

Class #	Date	Topic
1	2-Sep	Introduction
2	7-Sep	
3	9-Sep	The Status of Morality
4	14-Sep	
5	16-Sep	
6	21-Sep	
7	23-Sep	
8	28-Sep	
9	30-Sep	
10	5-Oct	Why Be Moral? (1st PT Out)
11	7-Oct	
12	12-Oct	
13	14-Oct	Value
14	19-Oct	
15	21-Oct	(1st PT Due)
16	26-Oct	
17	28-Oct	
18	2-Nov	Moral Responsibility
19	4-Nov	
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21	11-Nov	Moral Standing
22	16-Nov	
23	18-Nov	Consequentialism (2nd PT Out)
24	23-Nov	
25	30-Nov	
26	2-Dec	Deontology
27	7-Dec	(2nd PT Due)
28	9-Dec	
29	14-Dec	

Readings
No readings
* Shelly Kagan, Preliminaries
1. David Hume, Treatise of Human Nature, Book III
2. A. J. Ayer, A Critique of Ethics
3. J. L. Mackie, The Subjectivity of Value
5. Gilbert Harman, Moral Relativism Defended
9. Michael Smith, Realism
4. Gilbert Harman, Ethics and Observation
Overflow
15. Plato, The Immoralist's Challenge
16. Philippa Foot, Morality as a System of Hypothetical Imperatives
18. Russ Shafer-Landau, Moral Rationalism
29. John Stuart Mill, Hedonism; 30. Robert Nozick, The Experience Machine
31. Fred Feldman, A Defense of Attitudinal Hedonism
32. James Griffin, The Informed Desire Account
34. W. D. Ross, What Things Are Good?
Overflow
37. Galen Strawson, The Impossibility of Moral Responsibility
38. A. J. Ayer, Freedom and Necessity
39. Thomas Nagel, Moral Luck
42. Immanuel Kant, No Duties to Animals; 43. Peter Singer, All Animals Are Equal
44. Joel Feinberg, The Rights of Animals and Unborn Generations
48. John Stuart Mill, Utilitarianism
49. William Shaw, The Consequentialist Perspective
51. Brad Hooker, Rule-Consequentialism
55. Immanuel Kant, Groundwork for the Metaphysics of Morals
56. Christine Korsgaard, Kant's Formula of Universal Law
61. Judith Jarvis Thomson, Killing, Letting Die, and the Trolley Problem
Overflow