Bemidji State University

PHIL 3340: Twentieth and Twenty-First Century Philosophy

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION
   Credits: 3
   Lecture Hours/Week: 0
   Lab Hours/Week: 0
   OJT Hours/Week: *.*
   Prerequisites: None
   Corequisites: None
   MnTC Goals: Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts, Goal 07 - Human Diversity
   This course covers the major movements in twentieth and twenty-first century philosophy. Might not be offered every year. [Core Curriculum Goal Area(s) 6 & 7]

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 08/01/2024 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)
   1. get acquainted or reacquainted with the roots of the tradition of Western philosophy.
   2. use artistic works to raise and to challenge traditional philosophic positions on these issues.
   3. learn the values intrinsic to the arts and the cultivation of a sensitivity to others, to oneself and to one's surroundings.
   4. develop their ability to read, speak, and write clearly, effectively and critically about the issues examined.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies
   Goal 06 - Humanities/Fine Arts
   1. Demonstrate awareness of the scope and variety of works in the arts and humanities.
   2. Understand those works as expressions of individual and human values within an historical and social context.
   3. Respond critically to works in the arts and humanities.
   4. Articulate an informed personal reaction to works in the arts and humanities.

   Goal 07 - Human Diversity
   1. Understand the development of and the changing meanings of group identities in the United States' history and culture.
   2. Demonstrate an awareness of the individual and institutional dynamics of unequal power relations between groups in contemporary society.
   3. Analyze their own attitudes, behaviors, concepts and beliefs regarding diversity, racism, and bigotry.

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT
   As noted on course syllabus
G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted