

College of Liberal Arts and Human Sciences, Department of Philosophy

Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy: Major in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (BAPHI PPE)

For student date of entry under UG Catalog 2023-2024

A. Pathways General Education Requirements

Please see the Pathways General Education website

Concept 1: Discourse	(9)
Concept 2: Critical Thinking in the Humanities	(6)
Concept 3: Reasoning in the Social Sciences	(6)
Concept 4: Reasoning in the Natural Sciences	(6)
Concept 5: Quantitative and Computational Thinking	(9)
Concept 6: Critique and Practice in Design and the Arts	(6)
Concept 7: Critical Analysis of Identity and Equity in the United States Total	(3)
credit hours to complete the Pathways General Education Requirements:	(45)

B. PPE Major Requirements

I) Philosophy Degree Core Courses (21)

A. History of Philosophy (6 credit hours). Choose two courses from the following list:

PHIL 2115: Ancient Through Medieval Philosophy	_____ (3)
PHIL 2116: Ancient Through Medieval Philosophy	_____ (3)
PHIL 2125: History of Modern Philosophy	_____ (3)
PHIL 2126: History of Modern Philosophy	_____ (3)

B. Logic (3 credit hours)

PHIL 3505: Modern Logic and Its Development	_____ (3)
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C. Metaphysics and Epistemology (6 credit hours). Choose two courses from the following list:

PHIL 1204: Knowledge and Reality	_____ (3)
PHIL 4204: Philosophy of Mind [#]	_____ (3)
PHIL 4214: Metaphysics [#]	_____ (3)
PHIL 4224: Epistemology [#]	_____ (3)
PHIL 4604: Philosophy of Biology	_____ (3)
PHIL 4614: Philosophy of Science [#]	_____ (3)

D. Value Theory (6 credit hours). Choose two courses from the following list, including at least one 3000-4000 level course:

PHIL 1304: Morality and Justice	_____ (3)
PHIL 2304: Global Ethics	_____ (3)
PHIL 2314: Philosophy of Sex, Gender, and Race	_____ (3)
PSCI 3015 (PHIL 3015): Political Theory [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3016 (PHIL 3016) (PPE 3016): Political Theory [#]	_____ (3)
PHIL 3334: Ethical Perspectives on Artificial Intelligence	_____ (3)
PHIL 3314 (PPE 3314): Ethical Theory [#]	_____ (3)
PHIL 3414: Aesthetics	_____ (3)
PHIL 4304 (PPE 4304): Political Philosophy [#]	_____ (3)

II) PPE Major Courses (24)

A. Integration (6 credit hours)

PHIL 2894 (PSCI 2894) (ECON 2894): Introduction to Philosophy, Politics, and Economics*

or

PPE 2894: PPE Gateway Course (Pre: Sophomore standing). Note: PPE 2894 replaces PHIL 2894 (PSCI 2894) (ECON 2894)*. _____ (3)

PHIL 4884 (PSCI 4884) (ECON 4884): Advanced Topics in Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (senior standing required, Pre: PHIL 2894 or PSCI 2894 or ECON 2894)*

or

PPE 4884: PPE Capstone Course (Pre: PPE 2894. Senior standing). Note: PPE 4884 replaces PHIL 4884 (PSCI 4884) (ECON 4884)*. _____ (3)

B. Concentration in Political Science and Economics (18 credit hours, 9 credit hours from each area)**

Political Science (9 credit hours)

PSCI 1014(or H): Introduction to US Government and Politics <i>or</i> PSCI 2014: Introduction to Political Theory	_____ (3)
PSCI 2024 (PPE 2024): Research Methods in Political Science [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 2064 (GEOG 2064) (IS 2064): The Global Economy and World Politics	_____ (3)
PSCI 3015 (PHIL 3015): Political Theory	_____ (3)
PSCI 3016 (PHIL 3016) (PPE 3016): Political Theory	_____ (3)
PSCI 3144 (IS 3144): Global Governance & Public Policy [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3154 (IS 3154): Topics in Global Public Policies [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3165, 3166 (IS 3165, 3166): Global Economic Governance & Policy [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3175, 3176 (IS 3175, 3176): Global Development [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3234: Voting and Elections [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3334: Judicial Process [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3344 (UAP 3344): Global Environmental Issues: Interdisciplinary Perspectives [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3354: Constitutional Law: Structures and Relationships [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3364: Constitutional Law: Civil and Political Rights [#]	_____ (3)

