

# MASTER OF ARTS PHILOSOPHY

## Saint Mary's University

### FACULTY

**Robert Ansell**

*Logic, Ethics, and Social Philosophy*

**Todd Calder**

*Ethics, Legal, Political, and Social Philosophy*

**Shelagh Crooks**

*Epistemology; Philosophy of Education; Argumentation Theory*

**Scott Edgar**

*History of Modern Philosophy, especially Kant and Post-Kantian; History and Philosophy of Science*

**Lisa Gannet**

*History and Philosophy of Science, especially Biology*

**John MacKinnon**

*Philosophy and/of Literature; Aesthetics; Legal Theory*

**Mark Mercer**

*Meta-Ethics; Philosophy of Mind; Epistemology*

**Emma McClure**

*Feminism; Ethics; Philosophy of Law, especially Critical Race Theory*

### PROGRAM DESCRIPTION

Our MA program combines coursework and a thesis, and includes training in teaching philosophy. Students are encouraged to complete the program within a month and a quarter of full-time work, either full-time or part-time options are available.

The program is well-suited for students seeking additional training in philosophy for a variety of reasons, including preparation for further study in philosophy, the doctoral level, in intellectual and professional development, in preparation for other careers such as law, journalism, or politics; and a deeper understanding of philosophical topics for their own sake.

Accepted students have the opportunity to work closely with faculty members who (collectively) have expertise in a range of areas in the discipline including: ethics, philosophy of law, social and political philosophy, philosophy of science, epistemology, aesthetics, Kant/Post-Kantian, and philosophy of education.

### ADMISSION REQUIREMENTS

Undergraduate degree (or international coursework) in Philosophy, demonstrating record of success and preparation for graduate study

Submit undergraduate transcript, three letters of reference,

