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Collection Development Program**

Written criteria: **Philosophy**
Academic year: 2009-2010
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General criteria

1. Titles in English and other languages are acceptable. Languages include but *are not limited to*: English, Spanish, French, German, Latin, and Greek.
2. Avoid textbook type material except in the area of logic although readers, even if aimed primarily at a classroom audience, are perfectly acceptable.

Specific criteria

1. Highest priority should be given to the areas of greatest faculty interest. The most prominent interests of faculty interest are Applied Ethics, 19th and 20th Century Continental Philosophy, Social and Political Philosophy, and Philosophy of Religion (including Eastern religions).
[PHIL 2350] Social and Political Philosophy
[PHIL 2370] Eastern Thought
[PHIL 2390] Professional Ethics
[PHIL 2391] Biomedical Ethics
[PHIL 2392] Business Ethics
[PHIL 2393] Engineering Ethics
[PHIL 3362] From Kant to Nietzsche
[PHIL 3363] Existentialism and Phenomenology
[PHIL 3370] Philosophy of Religion
[PHIL 4351] Topics in Applied Ethics
2. Next in priority should be areas of prominent interest among the faculty. This includes Philosophy of Mind, Epistemology, and Logic.
[PHIL 1305] Critical Thinking
[PHIL 1321] Formal Logic
[PHIL 3305] Philosophical Methods
[PHIL 3320] Symbolic Logic
[PHIL 4310] Epistemology
[PHIL 4340] Philosophy of Mind

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3. In addition strong emphasis should be given to the following areas of interest: Feminism, Kierkegaard, Philosophy of Science, Modern Philosophy, Ancient Philosophy, Foucault, Ethics, Latin American and Borderlands Philosophy, and Analytic Philosophy (in those areas not already listed above, such as Metaphysics and Philosophy of Language).
 - [PHIL 2330] Ethics
 - [PHIL 3359] Ancient Philosophy
 - [PHIL 3360] History of Philosophy: ancient and medieval
 - [PHIL 3361] History of Philosophy: modern
 - [PHIL 3365] Contemporary Analytic Philosophy
 - [PHIL 3376] Feminist Theories
 - [PHIL 3377] Chicana and Latin American Feminisms
 - [PHIL 3380] Latin American Thought
 - [PHIL 4320] Philosophy of Science
 - [PHIL 4330] Metaphysics
 - [PHIL 4350] Moral Theory
 - [PHIL 4390] Special Topics

FACULTY RESEARCH INTERESTS:

Kenneth Buckman: 19th and 20th Century Continental Philosophy, Social and Political Philosophy, Eastern Thought.

Greg Gilson: Philosophy of Mind, Epistemology, Analytic Philosophy

Cynthia Jones: Applied Ethics, Interrogation Ethics, Philosophy of Logic

Stephen Leach: 19th Century Continental Philosophy, Existentialism, Kierkegaard

Thomas Pearson: Applied Ethics, Philosophy of Science, Modern Philosophy

Adriel Trott: Ancient Philosophy, Social and Political Philosophy, 19th and 20th Century Continental Philosophy

Cory Wimberly: Social and Political Philosophy, 19th and 20th Century Continental Philosophy, Feminism