

**DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY:  
PER COURSE TEACHING POSITIONS  
Winter 2025**

**ON CAMPUS**

**PHIL 1010 CRW in Human Nature.** One on-campus section for the Winter Term, 2025.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course provides an overview of foundational knowledge and skills to enable critical reading and writing at the university level by way of analysis and critique of selected conceptions and theories of human nature raised throughout the history of philosophy. All sections of this course follow the Critical Reading and Writing Course Guidelines available at [www.mun.ca/hss/crw](http://www.mun.ca/hss/crw).

**QUALIFICATIONS:** A M.A. in Philosophy is required with demonstrable extensive study at the graduate level of philosophy. Proven teaching ability at post-secondary level is required. Previous experience teaching this course will be an asset.

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**PHIL 2020 Epistemology.** One on-campus section for the Winter Term, 2025.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course aims to improve the student's ability to formulate and evaluate arguments. At the end of the course, the student will have a thorough understanding of the essentials of argument, the rules of valid inference, and ways of proving the validity of good arguments and the invalidity of bad arguments.

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**PHIL 2030 Logic.** One on-campus section for the Winter Term, 2025.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course is an introduction to traditional and modern logic.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** A M.A. in Philosophy is required with demonstrable extensive study at the graduate level of logic or related areas of Philosophy. Proven teaching ability at post-secondary level is required, specifically in the area of logic. Previous experience teaching this course will be an asset.

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## DISTANCE COURSES

**PHIL 2100 HEALTH ETHICS.** Two distance sections for the Winter Term, 2025.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course examines concepts of health and illness and their ethical implications.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** A M.A. in Philosophy is required with demonstrable extensive study at the graduate level in philosophy or related areas in philosophy such as philosophy of health and health ethics. Proven teaching ability at post-secondary level is required. Recent experience with distance course delivery is preferred.

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**PHIL 2140 MEDIA ETHICS.** One distance section for the Winter Term, 2025.

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:** This course examines ethical issues and dilemmas arising in the realm of the mass media, within the context of foundational ethical theories and major philosophies of mass communication. Topics include the nature and structure of mass communication, the public sphere, and the role of the media in a functioning democracy. Subtopics include: propaganda, censorship, freedom of speech, and access to information and communication.

**QUALIFICATIONS:** A M.A. in Philosophy is required with demonstrable extensive study at the graduate level of the philosophy of media ethics. Proven teaching ability at post-secondary level is required. Recent experience with distance course delivery is preferred.

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