

ASSOCIATE IN ARTS IN PHILOSOPHY FOR TRANSFER

Curriculum Guide for Academic Year 2021-2022

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Resources available for transfer students:
Academic Counselors at LAC 562-938-4561 or at PCC 562-938-3920
Transfer Center at LAC 562-938-4670 or at PCC 562-938-3920
ASSIST web site at www.assist.org.

Program of study leading to: Associate in Arts (AA-T) Degree						
REQUIRED CORE COURSES: Select two (6 units)	C-ID Descriptor	CSU GE Area	IGETC Area	Units	In Progress	Completed Grade
PHIL 22 AND Symbolic Logic AND	PHIL 210	A3		3 AND		
PHIL 6/6H OR Intro to Philosophy/Honors OR	PHIL 100	C2	3B	3 OR		
PHIL 7/7H Introduction to Ethics/Honors	PHIL 120	C2	3B	3		
	Subtotal Units			6		
IN ADDITION, Complete Three (3 units) from LIST A:						
LIST A						
Any course from REQUIRED CORE NOT already used						
				3		
PHIL 9 Intro to Existentialism		C2	3B	3		
PHIL 10 Intro to Feminist Philosophy		C2/D	3B/4	3		
	Subtotal Units			3		
IN ADDITION, Complete 6 Units from LIST B:						
LIST B						
Any LIST A course not used above						
				3		
HIST 1A History: Western European Civil	HIST 170	C2, D	3B	3		
HIST 1B History: Western European Civil	HIST 180	C2, D	3B	3		
PHIL 14 Philosophy of Religion		C2	3B	3		
	Subtotal Units			6		
IN ADDITION, Complete 3 units from LIST C:						
LIST C						
Any LIST A or LIST B course not used above						
				3		
PHIL 11 Critical Thinking		A3		3		
PHIL 12 Introduction to Logic	PHIL 110	A3		3		
PHIL 8 Intro to Non-Western Philosophy		C2	3B	3		
	Subtotal Units			3		
	TOTAL			18		

IN ADDITION to the above major courses, students are also required to obtain general education certification and meet other degree requirements as specified on the next page.

General Education Certification Requirements

Completion of EITHER the California State University General Education-Breadth pattern (CSU GE Breadth) OR the Intersegmental General Education Transfer Curriculum (IGETC) pattern IS REQUIRED. For general education patterns, visit the following web site: <http://osca.lbcc.edu/genedplan.cfm>, or the LBCC catalog. After completion of the General Education Pattern **students must request GE certification**. Consult with a counselor for more information about the GE Certification process.

Other Degree Requirements

1. **Minimum Unit Requirements:** Complete a minimum of 60 transferable units. Please note that additional units may be required to meet this minimum based upon courses selected to fulfill CSU-GE Breadth Pattern or the IGETC Pattern.

If following CSU-GE Breadth Pattern		If following IGETC Pattern	
	Units		Units
Philosophy Major	18**	Philosophy Studies Major	18**
CSU-GE Breadth	39	IGETC Pattern	37
Minimum Required	60	Minimum Required	60

****Double-Counting of Units:** SB 1440 Regulations allow for double-counting of major requirements towards CSU- GE Breadth or IGETC patterns.

2. Minimum grade and GPA requirements: Maintain an overall grade point average (GPA) of 2.0 ("C" average) in all CSU-transferable coursework. For the major complete each course with a grade of "C" or better, or "P" if course is graded on a P/NP basis.
3. **Residence for the Degree:** Complete at least 12 units of the required 60 in residence at LBCC.
4. **Degree Application:** Complete and submit the degree application form to the Admissions and Records office during your final semester of course work. These forms are available in the Admissions and Records office, or online at <http://admissions.lbcc.edu/>. Refer to the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu>) and click the "Important Dates" link to view the actual deadline for each semester.
5. The requirements for general education/proficiency and the field of concentration (major) need to be from the same catalog year. This catalog year may be any year between the year of initial enrollment to the present, provided continuous enrollment is maintained throughout. See the catalog for definition of "continuous enrollment".

Program Mission and Outcomes

The mission of the philosophy program is to guide students in the exploration of a diversity of philosophical ideas, and to enhance their critical thinking, logic, and imaginative skills. Students who complete the philosophy degree will be able to explain, analyze, and assess a wide variety of philosophical issues. A second purpose is to prepare students for transfer to a university. Upon completion of their program, philosophy majors will be able to describe and analyze various philosophical problems with both academic and practical applications. They will be able to utilize critical thinking and logic skills in philosophical contexts as well as other academic and non-academic areas.

Program Outcomes:

- Demonstrate the ability to attain the Institutional Student Learning Outcomes (ISLOs).
- Describe philosophical problems and apply critical thinking and logic skills to analyze them.

Legend

† This course has a prerequisite; prerequisite courses must be completed with at least a "C" or "P" grade. Refer to the General Catalog (<http://www.lbcc.edu/cat/index.html>), the Schedule of Classes (<http://schedule.lbcc.edu/>), or the online Credit Course Outline (<http://wdb-asir.lbcc.edu/coursecurriculum/coursedetails/>) for specific prerequisite information.