



Post-Kantian Philosophy | PIU44092

Year	Senior Sophister
ECTS Credits	10
Contact Hours	22 (11 x 2-hour seminars)
Pre-requisite	None
Semester	2
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Module Outline:

This course will look at two schools of thought the No-Self and Self theorists from a historical perspective. It will look at the writings of Locke, Hume, Kant, Sartre and Husserl, to explore the question whether we can coherently appeal to a self.

Learning Outcomes:

On successful completion of this module, students will be able to critically address the following questions:

- Does Consciousness require a Self?
- Who or What is a self? Is it 1) an illusion 2) something substantial 3) something insubstantial?
- Is there a difference between being self-conscious and being conscious of ourselves as selves?
- Is the self a fiction?
- Should we endorse a narrative conception of the self?
- Why do we regard an appeal to a self, necessary?
- Are we always conscious of ourselves as selves?

Recommended Reading List:

An extensive and detailed reading list will be on Blackboard.

Assessment:

- 2 ESSAYS WORTH 40% OF MODULE. Word Limit 2000 words.
- 1 (3 HOUR) EXAMINATION WORTH 60% OF MODULE. Students are required to answer **one** exam question (**The exam is in person**).