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# *Introduction to Philosophy*

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**TUESDAYS AND THURSDAYS**

**8:00 - 9:20 AM**

Great thinkers from West and East, from the past and present have been gripped by a common set of intellectual puzzles. How can we know that our world isn't just a giant computer simulation? Can an all-benevolent, all-powerful, and all-knowing God really exist with so much evil and suffering in the world? What makes you and your childhood self the same person? Do human beings have free will? What makes an act morally good or societies just? Why, if at all, should we value free speech? This introductory course is an opportunity to learn how to engage critically with some prominent responses to these questions.

