

PAR 101-01 Western Phil Traditions – 12249 <i>Introduces students to thinkers foundational to liberal arts education who pursue the examined life, inquiring into human existence, knowledge and moral goodness.</i>	10:10–11:00 am, MWF	John Whitmire
PAR 102-70 Western Moral Traditions – 12409 <i>The study of historical theories of virtue, duty and the common good, along with moral education; and contemporary moral dilemmas (e.g., abortion, animal rights, genetic engineering)</i>	6:00–8:50 pm, T	Jeffrey Vickery
PAR 145-01 Eastern Rel Traditions – 12204 <i>Historical, political, and theological contexts in which the major religious traditions of the East (Buddhism, Confucianism, Hinduism, Taoism) developed, with attention to distinctive ethical principles.</i>	9:30–10:45 am, TR	Michelle Sorensen
PAR 145-02 Eastern Rel Traditions – 12231 <i>Historical, political, and theological contexts in which the major religious traditions of the East (Buddhism, Confucianism, Hinduism, Taoism) developed, with attention to distinctive ethical principles.</i>	12:30–1:45 pm, TR	Michelle Sorensen
PAR 146-01 Western Rel Traditions – 12339 <i>Historical, political, and theological contexts in which the major religious traditions of the West (Judaism, Christianity, Islam) developed with attention to noted ethical principles.</i>	12:20–1:10 pm, MWF	Jeffrey Vickery
PAR 146-02 Western Rel Traditions-HON – 12332 <i>Historical, political, and theological contexts in which the major religious traditions of the West (Judaism, Christianity, Islam) developed with attention to noted ethical principles.</i>	1:25–2:15 pm, MWF	Jeffrey Vickery
PAR 146-50 Western Rel Traditions – 12425 <i>Historical, political, and theological contexts in which the major religious traditions of the West (Judaism, Christianity, Islam) developed with attention to noted ethical principles.</i>	Online (Distance only)	Scott Muir
PAR 190-01 FrstYrSem: Freedom, Cult & Utopia – 12327 <i>Study of classic utopian visions of ideal societies, along with criticisms arising from the implications for human freedom in such communities.</i>	8:00–8:50 am, MWF	Daryl Hale
PAR 201-01 Philosophy of Love & Sex-HON – 12349 <i>An examination of key conceptual and ethical questions concerning love and sex. Is love really essential to a good life? What defines sexual perversion?</i>	11:00–12:15 pm, TR	Christopher Hoyt
PAR 230-01 Legal, Scientific & Crit Reason – 12329 <i>Argument analysis; validity, strength, soundness of deductive and inductive arguments; logical fallacies; practical uses of critical reasoning in legal, scientific, and ethical case studies.</i>	9:05–9:55 am, MWF	David Henderson
PAR 250-01 Origins Early Christian Traditions – 12423 <i>Study of the historical events, processes, and key persons involved in the emergence of the early Christian church, stressing philosophical-theological disputes forming early Christianity.</i>	12:30–1:45 pm, TR	Jason LeCureux
PAR 251-01 Understand Islamic Traditions – 12334 <i>The religious history of Islam, the beliefs and practices of Muslims, Islamic mysticism, the vitality of Islam, contemporary tensions and interpretations.</i>	2:30–3:45 pm, MW	Jeffrey Vickery
PAR 295-01 Self, Society & the Good Life - 12250 <i>An intensive seminar teaching the skills of research and writing in the humanities, while studying theories and problems of the good life.</i>	11:15–12:05 pm, MWF	John Whitmire
PAR 306-01 Erly Mdn Phil Copernicus-Kant – 12342 <i>Rejecting authority of tradition, rationalists, and empiricists, like Rene Descartes and Francis Bacon, inaugurate modern natural science by demanding new methods and principles of reasoning.</i>	12:20–1:10 pm, MWF	Daryl Hale
PAR 320-01 Phil & Rel Classics: Rel & Myth – 12424 <i>Myth and Meaning: From Gods to Superheroes--An examination of the values and ideas conveyed by archetypal myths of heroes, gods, goddesses, and their modern descendants, superheroes.</i>	2:00–3:15 pm, TR	Robert Jones
PAR 323-01 Mysticism – 12344 <i>Study of the varied meanings of mysticism in thought, religion, and culture.</i>	8:00–9:15 am, TR	James McLachlan
PAR 332-01 Biomed Ethics & Soc Just – 12336 <i>Ethical theories surrounding autonomy, beneficence, justice, applied to concepts of health, disease, and personhood; patient-provider relationship, life-death issues, health policy, genetic engineering, and biomedical research.</i>	2:30–3:45 pm, MW	Christopher Hoyt
PAR 333-01 Environment Ethics – 12407 <i>Environmental ethics concerns how humans ought to be related to nature. One question explored is “Do animal and ecosystems have value independent of human needs?”</i>	2:00–3:15 pm, TR	David Henderson
PAR 353-70 Religion in Film – 12421 <i>An examination of how religion and the fundamental problems of religious thought have been portrayed in classic and contemporary film.</i>	6:00–8:50 pm, W	James McLachlan
PAR 354-01 Rel, Suffer, & Moral Imag-SLC – 12252 <i>Exploration of the perennial problems of human suffering and the quest for moral meaning as exemplified in imaginative creations in literature, philosophy, and religious thought.</i>	2:30–3:20 pm, MWF	John Whitmire
PAR 356-01 Buddhism – 12235 <i>Introduction to the philosophy and practice of Buddhism, considering its various manifestations from different historical periods and geographical locations.</i>	3:30–4:45 pm, TR	Michelle Sorensen
PAR 366-01 Religion and Science – 12347 <i>Study of the conflicts between religious and scientific explanations of reality; examines pivotal cases- Galileo/Church dispute, Darwinism/creationism - for constructive models of religious-scientific dialogue.</i>	9:30–10:45 am, TR	Daryl Hale
PAR 367-01 Native American Religions – 12426 PAR 367-51 – 12427 An interdisciplinary study of indigenous religious beliefs in North America using anthropological, linguistic, as well as religious studies to study North American Religious traditions.	Online (Resident) (Distance only)	Carrie McLachlan
PAR 367-02 Native American Religions – 12428 PAR 367-52 – 12429 An interdisciplinary study of indigenous religious beliefs in North America using anthropological, linguistic, as well as religious studies to study North American Religious traditions.	Online (Resident) (Distance only)	Carrie McLachlan
PAR 393-01 Tps: Phil of Religious Exp – 12396 <i>Topics in Philosophy and Religion</i> PAR 495-01 Seminar in Phil & Rel – 12401 <i>Seminar in Philosophy and Religion</i>	11:00–12:15 pm, TR	James McLachlan

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