

MINOR IN PHILOSOPHY

Philosophy asks big questions: What can we know? What exists? What is right? Students learn to approach these questions through careful instruction that emphasizes clarity of thought and expression, thorough reasoning, and the analysis of diverse viewpoints. These skills support intellectual and personal growth. They are, also, valuable assets in professions that demand complex thinking. The Philosophy Minor is flexible and allows students to expand their knowledge of applied ethics (including business ethics and ethics of artificial intelligence), ethical theory, political philosophy, metaphysics and epistemology, and more.

For further information about policies related to minors, see the Program Policies (catalog.bentley.edu/undergraduate/degree-requirements/#minorspolicies) page.

Course	Title	Credits
Required Courses		
Any four courses in philosophy. The Department offers courses in the following categories:		12
Applied Ethics		
PH 102	Practical Ethics	
PH 130	Business Ethics: Corporate Social Responsibility	
PH 134	Healthcare Ethics	
PH 138	Environmental Ethics	
PH 140	Disability, Values & Society	
Metaphysics and Epistemology		
PH 103	Ultimate Questions	
PH 252	Theories of Knowledge	
PH 253	Theories of Reality	
PH 270	Consciousness and Experience	
PH 271	Other Minds	
Value Theory		
PH 310	Ethical Theory	
PH 311	Social Philosophy	
PH 312	Liberty, Morality and Law	
PH 316	Feminist Theory	
PH 320	Human Rights and Global Governance	
Total Credits		12