科目ナンバリング	U-LAS00 10028 LE34						
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　特定助教 CERDA Sova P.K.		
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	2026・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]

What is the relationship between “thinking” and “nature”? This course will treat representative approaches in Western philosophy in three periods: ancient, early modern, and the end of the eighteenth century.

German philosopher Dieter Wandschneider has observed that, “it is one of the oddities of intellectual history that our present age - an epoch determined by natural science and technology - has developed an elaborate philosophy of science but no full-fledged philosophy of nature.” In this course, we will try to understand what it has meant to think about nature philosophically and consider some reasons for why our present age might be lacking this aspiration.

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Students who successfully complete this course will reach the following attainment goals:
1) competently discuss representative approaches to thinking about nature in the history of Western philosophy;
2) analyze and evaluate philosophical texts.

[授業計画と内容]

The following is the planned course schedule. Please note that this schedule may be subject to change.

Session 1 - Course introduction
Session 2 - Intro to reading philosophical texts
Session 3 - Plato: The desire to transcend
Session 4 - Aristotle: The desire to know
Session 5 - DISCUSSION SESSION: Issues in Plato and Aristotle
Session 6 - Early modern Europe and the bonds of nature
Session 7 - Descartes: Extended things
Session 8 - Spinoza: Naturing nature
Session 9 - DISCUSSION SESSION: Issues in early modern Europe
Session 10 - Kant, I: Experience
Session 11 - Kant, II: An object in general
Session 12 - Kant, III: Inner purposiveness
Session 13 - DISCUSSION SESSION: Issues in Kant
Session 14 - Review: Thinking and nature
<Final Exam>
Session 15 - Feedback

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[成績評価の方法・観点]

GRADE EVALUATION METHOD
Criterion #1: Discussion prep and participation (10% × 3 = 30%)
Criterion #2: Comment sheets (20%)
Criterion #3: Final exam (50%)
=100% Total Possible

ATTENDANCE
Attendance is strongly encouraged. If students miss a class, it is their responsibility to review material for the final exam.
Students must attend discussion sessions to receive credit for Criterion #1, and regular attendance of lectures is necessary for full credit for Criterion #2.

[教科書]

授業中に指示する

[参考書等]

（参考書）
授業中に紹介する

[授業外学修（予習・復習）等]

Readings with be uploaded on LMS. In terms of page length, the readings are relatively short. I recommend that most of the time spent on the texts is dedicated to actively thinking through them. During Session 2, we will discuss strategies.

[その他（オフィスアワー等）]

[主要授業科目（学部・学科名）]