

<b>Faculty</b>	Arts and Humanities			
<b>Home Department</b>	Philosophy			
<b>Module Topic</b>	Currents in Modern Philosophy			
<b>Generic Module Name</b>	Philosophy 311			
<b>Alpha-numeric Code</b>	<b>PHI311</b>			
<b>NQF Level</b>	7			
<b>NQF Credit Value</b>	10			
<b>Duration</b>	Semester			
<b>Proposed semester to be offered</b>	First Semester			
<b>Programmes in which the module will be offered</b>	BA (2101), BA Extended Programme (2612), BTh (2013)			
<b>Year level</b>	3			
<b>Main Outcomes</b>	<p>On completion of this module students should be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Discursively conversant with the selected currents of thought in modern philosophy.</li> <li>• Able to give a critical account of the selected currents of thought in modern philosophy.</li> <li>• Relate these currents of thought to each other and to the larger context of the history of ideas.</li> <li>• Sufficiently read to analyse philosophically contemporary national and international issues in terms of the selected currents of thought in modern philosophy.</li> </ul>			
<b>Main Content</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• The module will expose students to a critical reading of a selected range of currents of modern philosophical thought with reference to the problems that these traditions formulated, their nuanced responses and internal tensions. The selection of materials for the module will be made from philosophical traditions such as logical positivism, linguistic analysis, phenomenology, existentialism, structuralism, post-structuralism, modernity and post-modernity, but will not necessarily be confined to these. The selection of currents of thought may also vary from year to year.</li> </ul>			
<b>Pre-requisite modules</b>	At least two of PHI212, PHI213, PHI221 or PHI222			
<b>Co-requisite modules</b>	None			
<b>Prohibited module Combination</b>	None			
<b>Breakdown of Learning Time</b>	<b>Hours</b>	<b>Timetable Requirement per week</b>		<b>Other teaching modes that does not require time-table</b>
<i>Contact with lecturer / tutor:</i>	38	<i>Lectures p.w.</i>	1	
<i>Assignments &amp; tasks:</i>	27	<i>Practicals p.w.</i>	0	
<i>Tutorials</i>	0	<i>Tutorials p.w.</i>	1	
<i>Assessments:</i>	5			
<i>Selfstudy:</i>	30			
<i>Other:</i>	0			
<b>Total Learning Time</b>	<b>100</b>			
<b>Methods of Student Assessment</b>	Continuous Assessment (CA): 60% Final Assessment (FA): 40%			
<b>Assessment Module type</b>	Continuous and Final Assessment (CFA)			