

CATALOG INFORMATION

Dept and Nbr: PHIL 49

Title: INDEPENDENT STUDY

Full Title: Independent Study in Philosophy

Last Reviewed: 10/23/2017

Units		Course Hours per Week		Nbr of Weeks	Course Hours Total	
Maximum	3.00	Lecture Scheduled	0	17.5	Lecture Scheduled	0
Minimum	1.00	Lab Scheduled	0	6	Lab Scheduled	0
		Contact DHR	1.00		Contact DHR	17.50
		Contact Total	1.00		Contact Total	17.50
		Non-contact DHR	8.00		Non-contact DHR	140.00

Total Out of Class Hours: 0.00

Total Student Learning Hours: 157.50

Title 5 Category: AA Degree Applicable

Grading: Grade Only

Repeatability: 00 - Two Repeats if Grade was D, F, NC, or NP

Also Listed As:

Formerly:

**Catalog Description:**  
Independent study program designed to expand upon previous classroom knowledge or cover material not covered in another Philosophy course. UC determines credit AFTER transfer; not counted for admission. (See a counselor for details.)

**Prerequisites/Corequisites:**

**Recommended Preparation:**  
Eligibility for ENGL 1A or equivalent

**Limits on Enrollment:**  
Approval of the project proposal by sponsoring faculty, Department Chair and Supervising Administrator.

**Schedule of Classes Information:**  
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Transfer Credit: CSU;UC.

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## **ARTICULATION, MAJOR, and CERTIFICATION INFORMATION:**

<b>AS Degree:</b>	<b>Area</b>			Effective:	Inactive:
<b>CSU GE:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>			Effective:	Inactive:
<b>IGETC:</b>	<b>Transfer Area</b>			Effective:	Inactive:
<b>CSU Transfer:</b>	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:	
<b>UC Transfer:</b>	Transferable	Effective:	Fall 1981	Inactive:	

**CID:**

**Certificate/Major Applicable:**

Not Certificate/Major Applicable

## **COURSE CONTENT**

### **Student Learning Outcomes:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. Students will be able to:

Augment their philosophical knowledge through self-designed study.

### **Objectives:**

At the conclusion of this course, the student should be able to:

1. Produce an independent study project on a philosophical subject.
2. Demonstrate knowledge about that subject.

### **Topics and Scope:**

Varies depending upon the project selected.

Student submits a draft outline to supervising instructor, under whose direction a final outline is agreed upon.

### **Assignment:**

1. Final project which demonstrates comprehension of the subject matter.
2. Reading of books and/or journal articles by reputable philosophers (approximately 20 to 50 pages per week).
3. Weekly consultation with instructor throughout the semester to discuss requirements and work in progress.

### **Methods of Evaluation/Basis of Grade:**

**Writing:** Assessment tools that demonstrate writing skills and/or require students to select, organize and explain ideas in writing.

Final project

Writing  
70 - 90%

**Problem Solving:** Assessment tools, other than exams, that demonstrate competence in computational or non-computational problem solving skills.

None

Problem solving  
0 - 0%

**Skill Demonstrations:** All skill-based and physical demonstrations used for assessment purposes including skill performance exams.

None

Skill Demonstrations  
0 - 0%

**Exams:** All forms of formal testing, other than skill performance exams.

None

Exams  
0 - 0%

**Other:** Includes any assessment tools that do not logically fit into the above categories.

Consultation with instructor

Other Category  
10 - 30%

### **Representative Textbooks and Materials:**

Texts will vary with the topic studied.