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## PHL 110E.01: Introduction to Ethics

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Texts: *Nichomachean Ethics*, Aristotle; *The Foundations of the Metaphysics of Morals*, Kant;  
*Utilitarianism*, Mill; *The Genealogy of Morals*, Nietzsche

### ASSIGNMENTS

<u>Date</u>	<u>Text</u>
Jan. 23	Introduction
Jan. 25-27	Aristotle, Bks. 1&2
Jan. 30-Feb. 3	Aristotle, Bks. 3&4
Feb. 6-10	Aristotle, Bk. 5
Feb. 13	Aristotle, Bk. 10
Feb. 15	Aristotle Review
Feb. 17	<b>Aristotle Exam</b>
Feb. 20	<b>PRESIDENTS DAY – NO CLASS</b>
Feb. 22	Kant Introduction
Feb. 24	Kant, Preface and Section 1
Feb. 27-Mar. 2	Kant, Section 2
Mar. 5	Kant, Section 3
Mar. 7	Kant Review
Mar. 9	<b>Kant Exam</b>
Mar. 12-16	Mill, Intro. & Chapter 1
Mar. 19-23	Mill, Chapters 2&3
Mar 26-30	Mill, Chapters 4&5
Apr. 2-6	<b>SPRING BREAK – NO CLASSES</b>
Apr. 9-11	Mill Review
Apr. 13	<b>Mill Exam</b>
Apr. 16-20	Nietzsche, Preface & First Essay
Apr. 23-27	Nietzsche, Second Essay
Apr. 30	Finish Nietzsche
May 2-4	General Review

**Note:** The final exam will be given in two parts. Part One will be on Nietzsche. Part Two will have comparative questions on all four philosophers. All exams will be essay exams. You will choose three questions from a choice of five. The final exam will have three questions in each part. All questions will be on main issues which have been thoroughly discussed in class. I give extra credit for improvement during the semester. Read each assignment before you come to class, take notes, re-read the assignment with your notes in hand, and ask questions in class about what you still don't understand. If you follow this advice, you should do well.