



PHILSOPHY 290: Advanced Seminar in Philosophical Classics

“Heidegger in Latin America”

In this course, we will explore the *presence* of Martin Heidegger’s philosophy in Latin America. We will consider, especially, the influence of *Being and Time* (1927) on Latin American existentialism. We will also reflect on the reasons why philosophers ultimately rejected Heidegger’s philosophical program, and think with those philosophers about those elements of his program that are salvageable, or valuable, for a genuine *Latin American philosophy*.

Our primary text will be Heidegger’s *Being and Time*. Supplementary materials (translated texts and excerpts) will be made available throughout the semester.

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Class meets on Thursdays 6:00-8:45 pm at Sweeny Hall 241.