PSCI 3554: Comparative Political Economy [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3634 (IS 3634): Human Rights: Global Issues [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3724: Poverty and Welfare Policy [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3744 (UAP 3744): Public Policy Analysis [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3764: Contemporary Democratic Theory [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 3774 (UAP 3774): Marxian Political Analysis [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4054 (IS 4054): Seminar in Global Political Economy [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4064 (IS 4064): Seminar in Global Development [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4214: Senior Seminar in Political Behavior [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4314: Senior Seminar in Political Institutions [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4324: Senior Seminar in Constitutional Law [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4714 (IS 4714): Senior Seminar in Policy Analysis [#]	_____ (3)
PSCI 4724: Senior Seminar in Political Theory [#]	_____ (3)

Economics (9 credit hours)

ECON 2005: Principles of Economics (micro) <i>or</i> ECON 2025H: Honors Principles of Economics (micro)	_____ (3)
ECON 2006: Principles of Economics (macro) <i>or</i> ECON 2026H: Honors Principles of Economics (macro)	_____ (3)
ECON 3004: Contemporary Economic Issues [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3024 (PPE 3024): Economic Justice [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3034: Economics of Poverty and Discrimination [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3104: Microeconomic Theory [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3134 (BDS 3134): Choice and Behavior [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3144: Economics of Regulation [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3204: Macroeconomic Theory [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 3214: Money and Banking [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4014: Environmental Economics [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4044: Public Economics [#]	_____ (3)
ECON: 4054: Public Finance [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4074: Labor Economics [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4124: Growth and Development [#]	_____ (3)
AAEC 4135 (ECON 4135): International Economics [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4214: Economics of Health Care [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4424: The Theory of Games and Economic Behavior [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4434: Experimental Economics [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4454 (NEUR 4454) (PSYC 4454): Neuroeconomics [#]	_____ (3)
ECON 4894: Law and Economics [#]	_____ (3)

Total credit hours required to complete the PPE Major Requirements: (45)

C. Free Electives

Free elective courses* (30)**

Total credit hours required for graduation (120)

General PPE Major Requirements and Guidelines

- (1) #These courses have prerequisites or co-requisites that must be satisfied. Please consult the Undergraduate Course Catalog for the latest statement of these requirements.
- (2) *The PPE Gateway Course (PHIL/PSCI/ECON 2894 or PPE 2894) fulfills 3 credit hours (Concepts 2 or 3) and the PPE Capstone Course (PHIL/PSCI/ECON 4884 or PPE 4884) fulfills 3 credit hours (Concepts 1(A) or 2) under the “Pathways General Education Requirements.”
- (3) In accordance with University Guidelines, courses satisfying degree core requirements may not be double counted to satisfy other areas of degree (e.g. Pathways).
- (4) **Students must take at least five courses at the 3000-4000 level from the selection of “PPE Major Courses.”
- (5) ***As part of their free elective courses, students are encouraged to take an internship course or participate in another experiential learning opportunity, for example, in the context of PPE 4964.
- (6) No more than 50% of the graded course credits required for the PPE Major may be double-counted by a student also enrolled in a Philosophy, Political Science, or Economics major.
- (7) All courses to fulfill the “PPE Major Requirements” must be taken A/F and be completed with a minimum GPA of 2.0. Students must also maintain an overall GPA of 2.0.
- (8) Foreign language requirement: Students who did not successfully complete at least two years of a single foreign, classical, or sign language during high school must successfully complete six semester hours of a single foreign, classical, or sign language at the college level. Courses taken to meet this requirement do not count toward the hours required for graduation. Please consult the Undergraduate Catalog for details.
- (9) Eligibility for continued enrollment: Checksheet requirements adhere to the “Satisfactory Progress” toward degree policy of the university (Policy 91).
- (10) A minimum of 120 semester credit hours is required for graduation.