**Degree Options**
Bachelor of Arts in Philosophy  
General Philosophy  
Philosophy Pre-Law

**Minors**
Philosophy  
Ethics

**Program Strengths**
- Philosophy Majors, on average, perform better than any other major on professional and graduate school admission tests that are required for admission to law school, medical school, business administration program, and graduate school. (GRE, LSAT, and GMAT)
- Our majors enable students to explore critically a variety of systems of beliefs and values, to identify and challenge the foundations of their own beliefs and values, and to develop critical thinking and communication skills that are in high demand and central to success in all professions.
- Our recent graduates have attended law school at Penn State, University of Virginia; graduate school - PhD in Philosophy at Boston College and at Concordia University (Canada).
- The Potter Lecture brings an internationally known philosopher to Washington State University each year. Former Potter lecturers include Noam Chomsky, Bernard Rollin, and Daniel C. Dennett.

**Student Clubs**
Ethics Bowl  
Philosophy Club  
Mock Trial Team

**Career Options**
Law  
Health Professionals  
Information Technology  
Business  
Ministry  
Medical ethics  
Government  
Teaching  
Publishing

**Certification Requirements**
24 completed semester credits  
2.0 GPA for general and pre-law philosophy

**Suggested Classes for Freshmen**
PHIL 101: Introduction to Philosophy  
PHIL 103: Introduction to Ethics  
PHIL 201: Elementary Logic  
Complete UCORE requirements

**Suggested Classes for Transfer Students**
Meet with advisor to determine which courses are needed

**Math Requirement**
Any UCORE, most commonly:
MATH 105: Exploring Mathematics  
MATH 212: Introduction to Statistical Methods  
PHIL 201: Elementary Logic (strongly recommended)

**Core Courses**
PHIL 101: Introduction to Philosophy  
OR  
PHIL 103: Introduction to Ethics  
PHIL 201: Elementary Logic

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