PHIL*6340-01
MODERN PHILOSOPHY [0.50]
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Brief course synopsis:
We shall begin with a brief examination of Hegel's account of the origin and history of philosophy as presented his (lesser) Logic (the first volume of his Encyclopaedia of the Philosophical Sciences), focusing on his treatment of the “Attitudes of Thought to Objectivity”. We shall then turn to Husserl's account, offered in The Crisis of European Sciences and Transcendental Philosophy, of the development of modern science and philosophy from Galileo, through Descartes, Locke, Berkeley and Hume, to Kant. Depending upon enrolment, up to one half of the in-class time may be devoted to seminar presentations.

Method Of Evaluation:
(1) seminar presentation = 35%
(2) research paper = 65%

Required Texts: