

Phil 3308 Race, Justice, and Equality

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We live in a social world characterized by racial segregation and inequality. This course will focus on two philosophical questions related to the political philosophy of race: a) What are race and racism, and how do they intersect with other forms of identity and oppression and b) What kinds of moral and political responsibilities do we incur as a result of the existence of racism? We will use these analyses to discuss some contemporary political issues including but not limited to, affirmative action, racial profiling, residential segregation, mass incarceration, and reproductive justice.