

Humanities Divisional Board

Approved by officers on behalf of the Board on 25 September 2019

Title of Programme

Preliminary Examination in Mathematics and Philosophy

Brief note about nature of change: Revisions to syllabus for General Philosophy paper

Location of change

In *Examination Regulations 2018* (<https://www.admin.ox.ac.uk/examregs/2018-19/peip-poliandecon/>)

Effective date

For students starting from MT2019

For first examination from 2019-20

Detail of change

New text underlined; deletions struck-through:

^[1.12] 1. *General Philosophy* Subjects to be studied include: ~~knowledge and scepticism, induction, mind and body, personal identity, free will, and God and evil. Candidates will have the opportunity, but will not be required, to show first-hand knowledge of Descartes' *Meditations* and Hume's *An Enquiry concerning Human Understanding*.~~ are: knowledge; skepticism; perception; induction; the relation between mind and body; personal identity; free will; the problem of evil.

Explanatory Notes

This change makes minor revisions to the syllabus for General Philosophy in the Preliminary examinations. The syllabus for General Philosophy in some other schools is defined by cross-reference to the syllabus for General Philosophy in Mathematics and Philosophy.