

WESTERN UNIVERSITY
DEPARTMENT OF PHILOSOPHY
Undergraduate Course Outline 2022/23

PHILOSOPHY 2074F
Business Ethics

Fall Term
On-line

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DESCRIPTION

TEXTS

« Business in Ethical Focus, Second Edition, Broadview Press, 2011 »

OBJECTIVES

« In examining the questions and issues mentioned above, students will develop skills of critical reasoning and a way of thinking that can be applied to all walks of life. Specifically, they will learn to identify arguments and critically assess their plausibility. They will learn to formulate their own arguments. And they will learn about the various ethical issues which the practice of business gives rise. The aim is to develop

the ability to reflect on the practice of business from a critical moral point of view.

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METHOD OF EVALUATION

Final exam

30%



AUDIT

Students wishing to audit the course should consult with the instructor prior to or during the first week of classes.

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The Department of Philosophy

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