

| Class # | Date | Topic |
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| 1 | 3-Sep | Preliminaries |
| 2 | 8-Sep | The Status of Morality |
| 3 | 10-Sep | |
| 4 | 12-Sep to 14-Sep | |
| 5 | 15-Sep | |
| 6 | 17-Sep | (PT 1 Out) |
| 7 | 22-Sep | |
| 8 | 24-Sep | (PT 1 Due) |
| 9 | 29-Sep | |
| 10 | 1-Oct | Moral Explanations |
| 11 | 6-Oct | |
| 12 | 8-Oct | Value |
| 13 | 13-Oct | |
| 14 | 5-Oct | |
| 15 | 20-Oct | |
| 16 | 22-Oct | (PT 2 Out) |
| 17 | 27-Oct | Consequentialism |
| 18 | 29-Oct | |
| 19 | 3-Nov | |
| 20 | 5-Nov | Deontology |
| 21 | 10-Nov | (PT 2 Due) |
| 22 | 12-Nov | |
| 23 | 17-Nov | |
| 24 | 19-Nov | Contractarianism (PT 3 Out) |
| 25 | 24-Nov | Virtue Ethics |
| | 26-Nov | Thanksgiving |
| 26 | 1-Dec | Moral Responsibility |
| 27 | 3-Dec | |
| 28 | 8-Dec | |
| 29 | 10-Dec | (PT 3 Due) |

| Readings ("*" means not in Shafer-Landau) |
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| No readings |
| 1. David Hume, "Of the Influencing Motives...", "Moral Distinctions not..." |
| 2. A. J. Ayer, "A Critique of Ethics" |
| Wisconsin Metaethics Workshop (At least 1 talk and following discussion) |
| 3. J. L. Mackie, "The Subjectivity of Value" |
| 7. G. E. Moore, "The Subject-Matter of Ethics" |
| 8. Russ Shafer-Landau, "Ethics as Philosophy: A Defense of Ethical Nonnaturalism" |
| 9. Michael Smith, "Realism" |
| Overflow |
| 4. Gilbert Harman, "Ethics and Observation" |
| * Nicholas Sturgeon, "Moral Explanations" |
| 29. John Stuart Mill, "Hedonism"; 30. Robert Nozick, "The Experience Machine" |
| 31. Fred Feldman, "The Good Life: A Defense of Attitudinal Hedonism" |
| 32. Thomas Carson, "Rationality and Full Information" |
| 35. W. D. Ross, "What Things Are Good?" |
| Overflow |
| 48. John Stuart Mill, "Utilitarianism" |
| 50. Brad Hooker, "Rule-Consequentialism" |
| 51. Peter Railton, "Alienation, Consequentialism, and the Demands of Morality" |
| 55. Immanuel Kant, "Groundwork for the Metaphysics of Morals" |
| 56. Christine Korsgaard, "Kant's Formula of Universal Law" |
| *Judith Jarvis Thomson, "Value" |
| *Judith Jarvis Thomson, "Tradeoffs" |
| 64. John Rawls, "A Theory of Justice" |
| 70. Christine Swanton, "A Virtue Ethical Account of Right Action" |
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| 37. Galen Strawson, "The Impossibility of Moral Responsibility" |
| 38. A. J. Ayer, "Freedom and Necessity" |
| 39. Thomas Nagel, "Moral Luck" |
| Overflow |