

SYLLABUS

Contemporary Philosophy

7.5 credits F0001S

Filosofiska frågor

Course syllabus admitted: Autumn 2017 Sp 1 - Spring 2023 Sp 4

DECISION DATE
2017-02-15

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First cycle, F0001S

Education level	Grade scale	Subject	Subject group (SCB)
First cycle	U G VG *	Filosofi	Philosophy

Main field of study

Philosophy

Entry requirements

In order to meet the general entry requirements for first cycle studies you must have successfully completed upper secondary education and documented skills in English language

Selection

The selection is based on final school grades or Swedish Scholastic Aptitude Test.

Examiner

Anders Odenstedt

Course Aim

By the end of the course, the student shall be able to:

- understand some of the central problems dealt with in modern philosophy
- critically reflect on these problems and their relevance to other academic disciplines
- show basic argumentative skills relating to these problems

Contents

The course provides a basic overview of key problems in modern philosophy. Emphasis is placed on philosophical understanding and not on the historical and biographical context of ideas. The topics dealt with include the following: the problem of knowledge and skepticism, free will, the philosophy of time, and the philosophy of mind.

Realization

Each course occasion's language and form is stated and appear on the course page on Luleå University of Technology's website.

The teacher-controlled tuition consists of lectures and seminars.

Examination

If there is a decision on special educational support, in accordance with the Guideline Student's rights and obligations at Luleå University of Technology, an adapted or alternative form of examination can be provided.
Written exam

Overlap

The course F0001S is equal to KSS727

Literature. Valid from Autumn 2016 Sp 1

Nagel, Thomas, Vad är meningen med alltihop? (Nora: Nya Doxa, 1992 or later eds.).

Articles comprising app. 300 pages.

Course offered by

Department of Arts, Communication and Learning

Items/credits

No items/credits available

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