

New Requirements for Majoring in Philosophy (to go into effect Fall 2011)*

Traditional Philosophy Major		Philosophy & Public Affairs Option
PHIL 1051 Introduction to Philosophy PHIL 2045 Introduction to Logic	Recommended Courses	PHIL 1051 Introduction to Philosophy PHIL 2045 Introduction to Logic
PHIL 2111 History of Ancient Philosophy <u>and</u> PHIL 2112 History of Modern Philosophy	Foundational Courses	PHIL 2111 History of Ancient Philosophy OR PHIL 2112 History of Modern Philosophy <u>and</u> PHIL 2131 Ethics: Theory & Applications OR PHIL 2132 Social and Political Philosophy
Six Electives Chosen from 2000, 3000, or 4000 level PHIL courses	Electives	Six Electives Chosen from 2000, 3000, or 4000 level PHIL courses
Two Proseminars PHIL 4198 taken twice during the junior and/or senior years OR One Proseminar (Phil 4198) AND **Directed Readings & Research (Phil 4199) and Honors Thesis	Additional Requirements	Two Proseminars PHIL 4198 taken twice during the junior and/or senior years OR One Proseminar (Phil 4198) AND *Directed Readings & Research (Phil 4199) and Honors Thesis

Total of 10 PHIL courses (30 credits) for each major

*All current GW students will be able to graduate as philosophy majors under the previous requirements.

**Honors Thesis Option must first be approved by Department Chair & Honors Thesis Advisor.

Please see http://www.gwu.edu/~philosop/undergraduate_studies/undergrad_faq.cfm for more information on this option.