

# Addendum to the Programme Specification

BA Philosophy and Politics (YA) 5211 Ad 202021

This Addendum has been produced to highlight the key changes made to the existing Programme Specification as a result of the University's response to the Covid-19 Pandemic. You should read it in conjunction with the relevant Programme Specification from the year you started your programme.

[Programme Specification for entry in 2020-21](#)  
[Programme Specification for entry in 2019-20](#)  
[Programme Specification for entry in 2018-19](#)  
[Programme Specification for entry in 2017-18](#)

## University level information

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In view of COVID-19, the University has had to make changes to some elements of programme delivery for 2020-21. These changes have included the method of delivery, such as face-to-face and online, and the number of modules available.

The University aims to provide as much of a face-to-face component to your education as prevailing conditions at the time allow, combined with its new blended approach that will develop active independent and group online learning.

As the COVID-19 pandemic develops, the University's response to this and other issues may likewise need to evolve. The University will consult with student representatives as necessary and appropriate and will communicate changes to you as soon as practicable so that you have the information you need to understand how a change may impact you and what steps you need to take next. The University remains committed to supporting you as you learn.

## Programme Information

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In light of Covid-19, teaching and learning methods may be adapted. Lectures, seminars, tutorials, and consultation with academic staff may be delivered online or in person as the prevailing conditions allow. Group sizes for tutorials and seminars may be adjusted. Assessment methods may also be adapted. For example, exams may be replaced by coursework or take-home assignments; presentations and group projects may take place online, be adapted to allow for social distancing guidelines, or be replaced by other forms of assessment.

## Programme Structure

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Where optional modules have been specified, the following is an indicative list of available optional modules, which are subject to change each academic year. Please note that, in some instances, modules have limited spaces available.

<b>Programme:</b>	BA Philosophy & Pol (Yr Abd) - 5211
<b>Term:</b>	2020-2021 Academic Session (202021)

**Area title:** 5211-1 - BA Philosophy & Pol YA Pt 1

**Compulsory Modules**

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">PAIR 1001</a>	Intro to Inter Relations	15	No	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 1002</a>	Political Systems	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 1004</a>	Intro to Political Theory	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 1002</a>	Knowledge & Mind	15	No	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 1005</a>	Ethics	15	No	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 1016</a>	Reason and Argument	15	No	Semester 1

**Optional Modules**

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<p><b>1st Year Options</b></p> <p>You must take at least 45 credits in Philosophy and 45 credits in Politics, including any compulsory modules, over the year. You must also ensure that you take 60 credits in each semester</p> <p>You may use 15 credits in semester 2 to take an additional Philosophy module, a Politics module, a language module, a UOSM module, or a module as part of a minor, from the list below.</p>		
Rule 1 GROUP 3	<p><b>Semester 2 Modules</b></p> <p><b>Select 15-30 credits</b></p>		
<a href="#">PAIR 1005</a>	Introduction to Political Inquiry	15	Semester 2

<a href="#">PHIL 1003</a>	Ancient Greek Philosophy	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 1019</a>	Puzzles about Art and Literature	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 1020</a>	Faith and Reason	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 1021</a>	Existentialism and its Origins	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">STAT 1003</a>	Introduction to Quantitative Methods	15	Semester 2
Rule 1 GROUP 4	<b>Alternative Semester 2 Modules</b>  <b>Select 0-15 credits</b>		
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>

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<b>Area title:</b>	5211-2 - BA Philosophy & Pol YA Pt 2

#### Compulsory Modules

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">HUMA 2012</a>	Study Abroad Preparation	0	Yes	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2010</a>	The Struggle for Democracy	15	No	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 2028</a>	Appearance and Reality	15	No	Semester 1

#### Optional Modules

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<b>Rule 1</b>  <b>You must take at least 45 credits in</b>		

