UNIVERSITÀ DEGLI STUDI DI BARI ALDO MORO

COURSE OF STUDY Philosophical Sciences

ACADEMIC YEAR 2023-24

ACADEMIC SUBJECT Technological innovation ethics

General information	
Year of the course	I
Academic calendar (starting and ending date)	First Semester (25.09.23-13.12.23)
Credits (CFU/ETCS):	6
SSD	MFIL-03 Moral Philosophy
Language	Italian
Mode of attendance	Attendance is governed by the Course Didactic Regulations which can be consulted at the following link: https://www.uniba.it/ricerca/dipartimenti/disum/offerta-formativa/didattica/scheda-corso-filosofia/scheda-cds-filosofia

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Work schedule			
Hours			
Total	Lectures	Hands-on (laboratory, workshops, working groups, seminars, field trips)	Out-of-class study hours/ Self-study hours
150	*42*		108
CFU/ETCS			
6			

Learning Objectives	Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics of technological innovation. Acquisition of the ability to critically read the texts dealt with.
Course prerequisites	

Teaching strategie	Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics

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Expected learning outcomes in terms of	Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics of technological innovation. Acquisition of the ability to critically read the texts dealt with.
Knowledge and understanding on:	o Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics of technological innovation. Acquisition of the ability to critically read the texts dealt with.
Applying knowledge and understanding on:	o Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics of technological innovation. Acquisition of the ability to critically read the texts dealt with.
Soft skills	o Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics of technological innovation. Acquisition of the ability to critically read the texts dealt with.
Syllabus	
Content knowledge	Knowledge of the main issues and problems related to the ethics of technological innovation. Acquisition of the ability to critically read the texts dealt with.
Texts and readings	L. Floridi, Pensare l'infosfera, Cortina, Milano 2020. L. Floridi, Etica dell'intelligenza artificiale, Cortina, Milano 2022.
Notes, additional materials	Material on specific ethical issues will be indicated (e.g. driverless cars)
Repository	The material will be available on the teams platform.

Assessment	
Assessment methods	The exam involves an oral interview on the contents of the program carried out, through which individual preparation will be assessed. The exam calendar is published on Esse3 and on the CdS website at this link: https://manageweb.ict.uniba.it/corsi/filosofia/appelli-e-commissioni-desame. To register for the exam it is mandatory to use the Esse3 system.
Assessment criteria	The interview is aimed at ascertaining the possession of • Good theoretical knowledge and critical understanding of the onto-axiological foundations of ethics, forms of power and their influence on individual and collective ethical models; • Advanced skills in applying the acquired knowledge to the ethical and political problems of the contemporary world; • Development of a critical and autonomous ethical judgment supported by logical rigor and argumentative ability; • Development of communication skills in order to clarity and accuracy of information and arguments • Good knowledge and application of the rules of maetacognition;
Final exam and grading criteria	The final grade is awarded out of thirty. The exam is passed when the grade is greater than or equal to 18.

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