



Certificate in Ethics

Admission Requirements: Any student pursuing an undergraduate degree at Western is eligible to apply.

No prior background in Philosophy is required. In order to receive the Certificate, students must complete the program requirements with no grade less than 60%. Students are encouraged to begin taking the relevant courses beginning in their second year. For application information, contact the Department of Philosophy.

Requirements: 3.0 courses

0.5 course: [Philosophy 2700F/G](#).

An additional 2.5 courses in Ethics at the 2000 level or higher, drawn from [Philosophy 2033A/B](#), [Philosophy 2035F/G](#), [Philosophy 2062F/G](#), [Philosophy 2065F/G](#), [Philosophy 2073F/G](#), [Philosophy 2074F/G](#), [Philosophy 2077F/G](#), [Philosophy 2078F/G](#), [Philosophy 2080](#), [Philosophy 2355F/G](#), [Philosophy 2356F/G](#), [Philosophy 2630F/G](#), [Philosophy 2710F/G](#), [Philosophy 2715F/G](#), [Philosophy 2720F/G](#), [Philosophy 2730F/G](#), [Philosophy 2800F/G](#), [Philosophy 2801F/G](#), [Philosophy 2810F/G](#), [Philosophy 2821F/G](#), [Philosophy 2822F/G](#), [Philosophy 3170F/G](#), [Philosophy 3180F/G](#), [Philosophy 3435F/G](#), [Philosophy 3710F/G](#), [Philosophy 3720F/G](#), [Philosophy 3810F/G](#), [Philosophy 4071F/G](#), [Philosophy 4072F/G](#), [Philosophy 4730F/G](#), the former Philosophy 2023, the former Philosophy 2071E, the former Philosophy 2702F/G, the former Philosophy 2703F/G.

Note: With the permission of the Department of Philosophy, the Certificate in Ethics may be combined with other programs in Philosophy, but not with the Minor in Ethics.

Please note, this schedule is tentative and subject to change. Any changes to the below schedule will be updated on the Department website and on the [Western Timetable](#).

Fall/ Winter 2025-26

Philosophy 2062F: Power, Privilege and Oppression
Philosophy 2065G: Evil
Philosophy 2073G: Death
Philosophy 2074F: Business Ethics
Philosophy 2078F: Ethics for a Digital World
Philosophy 2080: Philosophy Law
Philosophy 2356F: Philosophy and Climate Change
Philosophy 2700G: Intro to Ethics & Value Theory
Philosophy 2730G: Media Ethics
Philosophy 3810F: Property from Aristotle to Marx