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(07/2004)

1.0 Degree Title

Specify the two degrees for concurrent degree programs

Ph.D.

1.1

Philosophy

**1.2 Concentration (Legacy = Concentration/Option)
If applicable (30 char. max.)**
**1.3 Minor (with Concentration, if applicable)
(30 char. max.)****1.4 Category**

Faculty Program (FP)

Major

Joint Major

Major Concentration (CON)

Minor

Minor Concentration (CON)

Honours (HON)

Joint Honours

Component (HC)

Internship/Co-op

Thesis (T) X

Non-Thesis (N)

Other

Please specify

1.5

Ph.D. In Philosophy

2.0 Administering Faculty/Unit

Graduate and Postdoctoral Studies

Offering Faculty/Department

Arts/Philosophy

3.0 Effective Term of revision or retirementPlease give reasons in 5.0 "Rationale" in the case
of retirement

(Ex. Sept. 2004 = 200409)

Retirement

Term:

201409

4.0 Existing Credit Weight**Proposed Credit Weight**

0

0

5.0 Rationale for revised program

The current version of the logic requirement is more demanding than most of the best analytic philosophy departments in North America. The proposed change in the programme brings it into line with these other departments by providing the necessary grounding in logic and offering the option of a more advanced requirement for those students whose research plans require it. This was favourably noted in the 2013 Cyclical Review Report of the Department.

6.0 Revised Program Description (Maximum 150 words)

No change.

7.0 List of existing program and proposed program

Existing program (list courses as follows: Subj Code/Crse Num, Title, Credit weight, under the headings of: Required Courses, Complementary Courses, Elective Courses)

- **See attachment**
- **7.0 Existing PhD Philosophy Requirements for Revision**

Proposed program (list courses as follows: Subj Code/Crse Num, Title, Credit weight, under the headings of: Required Courses, Complementary Courses, Elective Courses)

- **See attachment**
- **7.0 Proposed PhD Philosophy Requirements for Revision**

Attach extra page(s) as needed

7.0 List of existing program**Program Requirements****Thesis**

A thesis for the doctoral degree must constitute original scholarship and must be a distinct contribution to knowledge. It must show familiarity with previous work in the field and must demonstrate ability to plan and carry out research, organize results, and defend the approach and conclusions in a scholarly manner. The research presented must meet current standards of the discipline; as well, the thesis must clearly demonstrate how the research advances knowledge in the field. Finally, the thesis must be written in compliance with norms for academic and scholarly expression and for publication in the public domain.

Required Courses (18 credits)

- [PHIL 607 Pro-Seminar 1 \(6 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 682 Pro-Seminar 3 \(6 credits\)](#)
- ~~[PHIL 685 Fundamentals of Logic \(3 credits\)](#)~~
- [PHIL 690 Candidacy Paper \(3 credits\)](#)

Complementary Courses

(21-27 credits)

Students admitted to Ph.D. 1 require nine complementary courses.

Students admitted to Ph.D. 2 require seven complementary courses.

Minimum of two courses from the following

- [PHIL 551 Seminar: Ancient Philosophy 2 \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 556 Seminar: Medieval Philosophy \(3 credits\)](#)

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Required Courses (15 credits)

- [PHIL 607 Pro-Seminar 1 \(6 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 682 Pro-Seminar 3 \(6 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 690 Candidacy Paper \(3 credits\)](#)

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- [PHIL 567 Seminar: 19th Century Philosophy \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 575 Seminar: Contemporary European Philosophy \(3 credits\)](#)

and/or any other course at the 500, 600, or 700 level in the History of Philosophy recommended/accepted by the student's advisory committee. Depending on the topics covered, [PHIL 607](#) and [PHIL 682](#) may count toward the area requirements.

Minimum of 2 courses from the following:

- [PHIL 534 Seminar: Ethics \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 543 Seminar: Medical Ethics \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 544 Political Theory \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 548 Seminar: Philosophy of Law \(3 credits\)](#)

and/or any other course at the 500, 600 or 700 level in Value Theory recommended/accepted by the student's advisory committee. Depending on the topics covered, [PHIL 607](#) and [PHIL 682](#) may count toward the area requirements.

Minimum of 2 courses from the following:

- [PHIL 506 Seminar: Philosophy of Mind \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 507 Seminar: Cognitive Science \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 510 Seminar: Advanced Logic 2 \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 511 Seminar: Philosophy of Logic and Mathematics \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 515 Seminar: Philosophy of Language \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 519 Seminar: Epistemology \(3 credits\)](#)

- [PHIL 570 Seminar: Contemporary Analytic Philosophy \(3 credits\)](#)

and/or any other course at the 500 level or higher in Metaphysics and Epistemology recommended/accepted by the student's advisory committee. Depending on the topics covered, [PHIL 607](#) and [PHIL 682](#) may count toward the area requirements.

The remaining course(s) must be at the 500, 600, or 700 level and are to be chosen in consultation with the student's advisory committee.

Language Requirement

One research language at the advanced level or two research languages at the intermediate level.

Logic Requirement

The Logic requirement is satisfied in one of two ways:

A) By the end of December of the first year, the student sits an examination, equivalent to the final examination of PHIL 210 and passes it with a grade of B+ or better. A student who does not achieve a satisfactory grade will sit a supplementary examination to be held before the end of May of the first year. The examination is graded on the same scale as that applied to undergraduate students in PHIL 210.

B) The student passes a logic course more difficult than PHIL 210 (eg. PHIL 310) with a grade of B+ or higher before the end of the first year of the program.

A student failing to satisfy the logic requirement will be asked to withdraw from the programme by the Graduate Director.

- [PHIL 521 Seminar: Metaphysics \(3 credits\)](#)
- [PHIL 570 Seminar: Contemporary Analytic Philosophy \(3 credits\)](#)

and/or any other course at the 500 level or higher in Metaphysics and Epistemology recommended/accepted by the student's advisory committee. Depending on the topics covered, [PHIL 607](#) and [PHIL 682](#) may count toward the area requirements.

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8.0 Consultation with Related Units Yes No Financial Consult Yes No
 Attach list of consultations NA

9. Approvals

Routing Sequence	Name	Signature	Date
Department	DAVID DAILES	<i>[Signature]</i>	13th Sept 2013
Curriculum Committee	Susan Sharpe	<i>[Signature]</i>	OCT 21 2013
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