

BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PHILOSOPHY
(AB PHILOSOPHY PROGRAM)
Philosophy Department, Silliman University
 Revised Curriculum (2018)
 Based on **CMO 20 Series of 2013** and **CMO 26 Series of 2017**

First Year

| First Semester | | units | Second Semester | | units |
|-----------------------|---|--------------|------------------------|--|--------------|
| GE 1 | Understanding the Self | 3 | GE 2 | Readings in Philippine History | 3 |
| GE 3 | The Contemporary World | 3 | GE 8 | Ethics | 3 |
| GE 5 | Purposive Communication | 3 | GE 4 | Mathematics in the Modern World | 3 |
| CHS 1 | Reading & Interpreting the Hebrew Scripture | 3 | Philo 14 | History of Medieval Philosophy | 3 |
| Philo 11 | Introduction to Philosophy | 3 | CHS 2 | Reading & Interpreting the Christian Scripture | 3 |
| Philo 13 | History of Ancient Philosophy | 3 | Philo 12 | Logic/Critical Thinking | 3 |
| NSTP | National Service Training Program | 3 | NSTP | National Service Training Program | 3 |
| P.E. 1 | Physical Fitness & Swimming | 2 | P.E. 2 | Physical Education | 2 |
| PEP 1 | Personality Enhancement Program | | PEP 2 | Personality Enhancement Program | |
| Total | | 23 | Total | | 23 |

Second Year

| First Semester | | units | Second Semester | | units |
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| GE 7 | Science, Technology , Society | 3 | DBI 12 | Introduction to Koine Greek | 3 |
| GE 9 | Life and Works of Rizal | 3 | Philo 32 | Cosmology/Philo. Of Tech and Sciences | 3 |
| Philo 31 | Aesthetics/Theories of Arts | 3 | GE 6 | Art Appreciation | 3 |
| FL 1 | Foreign Language | 3 | GE 12/CHS 3 | Christianity and Peace-building | 3 |
| Philo 33 | Advanced Philo. of the Human Person | 3 | Philo 34 | Phenomenology /Existentialism/Hermeneutics | 3 |
| GE 11 | Free Elective | 3 | Philo 36 | History of Contemporary Philosophy | 3 |
| Philo 35 | History of Modern Philosophy | 3 | GE 10 | Whole Person Education | 3 |
| P.E. 3 | Physical Education | 2 | P.E. 4 | Physical Education | 2 |
| Total | | 23 | Total | | 23 |

Third Year

| First Semester | | units | Second Semester | | units |
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| Philo 53 | Epistemology | 3 | Philo 60 | Special Questions in Philosophy | 3 |
| Philo 55 | Social and Political Philosophy | 3 | Philo 54 | Philosophy of Language | 3 |
| Philo 57 | Comparative Philosophy | 3 | Philo 52 | Theodicy | 3 |
| Philo 59 | History of Chinese Philosophy | 3 | Philo 56 | Metaphysics | 3 |
| Philo 61 | History of Indian Philosophy | 3 | Philo 58 | Modern Asian Thought | 3 |
| Philo 63 | Seminar on Plato/Aristotle | 3 | Philo 62 | Seminar on Filipino Philosophy | 3 |
| Total | | 18 | Total | | 18 |

*Comprehensive Examination

Fourth Year

| First Semester | | units | Second Semester | | units |
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| Philo 71 | Thesis Writing I | 3 | Philo 72 | Thesis Writing II/with Defense | 3 |
| Philo 73 | Seminar on Contemporary Philosophy | 3 | Philo 74 | Special Question on Ethics | 3 |
| | Major Elective 1 | 3 | | Major Elective 4 | 3 |
| | Major Elective 2 | 3 | | Major Elective 5 | 3 |
| | Major Elective 3 | 3 | | Major Elective 6 | 3 |
| Total | | 15 | Total | | 15 |

Note: * Comprehensive Examination will be taken on Summer Term of the 3rd year student before they enroll in Thesis Writing I.

Courses

First Year

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| Philo 11 | Introduction to Philosophy | |
| Philo 12 | Logic/Critical Thinking | |
| Philo 13 | History of Ancient Philosophy | |
| Philo 14 | History of Medieval Philosophy | Philo 13 |

Second Year

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| Philo 31 | Aesthetics/Theories of Arts | Philo 11 |
| Philo 32 | Cosmology/Philo of Technology and Science | |
| Philo 33 | Advanced Philosophy of the Human Person | Philo 11 |
| Philo 34 | Phenomenology/Existentialism/Hermeneutics | |
| Philo 35 | History of Modern Philosophy | Philo 14 |
| Philo 36 | History of Contemporary Philosophy | Philo 35 |

Third Year

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| Philo 52 | Theodicy | |
| Philo 53 | Epistemology | Philo 12 |
| Philo 54 | Philosophy of Language | |
| Philo 55 | Social and Political Philosophy | Philo 11 |
| Philo 56 | Metaphysics | Philo 12 & Philo 36 |
| Philo 57 | Comparative Philosophy | |
| Philo 58 | Modern Asian Thought | |
| Philo 59 | History of Chinese Philosophy | |
| Philo 60 | Special Questions in Philosophy | Philo 12 & Philo 36 |
| Philo 61 | History of Indian Philosophy | |
| Philo 62 | Seminar on Filipino Philosophy | |
| Philo 63 | Seminar on Plato/Aristotle | |

Fourth Year

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| Philo 71 | Thesis Writing 1 | |
| Philo 72 | Thesis Writing II/with Defense | Philo 71 |
| Philo 73 | Seminar on Contemporary Philosophy | |
| Philo 74 | Special Question on Ethics | |
| | Major Elective 1 | |
| | Major Elective 2 | |
| | Major Elective 3 | |
| | Major Elective 4 | |
| | Major Elective 5 | |
| | Major Elective 6 | |

Major Elective Courses

FIRST SEMESTER

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| Philo 75 | Philosophy of Education |
| Philo 77 | Philosophy of Religion |
| Philo 79 | Process of Philosophy |
| Philo 81 | Post Modernism |
| Philo 83 | Teaching Philosophy |
| Philo 85 | Zen Buddhism |
| Philo 87 | Philosophy of Ecology |
| Philo 89 | Seminar |

SECOND SEMESTER

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| Philo 76 | Philosophy of Law |
| Philo 78 | Philosophy of History |
| Philo 80 | Symbolic Logic |
| Philo 82 | Hermeneutics |
| Philo 84 | Philosophy of Communism |
| Philo 86 | Feminism |
| Philo 88 | Seminar |
| Philo 90 | Bioethics |
| Philo 92 | Critical Theory |