Quality Indicators for Philosophy

Philosophy is a discipline with a wide range of topics, intellectual traditions, and methodologies and therefore the question what quality in philosophy is does not have an easy answer. The OZSW project ‘Quality indicators for Philosophy’ (QIP) has been a search for answers to this question. It has resulted in indicators for scientific quality and societal relevance that can be used in the assessment of philosophical research. The overall framework of the project has been the Standard Evaluation Protocol (SEP) 2015-2021 of the Dutch Universities, more specially matrix D1 with two sets of output indicators (page 25).

Our QIP project has been part of a larger project on quality indicators for the humanities (Quality and Relevance in the Humanities, [www.qrih.nl](http://www.qrih.nl)) in which generic building blocks (indicators) have been developed for each of the six cells of the SEP matrix. These quality indicators can be used by groups or institutes when writing their self-evaluation report for a research assessment and, based on these indicators and on so-called reasoned indicators that follow from the specific research profile of a group or institute, a narrative can be developed about research quality and the policies promoting it. Such a narrative is more comprehensive than output alone (i.e., publications), and usually covers all six cells of the SEP matrix.

In this document, quality indicators for philosophy are described. For scientific quality a set of indicators has been developed that is partly generic for philosophy, and partly specific for the various sub-disciplines. For relevance to society a set of indicators has been developed that is pertinent to philosophy as a whole and for all of its sub-disciplines (see Table 1). Although the indicators that are specific for sub-disciplines get the most attention in this document when counted in pages, all indicators are important and they form the building blocks for the narrative of a research group. For further descriptions of specific indicators, please refer to the QRIH website [http://www.qrih.nl/nl/sep-evaluatie](http://www.qrih.nl/nl/sep-evaluatie).

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Table 1: Quality indicators for philosophy

The quality indicators specific to sub-disciplines are the following: ‘articles and special issues in peer-reviewed journals’; and ‘monographs, edited books, and book chapters with leading academic publishers’ (both in Cell 1). Some journals or publishers are relevant for sub-discipline A, while others are relevant for sub-discipline B. In addition, there are journals and publishers which are relevant to philosophy as a whole. This has led to a number of lists of journals and publishers for a total of 16 sub-disciplines in philosophy, and a list of general journals and publishers. These lists are described below.¹

The status of these lists of journals and publishers demands further explanation.

- They must be seen as giving guidance in the search for, and articulation of, good quality in the discipline. ‘Giving guidance’ is a broad term and is explicitly meant this way.
- They must be seen as a representative sample of good journals in a (sub)-discipline. The lists are therefore not exhaustive (other good journals may exist) and do not only contain top journals.
- The identification of what good journals or good publishers are may change over time and therefore the lists will be revised every five years by the OZSW.
- Interdisciplinary journals or relevant journals from other disciplines are not part of the lists although philosophers regularly publish in them. This has been a conscious choice. Given the enormous scope of philosophy, there are so many relevant interdisciplinary and disciplinary journals that it is simply impossible to include all of them. The fact that they are not included does not mean that they are unimportant. On the contrary, very interesting work is being done at the boundaries of these disciplines.
- In some research areas there are good reasons for philosophers to publish in extremely specialised journals or book series, or even in unorthodox publication channels. It is also impossible to do justice to this plurality in these lists.
- Generic top journals such as Nature, Science, Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences, etc. are also not part of the lists. While sometimes philosophers will publish in these journals they are not typical target audiences for our discipline.
- A good way to look at the lists is the following. Say a young researcher asks a senior colleague: What are good journals in our discipline? And where should I be trying to publish to get tenure? These lists can give guidance in such a case.

The quality indicators described in Table 1 above, plus the lists of journals and publishers below, jointly constitute our agreed quality standards in philosophy. They are meant to be used in internal discussions about quality within philosophy departments, research institutes and the Dutch Research School of Philosophy OZSW, as well as in the education of young researchers/PhD students. Furthermore, they can be

¹ Combined there are roughly 350 journals and 85 publishers mentioned in the lists.
used when hiring or promoting scientific staff. Finally, they are important when writing self-evaluation reports for external research assessments, and can be used by visitation committees when assessing the quality of research groups and institutes.

