

Program:	Philosophy
Degree:	BA
Department:	Philosophy & Humanities
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<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Master the depth of knowledge required for a degree</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrating mastery of relevant texts.</li> <li>• Locating relevant information through independent research.</li> <li>• Articulating philosophical or scholarly problems.</li> <li>• Formulating clear and significant philosophical theses.</li> <li>• Constructing valid arguments and defend their premises.</li> <li>• Organizing a philosophical or scholarly essay.</li> </ul>

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Demonstrate critical thinking</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Using logic and reasoning to identify the strengths and weaknesses of alternative solutions, conclusions or approaches to problems.</li> <li>• Identifying and questioning assumptions and framing problems in multiple ways.</li> <li>• Considering the relative costs and benefits of potential actions to choose the most appropriate one.</li> <li>• Being comfortable in the face of ambiguity, subtle differences, problems with multiple solutions and problems with no solutions.</li> </ul>

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Communicate effectively</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Communicating information and ideas in speaking and writing so others will understand.</li> <li>• Distinguishing between essential and non-essential information, and organizing information into coherent, systematic lines of thought.</li> <li>• Giving full attention to what other people are saying, taking time to understand the points being made, asking questions as appropriate, and not interrupting at inappropriate times.</li> </ul>

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Practice personal and social responsibility</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Working independently, taking initiative and managing one's own time.</li> <li>• Taking responsibility for one's beliefs, words and actions.</li> <li>• Articulating values and reasons supporting those values.</li> </ul>

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Demonstrate social, cultural, and global competencies</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Anticipating and appreciating other points of views.</li> <li>• Being aware of others' reactions and understanding why they react as they do.</li> <li>• Recognizing the connections between specific events and larger social forces.</li> </ul>

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<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Prepare to engage in life-long learning</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Recognizing the limits of one's current knowledge and methodologies.</li><li>• Understanding the implications of new information for both current and future problem-solving and decision-making.</li><li>• Nurturing curiosity and creativity in oneself and others.</li></ul>

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Work collaboratively</b>
Marketable Skills	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• The ability to work with and motivate others.</li><li>• Adapting when confronted with new or contradictory points of view.</li><li>• Identifying common ground and reconciling differences.</li></ul>