

Phil 104, Fourth Paper Assignment

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

Due: Monday, November 29, by 10:10am (before the lecture starts). Please hand in your paper, in person, to your GSI. However, you may take, without asking permission, an extension until Wednesday, December 1, 10:10am, on the following condition: that you do not request help on your paper from your GSI or professor during the extension period. (Of course, you're more than welcome to seek help with your paper *before* the extension period!) The reason for this is to accommodate students who won't be back from Thanksgiving travel by Monday, while discouraging students from waiting until after Thanksgiving travel to write their papers.

Choose one of the following:

1. Write no fourth paper at all, and take as the grade for your fourth paper the lowest grade among your first three papers.
 - For example, suppose you got B+, B+, A- on the first three papers. Your grades would be automatically B+, B+, A-, B+.
2. Rewrite one of the first three papers on which *either* you got your lowest grade *or* no higher than B.
 - You must hand in the original paper, with the comments if possible.
 - Your grade for the rewrite will count as your grade for the fourth paper.
 - For example, suppose you got B+, B+, A- on the first three papers. You rewrite the first paper, and get an A on the rewrite. Then your grades for the four papers be: B+, B+, A-, A.
3. Write a new paper on the following topic. What is/are Nietzsche's criticism/s of the "morality of good and evil"? Explain and illustrate with reference to the text. Raise what you feel is a compelling objection. How would Nietzsche respond?

Note:

Although this means that you can avoid writing a paper on Nietzsche or Sidgwick, you won't be able to avoid review questions on Nietzsche and Sidgwick in the final exam. So keep up with the reading and lectures!