This course investigates the nature of the emotions. The course is informed by a phenomenological perspective, although the vast bulk of the readings will be drawn from so-called analytic philosophy. In particular, the course investigates:

1. The nature of the emotions
   a. The question concerning the intentionality of the emotions
   b. The question of cognitive content
   c. The question of the role of feelings in the emotions
2. The evaluative character of the emotions
3. The relation of the emotions to action (action-tending or action-motivating)

The readings for the course will include:


There will also be some brief readings and articles posted on ARES, including selections from Husserl's *Lectures on Ethics and the Theory of Value* (1908–14) and my "The Intentional Structure of the Emotions" (2013).