In all these cases we strongly want to emphasise that judging the research quality of institutes or people can never be simply ticking boxes with the quality indicators formulated in this document. A quality judgement is a complex judgement in which the quality indicators have to be contextualized and weighed.

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On behalf of the Board,
Anthonie Meijers
Chair

Annex 1: List of general philosophy journals and publishers
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ANNEX 1: List of General Philosophy Journals, Reference Books, and Publishers

a) Journals

General philosophy journals

American Philosophical Quarterly
Australasian Journal of Philosophy
Analysis
Archiv für Begriffsgeschichte
Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie
Australasian Journal of philosophy
Canadian Journal of Philosophy
Dialectica
Deutsche Zeitschrift für Philosophie
Erkenntnis
European Journal of Philosophy
Inquiry
Journal of Philosophy
Les Études Philosophiques
Mind
Monist
Nous
Pacific Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophers’ Imprint
Philosophical Papers
Philosophical Perspectives
Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophical Review
Philosophical Studies
Philosophisches Jahrbuch
Philosophy
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research
Ratio
Revue de Métaphysique et de Morale
Revue Philosophique de Louvain
Rivista di Storia della Filosofia
Southern Journal of Philosophy
Synthese
The British Journal for the History of Philosophy
The Journal of the History of Ideas
The Journal of the History of Philosophy
Theoria
Tijdschrift voor Filosofie
Zeitschrift für philosophische Forschung

b) Reference books (companions, encyclopedias, handbooks, dictionaries) published by

Blackwell
Bloomsbury
c) General academic publishers

University presses
Cambridge University Press
Catholic University of America Press
Chicago University Press
Clarendon Press (imprint of OUP)
Cornell University Press
Fordham University Press
Harvard University Press
Indiana University Press
MIT Press
Oxford University Press
Pittsburgh University Press
Princeton University Press
University of Chicago Press
University of Notre Dame Press
Yale University Press

Other publishers
De Gruyter
Elsevier
Gallimard
Routledge
Suhrkamp
Springer
Wiley/Blackwell
ANNEX 2: List of Journals and Publishers for the History of Philosophy

History of Philosophy differs in a number of relevant respects from other sub-disciplines of philosophy, while there are also differences within the field of History of Philosophy itself. The following issues should be taken into account when discussing quality indicators in the context of research and publication policies:

- **Firstly, languages:** In the history of classical philosophy and partly also in the history of early modern philosophy a great deal of publications are written in English, with other European publication languages also being important to the latter field. Thus, while many journals are multilingual and English language is increasingly imperative in scientific written output, an important market remains for academic publications in the language of the philosopher being studied (e.g., to publish about Kant in German and about Merleau-Ponty in French).

- **Editions:** In some sub-disciplines of the history of philosophy editorial work is a crucial part of philosophical research and so the importance of editions should thus be valued in research policies (often a comparison is made here with fundamental research in the sciences).

- **Interdisciplinarity:** Research in the (modern) history of philosophy interacts with many other disciplines (history, history of science, art history, historical methodology, systematic sub-disciplines of philosophy, etc.) and therefore research in the history of philosophy can be found in the publications of adjacent disciplines.

- **Publication traditions:** There is a tradition to not only, and often not primarily, aim for articles in journals. The monograph (held in greater respect than a number of articles), the collection of essays, and the handbook/companion are important forms of publication. Sometimes the difference between journal and collection of essays disappears (think of year books) and the same goes for journals/series.

