



Philosophy Lecture List for Michaelmas Term 2021

- Delivery of teaching is through several modes. At undergraduate level, lectures will mostly be delivered live, with many “in person” at Radcliffe Humanities or Examination Schools (“Rad. Hum.” or “Schools” below), and some online. Here and there, an option might be covered by existing recordings. Graduate classes will take place live and mostly in person, though some may be online.
- The Philosophy Canvas intranet site will be made available to undergraduate and graduate students, and relevant sections for classes and lectures will appear there. The Canvas pages will contain a link for classes taking place online.
- If you are attending in person a lecture, or a class of 15 or more people, please wear a face mask unless you have an exemption. (Those participating in classes may remove the mask to speak, replacing it when they are finished.)
- Where they are live, classes or lectures will begin at five minutes after the hour and end at five minutes before the next hour.
- The information below is subject to change. Please make sure that you check the Faculty’s website <http://www.philosophy.ox.ac.uk/lectures> for the most up-to-date information. Detailed course descriptions will be published in the Lecture Prospectus, available on that webpage.
- Please comment on our lectures using the online questionnaire at the same webpage.
- This information is correct as at 7 October 2021. You should check nearer to the start of term for changes in timings.
- In the event of any queries or mistakes, please contact [James Knight](#).

Subject	Lecturer / Convener	Time	Location
Undergraduate Lectures: Lectures for the First Public Examination (“Prelims” / “Mods”) - see notes, p.2			
Plato: <i>Euthyphro</i> and <i>Meno</i>	Prof Lindsay Judson	M. W. 12	Online
Early Greek Philosophy	Prof Marion Durand	W. 12	Schools (room 8)
Lucretius: <i>De Rerum Natura</i> IV	Prof Alexander Bown	M. 12	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
General Philosophy	Prof Rachel Fraser	W. 12	Schools (North School)
Introduction to Logic	Prof James Studd	N/A	Recordings on Canvas
Moral Philosophy: Mill, <i>Utilitarianism</i>	Dr Jeremy Fix	F. 12	Schools (South School)

Undergraduate Lectures: Core Lectures for the Honour Schools (“Finals”)			
101 Early Modern Philosophy: Descartes	Prof Paul Lodge	T. 10	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
101 Early Modern Philosophy: Hume	Prof Peter Millican	Th. 10	Schools (South School)
101 Early Modern Philosophy: Leibniz	Prof Gonzalo Rodriguez-Pereyra	T. 5	Online
102 Knowledge and Reality: Epistemology	Prof Bernhard Salow	W. 10	Schools (South School)
103 Ethics II: Metaethics	Prof Alison Hills	M. 10	Schools (North School)
104 Philosophy of Mind	Prof Will Davies	F. 10	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
107 Philosophy of Religion	Prof Mark Wynn	F. 10	Schools (North School <i>except weeks 5 – 7</i> : South School)
113 Post-Kantian Philosophy: Heidegger	Prof Stephen Mulhall	T. 2	New College (Lecture Room 6)
115 / 130 Plato: <i>Republic</i>	Prof Simon Shogry	T. 10	Schools (North School)
116 / 132 Aristotle: <i>Nicomachean Ethics</i>	Prof Ursula Coope	W. 10	Online
120 Intermediate Philosophy of Physics: Quantum Mechanics	Dr Owen Maroney	M. T. 11	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
121 Advanced Philosophy of Physics	Prof Adam Caulton and Dr Carina Prunkl	T. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Colin Matthew Room)

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122 Philosophy of Mathematics	Prof Joel David Hamkins	W. 12	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
124 / 106a Philosophy of Science	Dr Tushar Menon	M. T. 12 (weeks 1 to 6)	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
131 / 137 Plato on Knowledge, Language, & Reality in the <i>Theaetetus</i> & <i>Sophist</i>	Prof Michael Peramatzis	Th. 12 (weeks 1 to 6)	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
133 / 138 Aristotle on Nature, Life and Mind	Prof Ursula Coope	M. 10	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
134 / 136 / 139 Knowledge and Scepticism in Hellenistic Philosophy	Prof Luca Castagnoli	W. 10 – 12 (weeks 1 to 6)	Oriel College (odd weeks, Harris Lecture Theatre; even weeks, Harris Seminar Room)
198 Special Subject: Feminist Theory	Prof Amia Srinivasan	(Th. 4)	Recordings on Canvas
198 Special Subject: The Ethics of Artificial Intelligence and Digital Technology <i>see below</i> ¹	Prof Milo Phillips-Brown, Prof John Tasioulas, Prof Carissa Veliz	T. 10 – 12	Oxford Martin School (Lecture Theatre) <i>except week 2: Schools (room 1) and week 6: Schools (room 11)</i>
198 Special Subject: Indian Philosophy	Prof Jessica Frazier and Prof Jan Westerhoff	M. 2 - 4 (weeks 1 to 4)	Rad. Hum. (Colin Matthew Room)

Other Events (suitable for all audiences except where indicated)			
Reproductive Ethics	Ms Tess Johnson	W. 11 (weeks 1 to 4)	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
Structuralism in the Philosophy of Mathematics	Mr Nuno Mendes da Silva Maia	W. 11 (weeks 5 to 8)	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)
Kant's Theory of Freedom	Mr Jack Wearing	F. 11 (weeks 1 to 4)	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)

Graduate Classes (intended primarily for the Faculty's BPhil and MSt students)²			
BPhil Pro-Seminar: Theoretical Philosophy (<i>strictly for first-year BPhil students only – students will be assigned to slot 1 or 2</i>)	1: Prof Anil Gomes / Prof Ofra Magidor 2: Prof Matthew Parrott / Prof Tim Williamson	1: W. 11 – 1 2: F. 11 – 1	Rad. Hum. (Colin Matthew Room / Ryle Room)
Plato on Education	Prof Dominic Scott	T. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
Early Analytic Philosophy	Prof Ian Rumfitt	W. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
The Philosophy of David Lewis	Prof Nicholas Jones and Prof Alexander Kaiserman	M. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
Formal Semantics	Prof Paul Elbourne	F. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
Realism and Indeterminacy	Dr Wesley Wrigley	M. 10 – 12	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
Agency and its Limits	Prof Natalia Waightes Hickman	Th. 11 – 1	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
Philosophy of Physics	Prof Adam Caulton and Dr Carina Prunkl	T. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Colin Matthew Room)
Political Philosophy	Dr Thomas Sinclair	T. 11 – 1	Rad. Hum. (Ryle Room)
The Ethics of Creating, Preserving, and Ending Lives	Prof Jeff McMahan	M. 2 – 4	Rad. Hum. (Lecture Room)

Notes

Students working towards the First Public Examination (Prelims or Classics Mods) should attend the following lectures:

Prelims PPE, PPL, PT, PML: Introduction to Logic; General Philosophy; and Moral Philosophy: Mill

Prelims MP, PP, CSP: Introduction to Logic; General Philosophy

Classics Mods: whichever lectures correspond to your chosen Philosophy paper. You may also attend other options for breadth, and are encouraged to do so! If you are taking Introduction to Modern Philosophy, you should attend some or all of Introduction to Logic, General Philosophy, and Moral Philosophy: Mill, depending on what you will cover for the paper.

¹ Access to these lectures is strictly limited to those students registered with the Faculty as taking the option for Finals 2022.

² With the exception of the Pro-Seminar, classes in this section may be attended by Philosophy DPhil students, advanced undergraduates on Philosophy degrees, and students from other departments, but they should contact the class-giver in advance to ask permission.