



Visiting Professor Program Academic Year 2024/2025

TEACHING COMMITMENT: 18 hours

COURSE TITLE

Theoretical Philosophy

TEACHING PERIOD

2nd term

SCIENTIFIC AREA

Philosophy

LANGUAGE USED TO TEACH

Italian

COURSE SUMMARY

The proposal is for a teaching that fits within the course of Theoretical Philosophy (MA in Philosophy, 12 credits), for 3 credits, or 18 hours. The course will focus on twentieth-century philosophical hermeneutics, postmodernity and weak thought. Within this course, the part assigned to the visiting professor will concern the philosophy of Gianni Vattimo from the point of view of its reception abroad, especially in the Hispanic world, to offer an overview also of its influence beyond the Italian context and debate. The choice to incorporate this professorship within a course is intended to foster as much interaction as possible between the proposing faculty member, the students and the visiting professor.

LEARNING OBJECTIVES

To provide an overview of the philosophy of Gianni Vattimo, and the Turin School in general, and its influence in the contemporary world;

Foster contacts with foreign lecturers and academic institutions;
Foster awareness and critical discussion in comparison with other perspectives and cultural worlds.

OTHER ACTIVITIES BESIDES THE COURSE

Visiting seminars, workshops and/or lectures will be organized for both bachelor's and master's degree students and doctoral students.

Organization of events, in Turin or abroad, involving scholars and students on the topics of the professorship.

VISITING PROFESSOR PROFILE

- Certified teaching and research experience in the field of philosophical hermeneutics and in particular on the figure of Gianni Vattimo;
- Excellent knowledge of the Italian language, also attested through translation activity;
- Consolidated teaching experience at the university level;
- Ability to engage in interdisciplinary and collaborative research.

CONTACT REFERENT

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