

	<p>School of Arts & Science HUMANITIES DEPARTMENT PHIL 104 Philosophy of Sex and love 1026 Goldstream Ave. Room 202 Thursday 6:00 - 8:50</p>
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COURSE OUTLINE

1. Instructor Information

(a)	Instructor:	Dr. Craig Derksen		
(b)	Office Hours:	Lansdowne: Tuesday 9:30-10:30 and after class		
(c)	Location:	Young 320		
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(e)	Email:	derksenc@camosun.bc.ca		
(f)	Website:			

2. Intended Learning Outcomes

At the end of the course students will be able to:

1. Differentiate and contrast historical ideals and concepts of love.
2. Assess claims about the biological and/or environmental basis of transsexuality and sexual orientation.
3. Evaluate long-term monogamy.
4. Analyze the abstinence versus birth control debate.
5. Give evidence for an opinion on abortion.

3. Required Materials

There are no required texts. There will be online readings. This course will make use of Desire 2 Learn, for communication and assignments.

4. Course Content and Schedule

Sept 12 Introduction and Approaches
Sept 19 The Nature of Love
Sept 26 The Nature of Sex and Reproduction
Oct 3 Assignments and Practical Concerns
Oct 10 Sex and Love Private/Dirty/Magical/Pure or Impure
Oct 17 Consent and Control
Oct 24 Acts
Oct 31 Animals
Nov 7 Genders
Nov 21 Cultures
Nov 28 Relationships
Dec 5 Media
Dec 12 Money

5. Basis of Student Assessment (Weighting)

You will be evaluated on two take home tests (30% each, due Oct 11 and Nov 8, details on D2L and in class) and one paper (40%, due Dec 13, details on D2L and in class). All assignments will be submitted on D2L.

- ◆ Please note: the College electronically stores this outline for five (5) years only.
It is **strongly recommended** you keep a copy of this outline with your academic records.
You will need this outline for any future application/s for transfer credit/s to other colleges/universities.

6. Grading System

(No changes are to be made to this section unless the Approved Course Description has been forwarded through the Education Council of Camosun College for approval.)

Standard Grading System (GPA)

Percentage	Grade	Description	Grade Point Equivalency
90-100	A+		9
85-89	A		8
80-84	A-		7
77-79	B+		6
73-76	B		5
70-72	B-		4
65-69	C+		3
60-64	C		2
50-59	D	Minimum level of achievement for which credit is granted; a course with a "D" grade cannot be used as a prerequisite.	1
0-49	F	Minimum level has not been achieved.	0

Temporary Grades

Temporary grades are assigned for specific circumstances and will convert to a final grade according to the grading scheme being used in the course. See Grading Policy E-1.5 at camosun.ca for information on conversion to final grades, and for additional information on student record and transcript notations.

Temporary Grade	Description
I	<i>Incomplete:</i> A temporary grade assigned when the requirements of a course have not yet been completed due to hardship or extenuating circumstances, such as illness or death in the family.
IP	<i>In progress:</i> A temporary grade assigned for courses that, due to design may require a further enrollment in the same course. No more than two IP grades will be assigned for the same course. (For these courses a final grade will be assigned to either the 3 rd course attempt or at the point of course completion.)
CW	<i>Compulsory Withdrawal:</i> A temporary grade assigned by a Dean when an instructor, after documenting the prescriptive strategies applied and consulting with peers, deems that a student is unsafe to self or others and must be removed from the lab, practicum, worksite, or field placement.

7. Recommended Materials or Services to Assist Students to Succeed Throughout the Course

LEARNING SUPPORT AND SERVICES FOR STUDENTS

There are a variety of services available for students to assist them throughout their learning. This information is available in the College calendar, at Student Services, or the College web site at camosun.ca.

STUDENT CONDUCT POLICY

There is a Student Conduct Policy **which includes plagiarism**. It is the student's responsibility to become familiar with the content of this policy. The policy is available in each School Administration Office, at Student Services, and the College web site in the Policy Section.