

PHIL 5430-001

History of philosophy in the Americas

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This course surveys philosophical thought original to the Americas. Traditions we'll cover include:

- Precolumbian Indigenous Philosophy
- Transcendentalism
- American Pragmatism
- African-American Philosophy
- Latin American and Caribbean Philosophy
- Modern Indigenous Philosophy

The major assignments in the course will be:

- In-class participation
- Work on a collaborative wiki encyclopedia of philosophy in the Americas
- Short weekly reading responses
- A medium-length original research paper (or equivalent project)