

# PHILOSOPHY (M.A.)

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## Requirements

All master's students in philosophy take 30 credit hours, including one course in each of the major historical areas of philosophy. To remain in the program, master's students must maintain a minimum of a 3.0 GPA (based on a 4.0 scale).

Students must obtain the approval of the Director of Graduate Studies when selecting courses.

Course	Title	Credits
<b>Area Courses</b>		
One course in each area:		12
	Ancient Philosophy	
	Medieval Philosophy	
	Modern Philosophy	
	Contemporary Philosophy	
<b>Elective Courses</b>		
Four elective courses <sup>1</sup>		12
<b>Capstone</b>		
One of the capstone options below:		6
<i>Special Project</i>		
PHIL 0932	Master's Special Project <sup>2</sup>	
One additional elective course <sup>1</sup>		
<i>Thesis</i>		
PHIL 0938	Masters Thesis <sup>2</sup>	
<b>Total Credits</b>		<b>30</b>

<sup>1</sup> Elective courses can be any graduate-level course in the Philosophy department, or any PHIL 5000+. A list of these courses can be found on our department page.

<sup>2</sup> Information on the Master's Thesis and Master's Special Project for Philosophy can be found on our page on the Fordham website.

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## CIP Code

38.0101 - Philosophy.

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