

L03/04: Summarize a Philosophical Perspective: Worksheet

1. Names of people in your group (first and last)

2. Which philosophical perspective did your group discuss?

3. How does this perspective inform moral action? In other words, how does this perspective help us to know what “doing the right thing” should be in a given situation?

4. Who is associated with this perspective and what do we know about them?

5. Are there any key terms / ideas that are important to know about in order to understand this philosophical perspective? If so, define them (e.g. “utility”, “free market”, “categorical imperative”, “telos”, “veil of ignorance”)

6. Give us 1-2 “real world” examples of how the philosophical perspective might guide us to act.

7. What are some critiques of this philosophical perspective? Use examples from the Sandel, or examples of your own!

8. Do you have any questions / confusion about this perspective?