

Minnesota State University Moorhead

PHIL 307: 19th Century Philosophy

A. COURSE DESCRIPTION

Credits: 3

Lecture Hours/Week: 3

Lab Hours/Week: 0

OJT Hours/Week: *.*

Prerequisites:

PHIL 306 - Modern Philosophy: 18th Century

Corequisites: None

MnTC Goals: None

Study of selected major philosophers of the 19th century, such as Hegel, Marx, Kierkegaard, Nietzsche, Schopenhauer and Mill.

B. COURSE EFFECTIVE DATES: 06/01/1995 - Present

C. OUTLINE OF MAJOR CONTENT AREAS

1. Historical development of Western philosophy in the 19th century.
2. Selected philosophical writings of major philosophers of the 19th century.
3. Metaphysical and epistemological philosophies characteristic of the 19th century.

D. LEARNING OUTCOMES (General)

1. Explain central ideas and themes that characterize Western metaphysics in the 19th century.
2. Explain central ideas and themes that characterize Western epistemology in the 19th century.
3. Compare and contrast the metaphysical and epistemological positions of two or more philosophers of the 19th century.
4. Critically evaluate the metaphysical and epistemological position that characterize the 19th century.
5. Explain the historical development of Western philosophy in the 19th century.

E. Minnesota Transfer Curriculum Goal Area(s) and Competencies

None

F. LEARNER OUTCOMES ASSESSMENT

As noted on course syllabus

G. SPECIAL INFORMATION

None noted