

Higher Institute of Philosophy


FILO2310 **Advanced studies in Cultural Anthropology**

[30h] 4 credits

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Language: French
Level: Second cycle

Aims

By the end of this course, the student should be able:
 to identify the philosophical problems linked to cultural anthropology;
 to grasp the historical and interdisciplinary dimensions of this problem;
 to relate the problems discussed to current events.

Main themes

We shall go through the central tendencies of anthropology as a social science (evolutionism, diffusionism, functionalism, structuralism, etc.) through two questions that cross paths with these tendencies without being limited to them: 1) the relation between self and other; 2) the question of particularity, or of cultural identity.

Other information (prerequisite, evaluation (assessment methods), course materials recommended readings, ...)

Pre-requisites:

Some familiarity with cultural anthropology.

Assessment:

Oral exam based on the material covered in class.

Supporting material:

The student's class notes; course notes and summary; book/article indicated by lecturer.

Other credits in programs

ANTR3DS	Diplôme d'études spécialisées en anthropologie		
ISLE3DA/IS	Diplôme d'études approfondies en philosophie et lettres (philosophie)	(4 credits)	
ISP20	Licence à durée réduite en philosophie	(4 credits)	
ISP21	Première licence en philosophie	(4 credits)	
ISP22	Deuxième licence en philosophie	(4 credits)	
ISPB9CE	Certificat universitaire en philosophie (approfondissement)	(4 credits)	
ROM22	Deuxième licence en langues et littératures romanes	(4 credits)	
SOC2M1/AN	Master en sociologie et anthropologie (option anthropologie)	(4 credits)	Mandatory