across different subdisciplines of philosophy. Over the course of the semester, students will have the opportunity to interact with a variety of professors and presenters who will discuss central methodological questions and philosophical topics in their areas of expertise, such as the following: begging the question; modality; parthood and composition; essence, dependence, and explanation; the mind/body problem; actions, acts, and activities; intentionality and intensionality; reasons; values; fiction; justification and responsibility; varieties of social phenomena; and time.

Forme de l'évaluation

The final grade will be based on a written exam (3 hours). The use of documents is authorized during the exam, but not the use of electronic devices. Regular attendance and participation in seminar meetings and in-class discussions is expected.

Modalités de rattrapage

If the first attempt results in a failing grade on the 3-hour written exam, the exam can be re-taken during a second attempt in a subsequent exam period.

Documentation

Readings and other materials can be found on the seminar's Moodle page.

Pré-requis

BA in philosophy or equivalent.

Forme de l'enseignement

Seminar, 2 hours, Tuesday, 14:00-16:00, Fall semester.

Objectifs d'apprentissage

Au terme de la formation l'étudiant-e doit être capable de :

- Define key concepts in philosophy.
- Discuss central problems in philosophy.
- Evaluate philosophical arguments.
- Analyse philosophical texts.

Compétences transférables

- Communicate clearly how key concepts are used in philosophical contexts across different subdisciplines of philosophy.
- Formulate well-reasoned arguments orally and in writing.
- Work with other students.

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