

Who is God?
Course Abstract

Course: IS 5101 *Who is God?*
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Day/Time: Monday 8:10 p.m.- 9:40 p.m.
Location: Main Campus

Purpose: The purpose of this course is to analyze and critique certain apologetic strategies within contemporary philosophy of religion toward a deeper understanding of God and a more coherent Christian apologetic.

Required Texts:

Cahn, Steven, M. and Shatz, David (eds.) Questions About God: Today's Philosophers Ponder the Divine. New York: Oxford University Press, 2002.

Phillips, D.Z. The Problem of Evil and the Problem of God. Minneapolis: Fortress Press, 2005.

Evaluation: The evaluation of this course will be a 25 page paper due three weeks after the last class. The nature of the paper will be research and argument. The purpose will be to demonstrate a facility with certain philosophical ideas reviewed and discussed in class. The student will also be expected to present a well argued and researched position with respect to one or more philosophical issues presented in class.