

# PHILOSOPHY DEPARTMENT

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## ADDITIONAL NAVIGATION



**Robert Loudon PhD**

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**Professor of Philosophy**



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## **ACADEMIC DEGREES**

- B.A. University of California, Santa Cruz
- M A. University of Chicago
- Ph.D. University of Chicago

## PROFILE

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I received my Undergraduate degree from the University of California, Santa Cruz, in 1975, and completed my Ph.D. at the University of Chicago in 1981 with a Dissertation entitled "The Elements of Ethics: Toward a Topography of the Moral Field." My areas of interest in philosophy are Ethical Theory, History of Ethics, and the history of Philosophy.

I am a member of the American Philosophical Association, The North American Kant Society, and the American Society for 18th Century Studies. Before teaching at USM, I taught at Iowa State University, Indiana University Northwest, and at Barat College in Illinois. My favorite philosopher is Immanuel Kant.

### **Courses usually taught:**

PHI 105E - Introduction to Philosophy: Philosophy through its History, PHI 210 - Ethical Theories, PHI 260 - Philosophy of Law, and PHI 330I - History of Early Modern Philosophy: Descartes to Kant

## AREAS OF SCHOLARSHIP

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Ethical Theory, History of Ethics (Ancient, 18<sup>th</sup>-20<sup>th</sup> Centuries), Kant's Ethics, History of Modern Philosophy, Kant, the Enlightenment and Modernity.

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