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PHIL 491, "The Problem of Evil"

"God is good. God is omnipotent and omniscient. Evil exists in the world."

The problem of evil, summarized in these statements, is both a theological and philosophical problem that has plagued theologians and philosophers alike. Individuals and societies continue to strive to make sense of the existence of evil in the world. PHIL 491, "The Problem of Evil" will provide students will an accounting of the major historical, philosophical, and religious efforts at making sense of evil. It will also propel students, regardless of background or perspective, to develop *their own* answer to the problem of evil. This course is **open to all students**, across years and majors.

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