

# Ethical Theory



What does it mean to live an ethical life if there are no universal truths? What are the comforting lies philosophers tell themselves? What if morality were a tool that served us? Can we make meaning in the suffering of life?

This course examines the limits of philosophy, morality, and meaning through the ethical theory of Friedrich Nietzsche. Here, we will struggle together, affirm eternal return, and undergo the metamorphoses of the soul!

Prerequisite(s): 3 units of philosophy or upper division standing.

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