

PH380: Moral Psychology: The Science of Good and Evil

10) What advice would you give to future students thinking of taking this module?

Comments
Moral psychology is a great module, as it is applied to real-world scenarios and a combination of psychology and philosophy. A lot of thought has gone into the module and I think it is well worth it!
To keep up with the constant essays and to do peer reviews as well.
It's loads of extra work
The content is really engaging - however, it isn't like any other Philosophy modules. This feels more like an experiment, than a well-planned module. I do not feel like my grades are secure.
I would definitely not take this module again. Found it too confusing, the structure and the delivery of content. There was also a lot of inconsistencies between lectures and seminars which left me feeling lost a lot of the time.
Would definitely recommend this module to students from all kinds of departments.
Take it and enjoy the opportunity to have feedback on your essays.
Engage fully with the seminar discussion, and complete the weekly mini essays as I find these very rewarding
It is a challenging module but worthwhile and can be really enjoyable. I would recommend it to any students who want to challenge themselves and are interested in the application of philosophy to psychology.
Take time with this module. What I found is that at the beginning of this module, I was quite overwhelmed as the discussions and lectures seemed too high levelled for my understanding but, as the module ran its course and readings came into play, the module became less overwhelming. So, give yourselves some time before judging the module and your capability of carrying out this module.
Also, complete Dr Butterfill's weekly formative assignments. They may not seem like it, but they really help and make bigger assignments less daunting as he gives feedback and chance to peer review others' essays, which gives guidance and support in what's expected of you.
Ask questions in the seminars in order to really understand the key terms and the outcomes of the studies as it is difficult to grasp these during the lectures.
TAKE IT. But be prepared that a lot is expected of you.