

PHILOSOPHY

Associate of Arts Degree

Arts, Communication & Design Pathway
 CCD.edu/Philosophy

Philosophy Transfer Major

Are you more interested in questions than answers? Do you want to learn to think carefully and well about life's most compelling questions? If so, you might be a philosophy major! Our program is designed for you to complete the first two years of a bachelor's degree at CCD and transfer to a university to complete a Bachelor of Arts (B.A.) in philosophy.

In this program, you will learn to read, write and think critically about current issues and life's enduring questions. As you progress through our highly interactive program, you will not only explore diverse worldviews but also hone your particular take on the world as well. In encountering both timeless works and new classics, you will wrestle with engaging moral dilemmas, explore the nature of reality, and contemplate the contrast between knowledge and belief. Throughout this process, you will cultivate critical reading, writing, and thinking skills that will apply to an endless number of careers, including law, politics, government, business, science and education. As you complete this program, you will explore a wide diversity of voices and take courses that are common to all four-year institutions in Colorado. Finally, CCD's A.A. in philosophy will prepare you to complete the second half of a B.A. in philosophy at a four-year university.

COURSE MAP

| Course | Title | Credits |
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| First Semester | | |
| ENG 1021 | English Composition I: GT-CO1 ¹ | 3 |
| PHI 1011 | Intro to Philosophy: GT-AH3 ⁴ | 3 |
| COM 1250 | Interpersonal Communication: GT-SS3 | 3 |
| HUM 1023 | Humanities: Modern World: GT-AH2 | 3 |
| Choose One Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (GT-SS1~GT-SS3) | | 3 |
| COM 2300 | Intercultural Communication: GT-SS3 | |
| COM 2220 | Group Communication: GT-SS3 | |
| CRJ 1010 | Introduction to Criminal Justice: GT-SS3 | |
| ECO 2001 | Principles of Macroeconomics: GT-SS1 | |
| JOU 1005 | Introduction to Mass Media: GT-SS3 | |
| PSC 1011 | American Government: GT-SS1 | |
| Subtotal | | 15 |
| Second Semester | | |
| ENG 1022 | English Composition II: GT-CO2 ¹ | 3 |
| PHI 1012 | Ethics: GT-AH3 ⁴ | 3 |
| MAT 1240 | Math for Liberal Arts: GT-MA1 | 4 |
| Choose One History Course (GT-HI1) | | 3 |
| HIS 2005 | Women in World History: GT-HI1 | |
| HIS 2500 | History of Islamic Civilization: GT-HI1 | |
| HIS 2110 | African American History: GT-HI1 | |
| HIS 1320 | Western Civilization: 1650-Present: GT-HI1 | |
| HIS 2140 | Civil War Era in American History: GT-HI1 | |
| HIS 1120 | The World: 1500-Present: GT-HI1 | |
| Choose One Natural & Physical Sciences Course (GT-SC1) | | 4-5 |
| PHY 1105 | Conceptual Physics with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| BIO 1005 | Science of Biology with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| ENV 1111 | Environmental Science with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| ANT 1005 | Biological Anthropology with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| CHE 1011 | Introduction to Chemistry I with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| GEY 1111 | Physical Geology with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| Subtotal | | 17-18 |
| Third Semester | | |
| PHI 1013 | Logic: GT-AH3 ⁴ | 3 |
| PHI 2018 | Environmental Ethics: GT-AH3 ⁴ | 3 |
| PHI 2020 | Philosophy of Death and Dying: GT-AH3 ⁴ | 3 |
| Choose One Arts & Humanities Course (GT-AH1, GT-AH2, GT-AH4) | | 3 |

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| ART 1111 | Art History Ancient to Medieval: GT-AH1 | |
| LIT 2025 | Introduction to Shakespeare: GT-AH2 | |
| LIT 2046 | Literature of Women: GT-AH2 | |
| LIT 2059 | Survey of African American Literature: GT-AH2 | |
| HUM 1003 | Introduction to Film Art: GT-AH2 | |
| LIT 2005 | Race, Ethnicity, and Culture in U.S. Literature: GT-AH2 | |
| Choose One Natural & Physical Sciences Course (GT-SC1~GT-SC2) | | 3-4 |
| AST 1140 | Astronomy of Ancient Cultures: GT-SC2 | |
| GEO 1060 | Global Climate Change: GT-SC2 | |
| BIO 1003 | Principles of Animal Biology: GT-SC2 | |
| BIO 1016 | Introduction to Human Disease: GT-SC2 | |
| ENV 1111 | Environmental Science with Lab: GT-SC1 | |
| Subtotal | | 15-16 |
| Fourth Semester | | |
| COM 1010 | Communicating through Technology | 1 |
| Choose One Social & Behavioral Sciences Course (GT-SS1~GT-SS3) | | 3 |
| JOU 1005 | Introduction to Mass Media: GT-SS3 | |
| PSY 1002 | General Psychology II: GT-SS3 | |
| PSY 2771 | Psychology of Personality: GT-SS3 | |
| SOC 1001 | Introduction to Sociology I: GT-SS3 | |
| WST 2000 | Introduction to Women's Studies: GT-SS3 | |
| ANT 1001 | Cultural Anthropology: GT-SS3 | |
| Choose One Elective Course | | 3-5 |
| HIS 1310 | Western Civilization: Antiquity-1650: GT-HI1 | |
| HIS 1320 | Western Civilization: 1650-Present: GT-HI1 | |
| WST 2000 | Introduction to Women's Studies: GT-SS3 | |
| HUM 1021 | Humanities: Early Civilization: GT-AH2 | |
| COM 2300 | Intercultural Communication: GT-SS3 | |
| SPA 1011 | Spanish Language I | |
| Choose One Elective Course | | 3-5 |
| ENG 2021 | Creative Writing I: GT-AH1 | |
| ENG 2027 | Poetry Writing | |
| ART 1111 | Art History Ancient to Medieval: GT-AH1 | |
| ART 1112 | Art History Renaissance to Modern: GT-AH1 | |
| JOU 1006 | Media News and Reporting | |
| SPA 1012 | Spanish Language II | |
| Choose One Elective Course | | 3 |
| HUM 1015 | World Mythology: GT-AH2 | |
| HUM 1003 | Introduction to Film Art: GT-AH2 | |
| PHI 2020 | Philosophy of Death and Dying: GT-AH3 | |
| THE 1005 | Theatre Appreciation: GT-AH1 | |
| MUS 1020 | Music Appreciation: GT-AH1 | |
| ANT 1001 | Cultural Anthropology: GT-SS3 | |
| Subtotal | | 13-17 |
| Total Credits | | 60-66 |

¹ Students can take ENG 1022 and an additional GT-CO3 course instead of ENG 1021 and ENG 1022.

² One Guaranteed Transfer Math (GT-MA1) course; MAT 1240 is recommended

³ This course is 5 credit hours.

⁴ If these credits are not required for the major at a receiving 4-year institution, they will be applied to the Bachelor's degree as elective credit towards graduation.

⁵ Students planning to attend the University of Colorado Boulder MUST NOT TAKE additional PHI-prefix courses when completing their electives area.

Note: If these credits are not required for the major at a receiving four-year institution, they will be applied to the bachelor's degree as elective credit towards graduation. Please check with the receiving institution to determine in which way these courses will be applied.

NOTE: The faculty at Community College of Denver have chosen course elective options for this program of study based on the skills students will

need to be successful in this discipline. However, for a complete list of available course options, please go to the Colorado Department of Higher Education Transfer Degree Agreement for this program.