- **Finally, translations and texts for a wider audience are part of (the valorisation of) research in the history of philosophy.**

1. Ancient Philosophy

a) Journals

*Ancient Philosophy*
*Apeiron*
*Documenti e Studi sulla Tradizione Filosofica Medievale*
*Elenchos*
*International Journal of the Platonic Tradition*
*Methexis*
*Oxford Studies in Ancient Philosophy*
*Philosophie Antique*
*Phronesis*
*Proceedings of the Aristotelian Society*
*Proceedings of the Boston Area Colloquium in Ancient Philosophy*
*Revue de Philosophie Ancienne*
*Rhizai*
*Rhizomata*
*Topoi*

Relevant general philosophy journals
Archiv für Begriffsgeschichte
Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie
Les Études Philosophiques
Revue de Métaphysique et de Morale
Revue Philosophique de Louvain
Synthese
The British Journal for the History of Philosophy
The Journal of the History of Ideas
The Journal of the History of Philosophy
The Philosophical Quarterly
Tijdschrift voor Filosofie

General classics
Bulletin of the Institute of Classical Studies
Classical Quarterly
Hermes
Journal of Hellenic Studies
Mnemosyne
Museum Helveticum

b) Publishers
Ashgate
Bloomsbury Publishing
Brill
Felix Meiner
Frommann-Holzboog
Peeters
Presses Universitaires de France (PUF)
Vanderhoeck & Ruprecht
Vrin

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
2. Medieval Philosophy

a) Journals

Archives d’Histoire Doctrinale et Littéraire du Moyen Age
Bochumer Philosophisches Jahrbuch für Antike und Mittelalter
Bulletin de Philosophie Médiévale
Documenti e Studi sulla Tradizione Filosofica Medievale
Early Science and Medecine
Franciscan Studies
Freiburger Zeitschrift für Philosophie und Theologie
HOPOS Journal
Isis
Mediaeval Studies
Medieval Philosophy and Theology
Medioevo
Methodos
Oxford Studies in Medieval Philosophy
Quaestio
Recherches de Théologie et Philosophie Médiévales
Rinascimento
Speculum
Studi medievali
Traditio
Vivarium

Relevant general philosophy journals

Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie
History and Philosophy of Logic
History of Philosophy Quarterly
Philosophisches Jahrbuch
Review of Metaphysics
Synthese
The British Journal for the History of Philosophy
The Journal of the History of Ideas
The Journal of the History of Philosophy
Tijdschrift voor Filosofie
Zeitschrift für philosophische Forschung

b) Publishers

Ashgate
Brepols
Brill
Felix Meiner
Fromann-Holzboog
Klostermann
Peeters
Vrin

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
3. Early Modern Period

a) Journals

*Early Science and Medicine*
*History of Early Modern Philosophy*
*History of European Ideas*
*History of Philosophy Quarterly*
*Hobbes Studies*
*HOPOS*
*Hume Studies*
*Intellectual History Review*
*Isis*
*Kant-Studien*
*Leibniz Review*
*LIAS: Journal of Early Modern Intellectual Culture and Its Sources*
*Locke Studies*
*Methodos*
*Notre Dame Philosophical Review*
*Oxford Studies in Early-Modern Philosophy*
*Perspectives on Science*
*Quaestio*
*Renaissance Quarterly*
*Rinascimento*
*Science in Context*
*Speculum*
*Studia Leibnitiana*
*Studies in History and Philosophy of Science*
*Vivarium*

**Relevant general philosophy journals**

*Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie*
*Mind*
*Philosophical Quarterly*
*Philosophical Review*
*Philosophisches Jahrbuch*
*Philosophy and Phenomenological Research*
*Nous*
*Ergo*
*Philosopher’s Imprint*
*Southern Journal of Philosophy*
*The British Journal for the History of Philosophy*
*The Journal of the History of Ideas*
*The Journal of the History of Philosophy*
*The Monist*
*Zeitschrift für philosophische Forschung*

b) Publishers
Brill
Klostermann
Meiner
Peeters
Vrin

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
4. History of Modern Philosophy

a) Journals

Journals devoted to a philosopher or movement

Asian Philosophy
Continental Philosophy Review
Derrida today
Études Phénoménologiques
Fichte-Studien
Hegel Bulletin
Hegel-Studien
Heidegger studies
Hume Studies
Idealistic Studies
International Journal for the Study of Skepticism
International Yearbook of German Idealism
Journal for the History of Analytical Philosophy
Journal of French and Francophone Philosophy
Journal of Nietzsche Studies
Journal of Speculative Philosophy
Kantian Review
Kant-Studien
Phänomenologische Forschungen
Research in Phenomenology
Schopenhauer-Jahrbuch
Studia Phaenomenologica
Vienna Circle Institute Yearbook
Wittgenstein-Studien

