

PHILOSOPHY, POLITICS & ECONOMICS (PPE)

PPE 30200 Law and Economics (3 Credit Hours)

This class teaches how to use the basic tools and concepts of economics to analyze the economic effects of legal rules, regulations, and enforcement methods. Examples of this "economic approach" to the study of the law are taken from the basic bodies of law in a civil society: property law, tort law, contract law, and criminal law. The course also explores the role of the state in creating and enforcing a body of law that promotes economic growth and development.

PPE 43101 PPE Colloquium (1-2 Credit Hours)

A one- or two-credit colloquium required for the PPE minor devoted to the critical reading and discussion of one or two major works, normally taken each semester for three semesters following the Justice Seminar for a total of 3 credits.

Course may be repeated.

PPE 46497 Directed Readings (1-6 Credit Hours)

With consent of instructor and approval of department, advanced students are permitted to take a tutorial with a faculty member. Readings will be assigned in a particular area and writing assignments required.

Course may be repeated.