

## GENERAL EDUCATION

### 144 **The Individual and Complex Organizations in American Society (3)**

An examination of the characteristics and complexities of professional organizations. Designed to develop knowledge of fundamental organizational theory, of the function of such organizations, and of the methods by which administrative structures and processes interact with external environments and clients.

### **Nexus 101 Space and Time (3)**

An interdisciplinary study of the changing concepts of space and time that underlie our vision of the world and the ways in which these concepts are expressed, especially in Art, Astronomy, Literature, and Physics. (Former NEXA 101)

### 102 **Understanding of Men and Women (3)**

A philosophical, psychological, and biological investigation of the main issues involved in understanding human behavior. Reading and discussion of literary and historical accounts of behavior, with emphasis on the development of scientific explanation. Ethical scientific consequences of the use of experimental methods. (Former NEXA 102)

### 103 **Ascent of Man (3)**

Exploration of basic ideas found in Jacob Bronowski's *Ascent of Man*. The course will explore the implications, both scientific and humanistic, of Bronowski's interpretation of man's cultural history. Guest lecturers from various arts and science disciplines will add their insights. (Former NEXA 103)

### 104 **Psychological Issues Through Literature (3)**

Examination of fundamental and controversial issues in Psychology as they appear in novels, plays, and short stories. (Former NEXA 104)

### 105 **Evolution Revolution (3)**

An exploration of the significance of evolutionary theory and its impact on the sciences and on the broader cultural scene: Pre-Darwinian evolutionists; changing attitudes toward persons and their relation to the rest of nature; literary and artistic expressions of evolutionary ideas; philosophical and ethical responses; the controversies between evolutionary and other accounts of the origin and development of life.

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## CAPSTONE: CLUSTER COURSES

### THE SPIRITUAL QUEST

**Cluster Theme:** To explore in cross-cultural, theoretical, and philosophical perspectives the answers humans have discovered to ultimate questions.

Phil	130	Philosophy of Religion (3)
	131	Comparative Religion (3)
Anth	145W	Comparative Religion (3)