Relevant general philosophy journals

Archiv für Begriffsgeschichte
Archiv für Geschichte der Philosophie
British Journal for the History of Philosophy
Journal of the History of Philosophy
Logical Analysis and History of Philosophy
Philosophisches Jahrbuch
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research
Philosophy Today
Revue Philosophique de Louvain
Rivista di Storia della Filosofia
Tijdschrift voor Filosofie
Zeitschrift für philosophische Forschung

Relevant history journals

British Journal for the History of Science
History and Philosophy of Logic
History of European Ideas
History of political thought
History of Science
Isis
Journal of the History of Ideas
Philosophia Naturalis
b) Reference books (companions, handbooks, dictionaries) published by
Blackwell
Bloomsbury
Cambridge UP
Metzler
Oxford UP
Palgrave Macmillan
Routledge
Stanford Encyclopedia of Philosophy
Ueberweg Grundriss

c) Editions
University Presses
Meiner
Frommann-Holzboog
De Gruyter
Olschki

d) Publishers
Alber
Brill
Frommann-Holzboog
Klostermann
Meiner
Mohr-Siebeck
Vrin

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
5. Comparative philosophy

a) Journals

Comparative (Cross-Cultural/Intercultural) Journals:
Asian Philosophy
Comparative and Continental Philosophy Circle
Comparative Philosophy
Journal of World Philosophies
Philosophy East and West
Polylog
Sophia
Transcultural Studies

Area-specific and similar Journals
Dao (Mainly Chinese Philosophy)
Eastern Buddhist (Mainly Japanese Philosophy)
Journal of Buddhist Ethics
Journal of Buddhist Philosophy
Journal of Chinese Philosophy
Journal of Indian Philosophy
Journal of Japanese Philosophy
Journal on African Philosophy.
Mediterranea: International Journal on the Transfer of Knowledge
Oriens
Revue des Sciences Philosophiques et Théologiques
South African Journal of Philosophy
Studies in Eastern European Thought

b) Publishers
Lexington Press
SUNY Press
University of Hawai’i Press

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
ANNEX 3: List of Journals and Publishers for Theoretical Philosophy

1. Epistemology

a) Journals

Episteme
Ergo
Review of Philosophy and Psychology
Social Epistemology
Thinking and Reasoning
Thought: a Journal of Philosophy

Relevant general philosophy journals

American Philosophical Quarterly
Analysis
Australasian Journal of Philosophy
Canadian Journal of Philosophy
Dialectica
Erkenntnis
Journal of Philosophy
Mind
Nous
Pacific Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophers’ Imprint
Philosophical Perspectives
Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophical Review
Philosophical Studies
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research
Ratio
Synthese

b) Publishers

Bloomsbury
Palgrave-MacMillan

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
2. Logic

a) Journals

General philosophical and mathematical logic journals

*Advances in Modal Logic (College Pub Series)*
*Annals of Pure and Applied Logic*
*Archive for Mathematical Logic*
*Episteme (Edinburgh)*
*History and Philosophy of Logic*
*IfCoLog Journal of Logics and their Applications (College Pub)*
*IfCoLog series in Computational Logic (College Pub)*
*Journal of Applied Logic*
*Journal of Applied Non-classical Logics*
*Journal of Logic and Computation*
*Journal of Logic, Language and Information*
*Journal of Mathematical Logic*
*Journal of Philosophical Logic*
*Logic Journal of the IGPL*
*Logique et Analyse*
*Mathematical Logic Quarterly*
*Notre Dame Journal of Formal Logic*
*Reports on Mathematical Logic*
*Studia Logica*
*Studies in Logic (College Pub Series)*
*Studies in Logic, Grammar and Rhetoric*
*The Bulletin of Symbolic Logic*
*The Journal of Symbolic Logic*
*The Review of Symbolic Logic*
*Theoria*

General philosophy journals

*Synthese*
*Dialectica*
*Erkenntnis*
*Inquiry*
*Mind*

Selection of journals for logic in computer science, AI, mathematics, cognitive science, physics etc.

