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PHILOSOPHY MAJOR, B.A. – 2019-2020

The Philosophy major consists of a total of **48 units in Philosophy**, at least 36 of which must be upper-division. Students must follow the requirements of one of the two concentrations: Core Philosophy and Ethics and Public Policy. For details, consult the Philosophy Department.

CONCENTRATION I: CORE PHILOSOPHY

**PREPARATION FOR THE MAJOR**

Required: Philosophy 3 or 183* ................................................................................................................ 4

*Philosophy 183 applies to the 36 upper-division units required.

Recommended: Philosophy 20A-B-C

**UPPER-DIVISION MAJOR**

36 UD units are required, distributed as follows:

A. Three courses from Philosophy 100A-B-C-D-E-F, 116 ................................................................. 12

B. Three courses from:
   Philosophy 133, 141, 151, 152, 153, 156, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166A, 168,
   173, 176 ......................................................................................................................................... 12

   (4 units may be selected from Philosophy 20A-B-C but such units will NOT
   count toward the 36 upper-division units required.)

C. Additional UD philosophy electives to bring total units in major to 48
   (which must include at least 36 UD units) ....................................................................................... 12-20

By petition, up to 4 units may be taken from courses in a cognate department.

   LD Philosophy electives taken:______________________________________________________________

   UD Philosophy electives taken:______________________________________________________________

**MAJOR REGULATIONS**

PREREQUISITES.............................................. Check the General Catalog for the prerequisites to all listed courses.

P/NP GRADING OPTION ........................................ Not allowed for any course applied to the major (prep or UD), including courses applied to the major from other departments.

SUBSTITUTIONS.............................................. In the major requirements permissible only by petition to the department chair and dean.

RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS ....................... At least 20 UD units in major while in residence at UCSB.

G.P.A REQUIREMENTS ......................... At least 2.0 overall UC average in all upper-division major courses and all courses (Prep and UD) for the major.

DOUBLE MAJORS........................................ With the approval of each department chairperson, up to a total of 8 units may be applied simultaneously to both UD majors.