

2022 - 2023



In collaboration with



BIOETHICS SUMMER COURSE

“Dialogue, Friendship and Polarization
in Bioethics”

on campus   online

AN ANALYSIS OF POLARIZATIONS IN ACADEMIA, OF THE CAUSES OF TENSIONS, AND PROPOSALS FOR SOLIDARITY THROUGH THE LENS OF THE SOCIAL DOCTRINE OF THE CHURCH AND IN LIGHT OF THE ENCYCLICAL *FRATELLI TUTTI* (ALL BROTHERS).

PRESENTATION

This Summer Course will analyze some of the theoretical roots of the growing division from the perspectives of philosophy, theology, sociology, and communication sciences. It will also touch on the following issues: intercultural and interreligious dialogue, globalization, human rights, media and fake news, truth and tolerance, and neutrality in the sciences. The course will also examine how these polarized positions are found in bioethical debates.

AUDIENCE

The objectives of the Course are especially important for doctors and health personnel; biologists, psychologists, psychiatrists, and psychotherapists; educators, especially secondary and high school teachers; priests, catechists and other agents of pastoral care; lawyers, jurists, journalists, communicators, and sociologists and all those who are interested in the cultural and social dynamics of the present day and wish to have an informed and critical perspective on the cutting edge issues in the ethics of biotechnology.

SCHOLARSHIPS

For further information about the Scholarships write to info.bioetica@upra.org

CERTIFICATION

All participants will receive a certificate of completion. Those who attend on campus will be able to take the final exam and have 1 ECTS.

ENROLLMENT

Until June 26, 2023

ACADEMIC FEE

Standard Fee:	Five sessions (5 days)	270 €
	Five sessions (5 days) + 1 (ECTS) through an exam	275 €
Special Category: Priests, Religious, APRA Bioethics Students, APRA Alumni, PhD in Bioethics, RIU Professors	Five sessions (5 days)	220 €
	Five sessions (5 days) + 1 (ECTS) through an exam	225 €

COURSE STRUCTURE

The Course is structured in lectures, question and answer sessions, seminars, film forums and interactive group activities. The group activities will be reserved only for those on campus.

An interdisciplinary study of the phenomenon of polarization is proposed. Today we are increasingly witnessing conflicts in the areas of politics, religions, mass media and economics in our globalized reality. These polarizations are also evident in academia in general and bioethics in particular. This summer Course will analyze some of the causes of the tensions and offer proposals for solidarity through the lens of the Social Doctrine of the Church and in light of the Encyclical *Fratelli Tutti* (All Brothers).

Modality: The Course will be on-campus with the option to follow it online.

1 **Polarization and Friendship in Political Discussions about Bioethics**

2 **Achieving Justice for both the Mother and Child in the Abortion Debate**

3 **Lessons Learned about Bioethical Polarization and Friendship from the Covid-19 Pandemic**

4 **Polarizing Bioethical Issues in the World of Communications**



DATE: July 3-7, 2023



SCHEDULE: 3-6:30pm



CREDITS: 1 ECTS (for those who attend on campus.)



COSTS: 220 - 275 euros (see the table)



TRANSLATION: The Course is held in Italian, with translation into English and Spanish (starting from 10 participants).

ENROLLMENT



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