

Teaching Activities 2024-25

Curriculum Ethics and Politics – Coordinator Michel Croce (UNIGE)

Mandatory Seminars (Years 1 & 2)

Students in Years 1 and 2 must attend three seminars. All seminars will take place at the University of Genoa, via Balbi, Genoa (specific venue details to follow). In-person attendance is required. (Full course descriptions and titles will be available soon.)

1. Political Theory

- Dates: April 10-11
- Lecturers: D. Miller, C. Straehle
- Academic Host: V. Ottonelli

2. Disinformation in Democratic Societies

- Dates: April 14-15
- Lecturer: J. McBrayer
- Academic Host: M. Croce

3. Hume on Testimony

- Dates: May 14-15
- Lecturer: D. O'Brien
- Academic Host: L. Fonnesu
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*Note for Year 1 students: You will need to write a short essay on a topic from one of these seminars.

Important: If you're unable to attend due to a research stay abroad, please contact me as soon as possible.

Work-in-Progress (WiP) Seminar – All Years

This is a weekly online pre-read seminar where Year 2 and 3 students present their ongoing work. Details:

- When: Wednesdays at 5 PM (Italian time), maximum 2 hours
- Format: Papers circulated one week in advance
- Presentation: 15-20 minutes introduction by the author
- Sign-up: Year 2 and 3 students, please reserve your slot asap here: https://docs.google.com/document/d/1xT7bw_xmTZB1BjtHQIntxzgS55VUJsfoYdPSoEDLGg4/edit?usp=sharing

This year, I will share the fun of leading the seminar with an amazing team, featuring Corrado Fumagalli (Genoa), Federico Bina (Genoa), Eleonora Severini (Pavia), and Justin McBrayer (Fort Lewis College). Members of the E&P teaching board will also join the seminar depending on their availability.

Special Notes

Jens Timmermann (St. Andrews) will be visiting the University of Pavia from May 5 to May 9, where he will teach a moral philosophy seminar. More details will follow in due course. You're all warmly invited to keep note of this event and opportunity to meet Timmermann.

Justin McBrayer (<https://www.justinmcbrayer.com/>) will be a Fulbright Visiting Researcher at Dafist (Genoa) from March to May, collaborating on the PRIN PNRR "Discern -- Distrust in Science Reframed" project. If you'd like to discuss your research with him, you can reach him at jpmcbrayer@fortlewis.edu.

WIP Ethics and Politics Seminar 2025

The seminar will be held online on Wednesdays at 5 pm according to the following schedule

	DATE	Speaker	Title	Faculty attending
1	March 5	Luca Quinto	Tbd	
2	March 12	Manuel Marsico	tbd	
3	March 19	Davide Versari	TBD	
4	March 26	Maria Zanzotto	tbd	
5	April 2	Laura Gorrieri	TBD	
6	April 9	Edoardo Vignocchi	TBD	
7	April 16	Claudia Manzione	TBD	
8	April 23	Norberto Albano	TBD	