*Artificial Intelligence; An International Journal*
*Behavioral and Brain Sciences*
*Electronic Proceedings in Theoretical Computer Science*
*Foundations of Physics*
*Foundations of Science*
*Fundamenta Informaticae*
*Games and Economic Behavior*
*International Journal of Theoretical Physics*
*Journal of Automated Reasoning*
*Journal of Autonomous Agents and Multi-Agent Systems*
Lecture Notes in Computer Science
Minds and Machines
MSCS. Mathematical Structures in Computer Science
Philosophia Mathematica
PLOS One
Studies in History and Philosophy of Modern Physics
Theoretical Computer Science
Topoi

b) Publishers
General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
3. Metaphysics

3.1 Analytic Metaphysics

a) Journals

Relevant general philosophy journals
American Philosophical Quarterly
Australasian Journal of Philosophy
Canadian Journal of Philosophy
Dialectica
Erkenntnis
European Journal of Philosophy
Journal of Philosophy
Mind
Nous
Pacific Philosophical Quarterly
Philosopher’s Imprint
Philosophical Papers
Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophical Review
Philosophical Studies
Philosophy
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research
Ratio
Southern Journal of Philosophy
Synthese

Other relevant journals
Journal of Philosophical Research
International Journal for Ontology and Metaphysics
Midwest Studies in Philosophy
Review of Metaphysics

b) Publishers
General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
3.2 Continental Metaphysics

In the European continental tradition, good and important scientific work is not only written in English but also in German, French, and Dutch (to mention only these languages). The list below aims to reflect that linguistic plurality.

a) Journals

Alter. Revue de Phénoménologie

Relevant general philosophy journals


Author-focused journals

In the European continental tradition, there are also author-focused journals in which important contributions to metaphysics can be found, such as:

Deleuze Studies Foucault Studies Heidegger Studies Husserl Studies Ricoeur Studies Chiasmi International (Merleau-Ponty)
b) Publishers
Brill
Edinburgh University Press
Klement
Meiner
Northwestern University Press
Presses Universitaires de France
SUNY Press
Vantilt
Vrin

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
4. Philosophy of Language

a) Journals

Journal of Logic, Language and Information
Journal of Philosophical Logic
Journal of Pragmatics
Journal of Semantics
Linguistics and Philosophy
Mind and Language
Natural Language Semantics
Review of Philosophy and Psychology
Semantics and Pragmatics
Thinking and Reasoning
Thought: A Journal of Philosophy
Topoi

Relevant general philosophy journals

Analysis
Australasian Journal of philosophy
Erkenntnis
Journal of philosophy
Mind
Monist
Nous
Pacific Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophical Review
Philosophical Studies
Ratio
Synthese
Theoria

b) Publishers

General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
5. Philosophy of Mind

a) Journals

Cognition
Consciousness and Cognition
Journal of Consciousness Studies
Mind and Language
Pacific Philosophical Quarterly
Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences
Philosophical Explorations
Philosophical Psychology
Review of Philosophy and Psychology

Relevant general philosophy journals

Analysis
Australasian Journal of Philosophy
Inquiry
Journal of Philosophy
Mind
Nous
Philosophical Studies
Philosophy and Phenomenological Research
Synthese

b) Publishers

General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
6. Philosophy of science

a) Journals

Relevant general philosophy journals
Erkenntnis
Synthese

General philosophy of science
European Journal for Philosophy of Science
Foundations of Science
Humana.Mente
International Studies in the Philosophy of Science
ISIS: A Journal of the History of Science Society
Journal for General Philosophy of Science
Metascience
Perspectives on Science
Philosophy of Science
Social Epistemology
Studies in History and Philosophy of Science, Part A
The British Journal for the Philosophy of Science
Topoi

