

College of Arts – Online Course Outline Template

Course Code: PHIL *4410	Section: 01	Semester: W13
Course Title: Major Texts in Philosophy		
Instructor: Omid Payrow Shabani		
Brief course Synopsis: The aim of the course is to introduce students to the major issues in social and political philosophy such as theories of justice, democracy, rights, etc. through a close examination of the canonical text(s) in social and political philosophy. In this course we will be studying Kant's Political Writings in order to critically examine his position with respect to the above-mentioned issues. Students are encouraged to critically reflect on these topics by way of discussion and presentation in the class. At the end of the course they not only should have a grasp of Kant's contribution but also an appreciation of its significance for the contemporary theories of social and political philosophy. Textbook(s): TBA Course requirements / evaluation: TBA		