	<p><b>Philosophy and 45 credits in Politics, including any compulsory modules, over the year.</b></p> <p><b>You must also ensure that you take 60 credits in each semester</b></p> <p><b>You may use 15 credits in each semester to take a language module, a UOSM module, or a module as part of a minor, from the list below.</b></p>		
Rule 1 GROUP 1	<p><b>Semester 1 Modules</b></p> <p><b>Select 30-45 credits from the following</b></p>		
<a href="#">PAIR 2001</a>	Theorising International Politics	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2016</a>	Public Policy Analysis	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2018</a>	Partisans, Public Opinion and Elections: Understanding the	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2019</a>	Diaspora Politics in Transnational Space	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2020</a>	Realism and Idealism in International Relations	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2021</a>	The Politics and Governance of the EU	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2024</a>	Chinese Politics	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2032</a>	Democratisation in Global Politics: why do some regimes	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2051</a>	Power and Ethics Before Machiavelli	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2052</a>	Ethics of Public Policy	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 2053</a>	Globalisation and World Politics	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 2009</a>	Philosophy of Mind	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 2012</a>	Moral Philosophy	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 2032</a>	Metaphysics	15	Semester 1

<a href="#">PHIL 2037</a>	Philosophy of Religion	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">STAT 2009</a>	Research Methods in The Social Sciences	15	Semester 1
Rule 1 GROUP 2	<b>Semester 1 Alternative modules</b> <b>Select 0-15 credits from the following:</b>		
<a href="#">HUMA 2013</a>	How the Arts Work: A Practical Introduction to Cultural Econ	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
Rule 2	<b>Semester 2 Options</b> <b>Remember you must take at least 45 credits in Philosophy and 45 credits in Politics, including any compulsory modules, over the year</b>		
Rule 2 GROUP 1	<b>Semester 2 Modules</b> <b>Note: If you intend to take the PAIR Dissertation in Part 3 (PAIR 3003) you must take either PAIR2002 Political Thinking or PAIR2004 Qualitative Research Methods.</b> <b>Select 30-45 credits from the following:</b>		
<a href="#">PAIR 2002</a>	Political Thinking	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2004</a>	Qualitative Research in Politics & International Relations	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2005</a>	Development and International Relations	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2011</a>	American Political Thought	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2017</a>	European Security Governance	15	Semester 2

<a href="#">PAIR 2026</a>	Democratic Theory	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2031</a>	Comparative Party Politics	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2042</a>	Reinventing Democracy: Innovation, Participation and Power	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2046</a>	Critics of Empire: Radical and Revolutionary Political	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2047</a>	Politics and Protest	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2048</a>	Gender, Power and Politics	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2049</a>	Children and Human Rights	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2050</a>	Contemporary Theories of Justice	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 2054</a>	Dilemmas of Leadership	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 2001</a>	Aesthetics	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 2014</a>	Logic	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 2021</a>	Epistemology	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 2039</a>	Ethics of Global Poverty	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 2040</a>	Metaethics	15	Semester 2
Rule 2 GROUP 2	<b>Semester 2 Alternative Modules</b>  <b>Select 0-15 credits from the following</b>		
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>

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<b>Area title:</b>	5211-3 - BA Philosophy & Pol YA Pt 3

### Compulsory Modules

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">HUMA 3013</a>	Year Abroad Report Module 0	0	No	Full Academic Year

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<b>Area title:</b>	5211-4 - BA Philosophy & Pol YA Pt 4

### Compulsory Modules

You must complete the following modules:

Module	Module Title	Credit	Core?	Semester/Term
<a href="#">LANG 3011</a>	Seeing and being seen 0	0	No	Semester 1

### Optional Modules

You must choose from the following modules:

Module		Credit	Semester/Term
Rule 1	<b>Dissertation</b>  <b>Please choose to take either a dissertation in Philosophy or Politics</b>  <b>Note: You can only take PAIR 3003 if you completed PAIR 2004 in Part 2.</b>		
<a href="#">PAIR 3003</a>	Dissertation in Politics & International Relations	30	Full Academic Year
<a href="#">PHIL 3013</a>	Philosophy Dissertation	30	Full Academic Year
Rule 2	<b>Semester 1</b>  <b>Please select 45 credits from the following 2 groups.</b>  <b>You may use 15 credits in each</b>		

	<p><b>semester to take a language module, a UOSM module, or a module as part of a minor, from the list below</b></p> <p><b>If you have selected the second year version of a Politics (PAIR) module previously on your programme then please do not select the third year version of the same Politics (PAIR) module.</b></p>		
Rule 2 GROUP 1	<p><b>Philosophy &amp; Politics Modules</b></p> <p><b>Please select between 30-45 credits from the following list of Philosophy and Politics modules.</b></p>		
<a href="#">PAIR 3014</a>	Globalisation and World Politics	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3021</a>	Chinese Politics	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3025</a>	Public Policy Analysis	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3027</a>	Partisans, Public Opinion and Elections: Understanding the	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3028</a>	Diaspora Politics in Transnational Space	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3030</a>	The Politics and Governance of the EU	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3040</a>	Democratisation in Global Politics: why do some regimes	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3050</a>	Power and Ethics Before Machiavelli	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PAIR 3057</a>	Ethics of Public Policy	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 3007</a>	Nietzsche	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 3036</a>	Self-Knowledge	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 3049</a>	Puzzles and Paradoxes	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 3050</a>	Advanced Aesthetics: Aesthetic Creativity	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">PHIL 3055</a>	Classical Indian Philosophy	15	Semester 1



<a href="#">STAT 3004</a>	Applied Regression Analysis	15	Semester 1
Rule 2 GROUP 2	<p><b>Alternative Semester 1 Modules</b></p> <p><b>You may wish to replace one of your Philosophy/Politics modules with 0-15 from the list below.</b></p>		
<a href="#">HUMA 2013</a>	How the Arts Work: A Practical Introduction to Cultural Econ	15	Semester 1
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
Rule 3	<p><b>Semester 2</b></p> <p><b>Remember you must take at least 45 credits in Philosophy and 45 credits in Politics, including any compulsory modules, over the year</b></p> <p><b>You may use 15 credits in each semester to take a language module, a UOSM module, or a module as part of a minor, from the list below.</b></p> <p><b>If you have selected the second year version of a Politics (PAIR) module previously on your programme then please do not select the third year version of the same Politics (PAIR) module.</b></p>		
Rule 3 GROUP 1	<p><b>Philosophy &amp; Politics modules</b></p> <p><b>Please select 30-45 credits from the following list of Philosophy and Politics choices.</b></p>		

<a href="#">PAIR 3005</a>	Development and International Relations	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3015</a>	Contemporary Theories of Justice	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3033</a>	Democratic Theory	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3039</a>	Comparative Party Politics	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3052</a>	Dilemmas of Leadership	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3059</a>	Critics of Empire: Radical and Revolutionary Political	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3060</a>	Politics and Protest	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3061</a>	Gender, Power and Politics	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3062</a>	Children and Human Rights	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PAIR 3063</a>	American Political Thought	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 3034</a>	Philosophy of Sex	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 3037</a>	Wittgenstein's Later Philosophy	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 3041</a>	Happiness and Wellbeing	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 3042</a>	Fiction and Fictionalism	15	Semester 2
<a href="#">PHIL 3051</a>	Other Minds	15	Semester 2
Rule 3 GROUP 2	<b>Alternative Semester 2 Modules</b>  <b>You may wish to replace 15 credits from your Philosophy/Politics modules with one chosen from the list below.</b>		
<a href="#">LANG XX15</a>	Language Module	15	<a href="#">Show Electives</a>
UOSM ----	A maximum of 15 credits in any level NQF5 module in subject UOSM ("Broadening Horizons")		<a href="#">Show Electives</a>