Philosophy of specific scientific fields

Biology
Biology & Philosophy
Studies in History and Philosophy of Science. Part C: Studies in History and Philosophy of Biological and Biomedical Sciences
Acta Biotheoretica
Philosophy, Theory, and Practice in Biology
History of Biology

Chemistry
Foundations of Chemistry
Hyle: International Journal for Philosophy of Chemistry

Economy
Journal of Economic Methodology
Economics and Philosophy
History of Political Economy
Journal of the History of Economic Thought

Mathematics
Philosophia Mathematica
Axiomathes

Medical Sciences
Journal of Medicine and Philosophy
Perspectives in Biology and Medicine
Theoretical Medicine and Bioethics
History and Philosophy of the Life Sciences

Physics
Studies in History and philosophy of science. Part B: Studies in History and philosophy of Modern Physics
Foundations of Physics

Psychology
Review of Philosophy and Psychology
Philosophical Psychology

Social Sciences
Philosophy of the Social Sciences
Linguistics and Philosophy
History of the Behavioral Sciences

Technology
Philosophy and Technology
Techné: Research in Philosophy and Technology

b) Publishers

Series in philosophy of science

Elsevier
Handbook Series in the Philosophy of Science

Oxford UP Series in the Philosophy of Science
• Oxford Studies in the Philosophy of Science
• Oxford Handbooks
• Clarendon Library of Logic and Philosophy

Routledge Series in the Philosophy of Science
• Routledge Studies in the Philosophy of Science
• Routledge Studies in the Philosophy of Mathematics and Physics

Springer Series in Philosophy of Science
• Philosophy of Science
• Boston Studies in the Philosophy and History of Science
• Logic, Epistemology, and the Unity of Science
• History, Philosophy and Theory of the Life Sciences
• Science and Philosophy
• Vienna Circle Institute Yearbook
• European Studies in Philosophy of Science
• Philosophy of Engineering and Technology
• Science: Philosophy, History and Education
• New Directions in the Philosophy of Science
• The European Philosophy of Science Association Proceedings
• The Western Ontario Series in Philosophy of Science
• The Philosophy of Science in a European Perspective

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)

**Other relevant publishers**
Palgrave McMillan
SAGE
Minnesota Studies in Philosophy of Science
ANNEX 4: List of Journals and Publishers for Ethics and Practical Philosophy

1. Aesthetics

a) Journals
   * Aesthetic Investigations
   * The British Journal of Aesthetics
   * Contemporary Aesthetics
   * Zeitschrift für Ästhetik und allgemeine Kunstwissenschaft (ZÄK)
   * Nouvelle Revue d’Esthétique
   * Journal of Aesthetic Education
   * Journal of Aesthetics and Art Criticism
   * The Nordic Journal of Aesthetics
   * Yearbook of the International Association of Aesthetics (IAA)

   **Journals: general theory of culture**
   * New German Critique
   * Constellations
   * Telos
   * Krisis
   * Radical Philosophy

b) Publishers
   * Éditions de Minuit
   * Boom
   * Octavo

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
2. Applied Ethics

Good research in applied ethics is not only published in the journals below, which are dedicated to a specific branch of applied ethics, but also in two other types of journals. Some excellent work is published in general practical philosophy journals, such as Philosophy and Public Affairs, Journal of Applied Philosophy, or Ethical Theory and Moral Practice. Given that in applied ethics doing scientific research and achieving social impact are often strongly interwoven activities, it also makes sense to publish research in (top) journals that are devoted to the particular field of application e.g. in medical journals like The Lancet or New England Journal of Medicine; Risk Analysis for ethics of technology; and Animal Welfare for animal and environmental ethics.

