Bachelor of Art in Philosophy: Emphasis in Philosophy and Law – LPPS Associate Degree for Transfer Roadmap

This is a sample pathway for students who transfer to San Francisco State University in the current Bulletin year with an AA-T in Law, Public Policy and Society. Three units in the major and all lower division GE requirements have been satisfied. Additional units in the major may have been satisfied. Check with a major advisor about the most appropriate course sequence. Degree completion guaranteed in 60 units; see the Associate Degree for Transfer (ADT) section for more information (bulletin.sfsu.edu/undergraduate-admissions/transfer-students).

### Course Title Units

#### First Semester
- **PHIL 205** Formal Logic 1 3
- **PHIL 303** Modern Philosophy 2 3
- **PHIL 320GW** Philosophical Analysis - GWAR 3

GE Area A: Written English Communication II (A4) if not already satisfied or University Elective if requirement met before transfer
University Elective 3

Units 15

#### Second Semester
- **PHIL 321** Being and Knowing 3
- **PHIL 450** Ethics 2 3
- Select one (if needed): 2
  - **PHIL 301** Ancient Philosophy 3
  - **PHIL 302** Medieval Philosophy 3
  - **PHIL 516** Islamic Philosophy 3

Core Philosophy Areas (6 units) 3
Upper-Division GE: UD-B or UD-D 4,5
or University Elective if requirement already met

Units 15

#### Third Semester
- **PHIL 330** Political Philosophy 2 3
- **PHIL 380** Philosophy of Law 2 3

Core Philosophy Areas (6 units) 3
Normative Issues Elective (9 units) 6
Upper-Division GE: UD-B or UD-D 4,5
or University Elective if requirement already met

Units 15

#### Fourth Semester
- **PHIL 696** Directed Reading: Learning Outcomes 1

Normative Issues Elective (9 units) - Take Two 6 6

Units 15

Total Units 60

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1. Students who haven’t taken Symbolic Logic should take PHIL 205. Contact a Philosophy Department advisor for questions about the symbolic logic requirement.

2. Courses that also fulfill GE: UD-C:
   - PHIL 301 Ancient Philosophy (3 units)
   - PHIL 302 Medieval Philosophy (3 units)
   - PHIL 303 Modern Philosophy (3 units)
   - PHIL 330 Political Philosophy (3 units)
   - PHIL 378 Philosophy of Criminal Law (3 units)
   - PHIL 380 Philosophy of Law (3 units)
   - PHIL 383 Ethics in Medicine (3 units)
   - PHIL 384 Philosophy of Research Ethics (3 units)
   - PHIL 435 Human Rights in Global Perspective (3 units)
   - PHIL 436 Islamic Political Philosophy (3 units)
   - PHIL 450 Ethics (3 units)
   - PHIL 451 Feminist Moral Issues (3 units)
   - PHIL 455/SXS 569 Sex and the Law (3 units)
   - PHIL 470 Environmental Ethics (3 units)
   - PHIL 494 Philosophy and Personal Development (3 units)
   - PHIL 516 Islamic Philosophy (3 units)

3. Core Philosophy Areas
   - PHIL 351 Philosophy of Risk (3 units)
   - PHIL 610 Theory of Knowledge (3 units)
   - PHIL 620 Philosophy of Mind (3 units)
   - PHIL 621 Minds, Brains and Computers (3 units)

4. Courses that also fulfill GE: UD-B:
   - PHIL 351 Philosophy of Risk (3 units)
   - PHIL 395 Ethical Issues: Science and Technology (3 units)
   - PHIL 621 Minds, Brains and Computers (3 units)

5. Courses that also fulfill GE: UD-D:
   - PHIL 335 Law and Society (3 units)
   - PHIL 375/GPS 375 Peace Law and Human Rights in the U.S. (3 units)

6. Normative Issues Electives (9 units)
   - PHIL 335 Law and Society (3 units)
   - PHIL 375 Peace Law and Human Rights in the U.S. (3 units)
   - PHIL 378 Philosophy of Criminal Law (3 units)
   - PHIL 383 Ethics in Medicine (3 units)
   - PHIL 384 Philosophy of Research Ethics (3 units)
   - PHIL 395 Ethical Issues: Science and Technology (3 units)
   - PHIL 435 Human Rights in Global Perspective (3 units)
   - PHIL 436 Islamic Political Philosophy (3 units)
   - PHIL 451 Feminist Moral Issues (3 units)
   - PHIL 455 Sex and the Law (3 units)
   - PHIL 470 Environmental Ethics (3 units)
   - PHIL 494 Philosophy and Personal Development (3 units)

To Do at SF State:

Enough total units to reach 120 minimum for graduation; 40 units minimum at the upper division level; to include the following:
University-wide requirements: 9-18 units

- ENG 214 or equivalent A4 course (0-3 units) if not taken before transfer
- American Institutions (0 units): The AA-T in Law, Public Policy and Society Core includes courses that satisfy this requirement.
- Upper-Division GE, areas B, C and D (9 units): See notes regarding courses that fulfill both Major and UD GE requirements.
- Students entering the major with the AA-T in Law, Public Policy and Society are not required to fulfill SF State Studies requirements.
- Complementary Studies: consult with a department advisor on how transfer units and/or SF State units can be applied to ensure degree completion within 60 units.

**Philosophy (Emphasis in Philosophy and Law) major 37-40 units**

- Required/GWAR (12-15 units)
- Disjunctive History (3 units)
- Core Philosophy Areas (6 units)
- Normative Issues (15: 6 units required “plus” 9 units elective)
- Culmination (1 unit)

University electives: 17 or more units

Units depending on course choices made at the community college, how transferred units are applied to the requirements above, and course choices at SF State - some courses may meet more than one requirement, e.g., in both UD GE and the major.