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授業科目名 <英訳>		Philosophy of Nature I-E2 Philosophy of Nature I-E2				担当者所属 職名・氏名		文学研究科 助教 WIRTZ , Fernando Gustavo			
群	人文・社会科学科目群			分野(分類)		哲学・思想(基礎)			使用言語		英語
旧群	A群	単位数	2単位	週コマ数	1コマ	授業形態	講義（対面授業科目）				
開講年度・ 開講期	2024・前期		曜時限	木4		配当学年	全回生		対象学生	全学向	
【授業の概要・目的】											
The concept of "nature" is extremely familiar to us, and yet it is extremely obscure. The difficulty in defining and demarcating the limits of this concept has to do with the way in which human beings have perceived their environment throughout history. In this seminar we will try to progressively deconstruct the concept of nature while making explicit the political and ethical implications of this term.											
【到達目標】											
The main objective of the seminar is to provide students with the theoretical tools to be able to critically reflect on contemporary problems related to the concept of nature. Students will be able to recognize different philosophical perspectives and argue logically from their own point of view.											
【授業計画と内容】											
Session 1: Introduction: What is nature?											
Session 2: Rene; Descartes											
Session 3: Rene Descartes											
Session 4: The natural philosophy of the Romanticism, F.W.J. Schelling											
Session 5: F.W.J. Schelling											
Session 6: F.W.J. Schelling											
Session 7: Karl Marx, Nature and Marxism											
Session 8: Karl Marx, Nature and Marxism											
Session 9: Karl Marx, Nature and Marxism											
Session 10: Ecofeminism											
Session 11: Ecofeminism											
Session 12: Ecofeminism											
Session 13: Non-European understanding of "nature"											
Session 14: Non-European understanding of "nature"											
Exam											
Session 15: Feedback											
We will read Friedrich Wilhelm Joseph Schelling, Karl Marx, Donna Haraway, etc.											
【履修要件】											
特になし											
【成績評価の方法・観点】											
--CLASS POLICIES--											
Attendance:											
Regular and punctual attendance is strongly encouraged. Students will be tested on material discussed in class as well as material from course readings. If students miss class, they are expected to borrow notes from another student. Students should make a sincere effort to understand the missed material before contacting the											
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instructor. It is very important that you read the assigned texts BEFORE class. Otherwise, it will be difficult to follow the class. Of course, if you don't understand something, you can ask during class. The instructor is willing to help students understand the material, but is not willing to give a second lecture to those who miss class.

### Course Readings:

Students are expected to complete all required readings for class and assignments, and should come to class familiar with the course material to be discussed. It is possible that the order of the readings may be changed, or that some materials may be omitted or added to the reading schedule. Any changes in the reading schedule will be announced in advance.

There are OBLIGATORY readings and OPTIONAL readings.

I will NOT upload my slides. Please take notes.

### Evaluation:

We will have regular quizzes on Panda. These will be simple comprehension questions.

The final exam will consist of similar questions and will be given in person.

I will expect you to be physically and mentally present for each session. I also expect you to participate in class. Participation includes active class participation.

Normally, each quiz will be worth 10 points.

Quizzes will count toward your final grade.

The final exam is worth 60% of your grade. If you do not take the final exam, you will not pass the course!

(If you are unable to take the exam for health reasons, you may make up the exam, but you must notify me in advance).

Class participation and some small assignments count as extra credit. This means that you can get extra credit for class participation (including asking questions) and other small assignments.

### What to do if I don't understand?

If you don't understand something, ask. This is an introductory course and in English, so it is normal not to understand some things at first. If you do not understand a word in English, ask the teacher or TA.

Philosophical texts are difficult at first. You will have to read them more than once. If you don't understand, ask! That's the point. You can contact me anytime.

### [教科書]

Introduced during class.

### [授業外学修（予習・復習）等]

Students should read and prepare a text for each class.

### [その他（オフィスアワー等）]

Whenever possible, materials in Japanese will also be provided together with the materials in English.