

**PHIL 3105    Landmarks in Philosophy**

TR2    Tues, Thurs    2:15pm – 3:30pm

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This course will cover central 'landmark' philosophical texts from the history of Western philosophy. We will engage in a close reading and detailed discussion of key selections from texts that every student of philosophy should be familiar with.

Students will develop important skills in reading and analyzing philosophical texts and learn how to reconstruct and compare philosophical arguments.

An effort will also be made to situate these texts historically and to further demonstrate the ongoing relevance of these discussions for contemporary philosophical issues. Our principal authors will include Plato, Hobbes, Locke, Rousseau, Hume, Mill, and Dewey.