The intertwining of scientific quality and societal relevance characteristic of applied ethics also implies a fluid border between conventional academic publications and other genres. In terms of reaching our goals in this field of research, this inclusiveness should not be seen as a disadvantage but rather as an asset. Thus, you can find excellent scientific work in non-English language journals, in books written for an interdisciplinary audience, and in reports written for high-level societal organisations (e.g. Gezondheidsraad, World Health Organisation) and national governments.

a) Journals

Bioethics
Journal of Medical Ethics
Bioethics
Public Health Ethics
American Journal of Bioethics
Hastings Center Report
Neuroethics

Ethics of Technology
Science and Engineering Ethics
Techné: Research in Philosophy and Technology
Philosophy & Technology
Ethics and Information Technology
Science, Technology and Human Values
Journal of Responsible Innovation

Business Ethics
Business Ethics Quarterly
Journal of Business Ethics
Business Ethics: A European Review
Business and Professional Ethics Journal
Philosophy of Management
ZfWU Zeitschrift für Wirtschafts- und Unternehmensethik

Animal and Environmental Ethics
Journal of Agricultural and Environmental Ethics
Agriculture and Human Values
Environmental Values
Ethics, Place and Environment
Environmental Philosophy
Environmental Ethics

Diversity Ethics
Feminist Philosophy Quarterly
Hypatia

b) Publishers
General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
3. Normative Ethics, Meta-Ethics, and Moral Psychology

a) Journals

**Relevant general philosophy journals**

*European Journal of Philosophy*
*Journal of Philosophy*
*Philosophical Quarterly*
*Philosophical Studies*
*Ratio*
*Southern Journal of Philosophy*
*Deutsche Zeitschrift für Philosophie*

**Specialised journals**

*Ethical Theory and Moral Practice*
*Ethics*
*Journal of Ethics*
*Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy*
*Journal of Moral Philosophy*
*Journal of Value Inquiry*
*Philosophical Explorations*
*Philosophical Psychology*
*Philosophy and Public Affairs*
*Utilitas*

b) Publishers

General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
4. Philosophical Anthropology

a) Journals

Alter. Revue de Phénoménologie
Continental Philosophy Review
Culture, Theory, Critique
Diogène/Diogenes
Epoché: A Journal for the History of Philosophy
Études Phénoménologique / Phenomenological Studies
Historische Anthropologie
Human Studies
International Yearbook for Hermeneutics
Internationales Jahrbuch für philosophische Anthropology/
International Yearbook for Philosophical Anthropology
Jahrbuch für Interdisziplinäre Anthropologie
Journal of the British Society of Phenomenology
Journal of Phenomenological Psychology
Krisis. Journal for Contemporary philosophy
Phenomenology and the Cognitive Sciences
Phänomenologische Forschungen
Research in Phenomenology
Studia Phaenomenologica
Symposium: International Journal for Continental Philosophy
Theory and Event
Tijdschrift voor Filosofie

b) Publishers

Acumen
Amsterdam University Press
Bloomsbury
Boom
Brill
Clinamen
Duquesne University Press.
Duke UP
Edinburgh University Press
Éditions de Minuit
Editions Hermann
Karl Alber Verlag
Klement
Konigshaus & Neumann
Lemniscaat
Minnesota UP
Palgrave MacMillan
Polity
State University of New York Press

+ General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)
5. Political Philosophy

Below you will find a subdivision of political philosophy journals into the 5 categories where political philosophy papers are typically published. These categories are not meant to be mutually exclusive and the boundaries might be somewhat blurred.

a) Journals

Relevant general philosophy journals

Deutsche Zeitschrift für Philosophie
European Journal of Philosophy
Journal of Philosophy
Philosophical Quarterly
Philosophical Studies
Ratio
Southern Journal of Philosophy

General ethics journals that also publish political philosophy

Ethical Theory and Moral Practice
Ethics
Journal of Ethics
Journal of Ethics and Social Philosophy
Journal of Moral Philosophy
Journal of Value Inquiry
Philosophy and Public Affairs
Utilitas

Specialized political philosophy journals

Constellations
Critical Review of International Social and Political Philosophy
European Journal of Political Theory
Journal of Political Philosophy
Journal of Social Philosophy
Philosophy & Public Affairs
Philosophy and Social Criticism
Political Studies
Political Theory
Res Publica
Social Theory and Practice

(Philosophy of) law journals & political theory journals

American Political Science Review
British Journal of Political Science
Ratio Juris
Legal Theory

Applied journals

Economics and Philosophy
Politics, Philosophy and Economics
b) Publishers
General list of academic publishers (Annex 1)