Philosophy 9121b: Theories of Global Justice

A seminar on the idea of justice among states. We will begin by discussing some major approaches in recent political theory, such as cosmopolitan, statist and nationalist views, and critical responses to them. Readings will include work by Singer, Rawls, Beitz, Nagel, Miller and Pogge. We will then turn to the discussion of case studies, such as immigration policy, exploitation, critiques of imperialism, the idea of crime against humanity, and climate justice.