

Teaching philosophy statement outline

Notes on effective teaching philosophy statements for the discipline of philosophy (from our brainstorm in the session).

Outline of a teaching philosophy statement

Write down 2-3 goals you have for student learning when you teach philosophy courses. These could be different for different courses, so choose 1-2 courses to focus on. Use short phrases. Under each goal, brainstorm course activities and assessments you do or could do to help students achieve the goal.

Teaching/learning goal:

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Teaching dossier outline

Possible elements of a teaching dossier, based on purpose and audience (notes from brainstorm)

Elements I could include in my teaching dossier, based on purpose and audience (continue on back of page)

- Consider the above notes, plus
- What you are thinking of writing in your teaching statement: how could your dossier connect to the goals and activities discussed in your teaching statement?