

Phil 2, Fourth Paper Assignment

Maximum Length: No more than three pages, double spaced, 12-point font, one-inch margins

Due: Friday, December 7, by 9:10am (before the lecture starts). Please hand in your paper, in person, to your GSI.

Topic:

What sort of principle of toleration, if any, can be defended? Why?

This topic is open ended. There are many different ways of addressing it, and we do not have a single template in mind.

Relevant readings include, but are not limited to:

- Williams, "Interlude: Relativism"
- Russ Shafer-Landau, *What Ever Happened to Good and Evil*
- Mill, *On Liberty*
- Rawls, *Political Liberalism*
- Thomson, "Abortion"

You do *not* need to discuss all of the relevant readings. It is perfectly fine to discuss only some. We are just looking for a thoughtful and informed discussion of some aspect of the topic.