

INTERDISCIPLINARY PHILOSOPHY MAJOR, B.A.

The interdisciplinary philosophy major consists of 27 credits in philosophy and 15 credits in a companion discipline.

For the Bachelor of Arts degree, students are also required to complete a third semester in a foreign language (such as FRENCH 2040, GERMAN 2240, SPANISH 2840) and one English literature course (2000-level or above).

Course	Title	Credits
Philosophy Requirements		
PHLSPHY 1130	Introduction to Philosophy	3
PHLSPHY 2530	Ethics	3
PHLSPHY 2630	Logic	3
PHLSPHY 3030	Ancient and Medieval Philosophy	3
PHLSPHY 3040	Modern Philosophy	3
Applied Ethics		
Choose at least one of the following, depending upon the companion discipline (see below)		
PHLSPHY 2550	Business Ethics	
PHLSPHY 3440	Environmental Ethics	
PHLSPHY 3480	Biomedical Ethics	
PHLSPHY 3540	Science, Technology, and Ethics	
Additional Courses in Philosophy		
At least three additional 3-credit courses, at least two of which must be at the 3000-level or above		
PHLSPHY 2050	Philosophy of Love, Sex and Friendship	
PHLSPHY 2100	Thinking Critically	
PHLSPHY 2730	Introduction to the Hebrew Scriptures	
PHLSPHY 2830	Introduction to the New Testament	
PHLSPHY 2930	Major Traditions in Eastern Religions	
PHLSPHY 2940	Special Topics in Philosophy	
PHLSPHY 3140	Philosophy of Sport	
PHLSPHY 3230	Philosophy of Religion	
PHLSPHY 3530	Philosophy of Gender and Sexuality	
PHLSPHY 3630	Philosophy of Law	
PHLSPHY 3840	Existentialism	
PHLSPHY 4430	Seminar in Philosophy	
PHLSPHY 4720	Individual Research in Philosophy	
Common Discipline Requirements ¹		
Business		
ACCTING 2010	Financial Accounting	
BUSADMIN 1300	Global Business	
9 additional credits in Accounting or Business Administration		
Applied Ethics - PHLSPHY 2550		
Criminal Justice		
CRIMLJUS 1130	Introduction to Criminal Justice	
CRIMLJUS 2130	Foundations of Policing	
CRIMLJUS 2230	Foundations of Corrections	
Six additional credits in Criminal Justice		
Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 2550, PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480		
English Language and Linguistics		
Fifteen credits from ENGLISH 2210, ENGLISH 3250, ENGLISH 3260, ENGLISH 3940, ENGLISH 4020		
Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 2550, PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480		
Foreign Language		
At least 15 credits in one foreign language (Spanish, French or German). At least 3 credits must be earned at UW-Platteville		
Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 2550, PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480		

Humanities

Six credits of literature

Six credits of history

Three credits of either literature or history at 3000-level or above

Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 2550, PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480

Professional Writing

ENGLISH 3000 Technical Writing

Four courses from ENGLISH 2040, ENGLISH 2120, ENGLISH 3140, ENGLISH 3150, ENGLISH 3160, ENGLISH 3240, ENGLISH 3360, ENGLISH 4120, ENGLISH 4680, MEDIA 1360, or MEDIA 2050

Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 2550, PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480

Social Science

PSYCHLGY 1130

Twelve credits in any Social Science course ²

Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 2550, PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480

STEM

Three credits of Mathematics, MATH 1620 or above

Nine credits in a course with a Natural Science designation

Three additional credits in either Mathematics or General Engineering

Applied Ethics - Any of PHLSPHY 3540, PHLSPHY 3440, PHLSPHY 3480

Additional Requirements for the Bachelor of Arts Degree

7-15

Third Semester Foreign Language

FRENCH 2040 Intermediate French

GERMAN 2240 Intermediate German

SPANISH 2840 Intermediate Spanish

One English Literature course 2000-level or above

Total Credits

49

¹ A student may choose an alternative companion discipline with permission of two faculty members: one from philosophy and one from that companion discipline.

² Twelve credits in any courses that either have general education social science designation or are from a social science program (i.e., economics, geography, international studies, political science, psychology, or sociology).