To: ASCRC
From: Department of Philosophy

The Department of Philosophy would like its majors and minors to be better prepared for doing advanced work and so intends to require that they complete a designated writing course before they will be eligible to take upper-division core courses. We would also like to distinguish more sharply between courses that are appropriate for a general, upper-division audience and those that are intended primarily for philosophy majors and graduate students. To this end, most of the changes we are proposing adjust prerequisites and, in some cases, course level. Here is a summary:

1. Program Modification: Change in major/minor requirements, upper-division course prerequisites, and program description.
2. PHL 237: delete course.
3. PHL 311E: change course number, when offered, prerequisites, course description.
5. PHL 421E: change course number, level, title; update prerequisites.
6. PHL 423: change course number, level, prerequisites.
7. PHL 470: change course number, level, title, prerequisites.
8. Change prerequisites (single course form) for the following courses:
9. PHL 324: change prerequisites.
10. PHL 327: change prerequisites.
11. PHL 405: change prerequisites.
12. PHL 406: change prerequisites.
13. PHL 412: change prerequisites.
14. PHL 422: change prerequisites.
15. PHL 427: correct title and number of credits; change prerequisites.
16. PHL 429: change prerequisites.
17. PHL 445: change prerequisites.
18. PHL 450: change prerequisites.
19. PHL 455: change prerequisites.
20. PHL 462: change prerequisites.
21. PHL 464: change when offered, prerequisites.
22. PHL 465: change when offered, prerequisites.
23. PHL 466: change when offered, prerequisites.
24. PHL 467: change prerequisites.
25. PHL 468: change prerequisites.
26. PHL 499: change prerequisites.

Sincerely,

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