Module Code	:	AP-2401				
Module Title	:	Philosophical Ethics				
Programme	:	Bachelor of Arts				
Type of Module	:	Breadth				
Modular Credits	:	4	Student Workload:	8 - 10 hours per week		
			Contact Hours:	2 hours per week		
Prerequisite	:	None				
Anti-requisite	:	None				

Aims:

This module presents a general overview of ethical treatises and theories across a variety of philosophical traditions. As ethics analyses moral judgment and moral rule this module would view how these and related questions are discussed by different philosophers from different backgrounds. The aim of the module is to investigate and compare philosophical and moralistic positions on ethical issues through a consideration of excerpts from a variety of philosophical and theological texts.

Module Content:

- Discussion and insights from western and muslim philosophers
- The ethical views of Plato, Aristotle, al-Farabi, al-Ghazzali, Miskawayh, Kant, and Mill

Assessment:	Examination:	50 %	Coursework:	50%
	2 hours		Journal Entries	10%
			Presentation	20%
			1 Essay	20%

Textbook(s)/References:

Aristotle. (1974). *The ethics of Aristotle, the Nichomachean ethics*. Harmondsworth. New York: Penguin Classics.

De Botton, A. (2001). The consolations of philosophy. London: Penguin Books.

Fakhry, Majid. (1998). Ethical Theories in Islam. Leiden: Brill.

Kant, I. (2002). Groundwork for the metaphysic of morals. New Haven: Yale University Press.

Plato. (2000). The Republic. Cambridge: Cambridge University Press.

Mill, J. S. (1957) Utilitarianism. London: Collier Macmillan Publications.