Course offer in English in Philosophy

General information:

- The Department of Philosophy is located in the Faculty of Humanities at the University of Konstanz.
- The department offers the following study programmes:
  - B.A. Philosophy
  - M.A. Philosophy (can be studied entirely in English)
  - B.Ed./M.Ed. Philosophy/Ethics
- Exchange students in the Department of Philosophy (like students of any other host department) are free to choose courses across programmes, departments and even faculties as long as they fulfil the necessary prerequisites (e.g. prior knowledge (methodology) in a discipline) and the course is available.
- In the Department of Philosophy it is mostly introductory lectures and core seminars on BA level for students in lower semesters that that are on offer repetitively. After the fundamental introduction to their discipline, students choose from a set of elective seminars. The topics of those seminars change every semester. Therefore, we advise incoming students to look at past semester’s course catalogues in order to get a general idea what the offer usually looks like.
- Further information about course and assessment types, as well as ECTS values in sociology can be found in the Incoming Student Guide (p. 57-59).

For BA level courses consult p. 1-2 of this list.
For MA level courses consult p. 2-3 of this list.

Courses offered in English in current/past semesters (BA level)

Winter semester 2023/24

Introduction to the Philosophy of Language, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Modality and Modal Logic, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Philosophy of Perception across the Senses, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Summer semester 2023

Barbara Gail Montero: Thought in Action, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Introduction to Metaphysics, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)
Winter semester 2022/23

Nomy Arpaly: Unprincipled Virtue, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Introduction to philosophical method, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Paradoxes: Truth, Infinity, and Time Travel, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Aesthetics and Philosophy of Art, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Philosophy of Technology, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Summer semester 2022

Nelson Goodman, Languages of Art, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Philosophy of Nuclear War, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Narrativity and the Self, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Timothy Williamson's Vagueness, introductory seminar, choice between 4 or 4+4 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Courses offered in English in past semesters (MA level)

Winter semester 2023/24

Cross-cultural Perspectives on the Mind, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Global Justice, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Semantics and Pragmatics for Philosophers, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Topics in contemporary Metaphysics, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

Summer semester 2023

Arbitrary objects, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)
**Ethics and Economic Design**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Philosophy of Mathematics**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Techno-Scientific Practices**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Winter semester 2022/23**

**History and Philosophy of Artificial Intelligence**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Summer semester 2022**

**The Present and Future of AI Research**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Philosophy of Economics**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Aristotelian Virtue Ethics**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Morality and Mathematics**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)

**Collective Choice and Social Welfare**, advanced seminar, choice between 6 or 6+6 ECTS (separate assessments and grades)