Philosophy 11 (02): Introduction to Philosophy (Winter 2018)

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**Books**: (All available at the Literary Guillotine; essays will be distributed as pdf files) Plato, *The Trial and Death of Socrates* (Dover Thrift Editions) R. Descartes, *Discourse on Method* and *Meditations* (Dover Philosophical Classics) J.S. Mill, *On Liberty* (Dover Thrift Editions)

The reading schedule indicates what material you need to have read by each date. A blank date indicates continuing discussion of the reading. With the exception of the first class, a reading quiz will be given on the day that a new reading has been assigned. All exams and quizzes are open book, open note. No electronic devices may be used during a quiz. Grades will be based on reading quizzes (20%), midterm (35%), and the final (45%).

Any missed exam or quiz receives a failing grade unless prior arrangement has been made with me. Any instance of cheating or plagiarism will result in a failing grade for the course.

## Reading schedule

Jan.	12 Mill, 79-97
8 Euthyphro (in Plato)	14
10	16 Exam
12	10 2
12	19: Holiday
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15: Holiday	21 Singer & Thomson
17 Descartes, 55-79	23
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	26 Nagel & Wolf
22 Descartes, 79-121	28
24	March
26	2
29 Mill, 1-45	5 Camus & Sartre
31	7
Feb.	9
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5 ) (11 4 6 70	12 Sellars
5 Mill, 46-78	14
7	16 Last Day of Class
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	21 Final Exam: 8-11 a.m.

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## **Teaching Assistants:**

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Monday 2:45-3:45p.m. or by appointment.

## **Associated Discussion Sections or Labs**

02A **02D** M 04:00PM-05:05PM

T. Rule

Cowell Acad 216

02BB) M 05:20PM-06:25PM

T. Rule

Cowell Acad 216

02C

M 06:40PM-07:45PM

T. Rule

Cowell Acad 216

Tu 05:20PM-06:25PM B. Dinovo Cowell Acad 216

02E

W 08:00AM-09:05AM B. Dinovo

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**02F** 

W 09:20AM-10:25AM

B. Dinovo

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