### SCHEDULE FOR THE CLASSROOM

## Week 1

THE MORAL TURN: HELLENISTIC PERIOD AND THE ROMAN EMPIRE

Aristotle, *Ethics Nicomachean*, Book II, VI - Concerning excellence of character or moral virtue.

#### Week 2

Seneca, Moral Letters to Lucilius

Epictetus, Discourses

# Week 3

BAROQUE'S MODERNITY AND THE CONCEPT OF CONSCIOUSNESS

Augustine of Hippo, Confessions

Michel de Montaigne, Of Cannibals

Descartes, Discourse on the Method

#### Week 4

John Locke, An Essay Concerning Human Understanding

David Hume, Investigación sobre el conocimiento humano

# Week 5

THE ENLIGHTENMENT AS A MODEL FOR CIVILIZATION

Jean Jacques Rousseau, Confessions

Denis Diderot, Rameau's Nephew

### Week 6

Immanuel Kant, What is Enlightenment?

### Week 7

THE EUROPEAN ROMANTICISM AND CULTURAL MEDIATION

Friedrih Schiller, On the Aesthetic Education of Man

# Week 8

THE LINGUISTIC TURN

Bertrand Russell, Power: A New Social Analysis

Ludwig Wittgenstein, Philosophical Investigations

Richard Rorty, The Linguistic Turn

### Week 9

## **EXISTENTIALISM**

Jean-Paul Sartre, Existentialism Is a Humanism

Martin Heidegger, Letter on Humanism

Albert Camus, The Myth of Sisyphus

### Week 10

### **STRUCTURALISM**

Roland Barthes, Structuralist activity

Anthony Giddens, Structuralism, Post-structuralism and the Production of Culture

### Week 11

## **CRITICAL MARXISM**

Walter Benjamin, The Work of Art in the Age of Mechanical Reproduction

Walter Benjamin, On the Concept of History

Jürgen Habermas, Theory of Communicative Action

#### Week 12

Herbert Marcuse, One-Dimensional Man: Studies in the Ideology of Advanced Industrial Society

Erich Fromm, Escape from Freedom

# Week 13

Gilles Deleuze, How do we recognize Structuralism?

Jean-François Lyotard, The Postmodern Condition: A Report on Knowledge

# Week 14

## **POSTMODERNISM**

Jacques Derrida, Signature Event Context

Michel Foucault, Words and Things