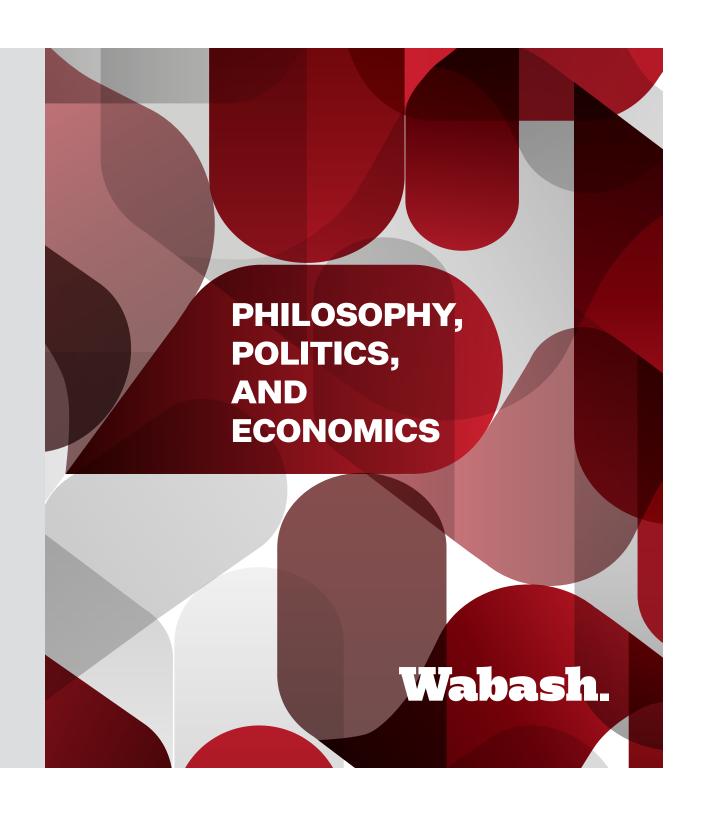
Where Can PPE Take You?

By facilitating a multidisciplinary approach to practical problems, the PPE major offers a liberal arts education that prepares students for leadership roles in a variety of fields. The major prepares students for careers in public policy and business. It is a good preparation for law school and for a variety of graduate programs in the humanities and social sciences. Moreover, it helps students become informed and engaged citizens.

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About the Major

Philosophy, Politics, and Economics (PPE) majors learn to investigate the social phenomena that philosophy, political science, and economics address from different perspectives. Philosophy fosters clear and creative thinking, ethical reflection, and the capacity to interrogate received opinion. Political science offers both theoretical and empirical

approaches to studying governing institutions and political relationships. By studying economics, students learn to analyze the role of incentives, markets, and governments in the allocation of scarce resources and distribution of income.

PPE graduates gain the ability to appreciate the complexity of policy initiatives. Arguably, PPE's multifaceted approach is necessary to adequately evaluate any policy proposal, since such an evaluation demands answers to different kinds of questions: For example, whether the policy is politically feasible, whether it is economically efficient, and whether it is fair and just to everyone involved.

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Courses Offered

Common PPE Requirements:

PPE 200: Introduction to PPE

(every spring)

PPE 400: Senior Seminar

(every fall)

Philosophy Courses:

PPE 213: Philosophy of Law
PPE 215: Environmental Philosophy
PPE 216: Philosophy of Gender
PPE 217: Philosophy of Race

PPE 218: Philosophy of Commerce

PPE 329: Seminar in Philosophy

Political Science Courses:

PPE 231: The Family, Gender, & Politics PPE 232: Disability and Politics PPE 234: The Poor and Justice PPE 235: The Courts and Democracy PPE 330: International Political Science PPF 332: Political Development PPE 333: Constitutional Law PPE 334: Political and Economic

PPE 336: American Political Thought
PPE 337: Nationalism and Ethnic

Development

Conflict

PPE 241: The Arab-Israeli Conflict

Economics Courses:

PPE 255:

PPE 358:

PPE 251: Law and Economics
PPE 252: Public Policy

PPE 254: Environmental Economics

Health Economics

PPE 256: The Global Economy

PPE 264: Development Economics

PPE 265: History of Economic Thought

PPE Major Requirements

PPE 200: Introduction to PPE

(with prerequisites of Eco 101, PHI 110, and PSC 111, 121,

Topics in Political Economy

131 or 141)

PPE 400: Senior Seminar

One 200 level in each discipline and one

300 level in each discipline

One additional 300 level PPE Credit Collateral Requirement in Diversity

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- Christopher McNally '21