Course Title: Case Studies in Business Ethics

Course Number and Section: PHILOSOPHY 3840F - 550

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Course Description:
A seminar course involving the extended examination of major real-world cases in business ethics. Sample areas for examination: pharmaceuticals, the automotive industry, mining, the petroleum industry. The goal of this course is to illuminate the fundamental tension in business activity created by values of truth and profit.

Learning Outcomes:
1. Discuss competing points of view on issues in business ethics.
2. Evaluate conflicting philosophical arguments related to these issues.
3. Formulate well-reasoned solutions to practical dilemmas.
4. Persuade others of a well-reasoned stance or action.
5. Demonstrate effective writing and skillful critical and reflective thinking.

Textbooks and Course Materials:
Custom Course Book. (This contains copies of required readings and cases.) Available from Western Bookstore.

Methods of Evaluation:

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