THE VALUE OF RELIGIOUS STUDIES AND PHILOSOPHY

HOW LIBERAL ARTS STACK UP

93% of employers say they want employees who can think critically and communicate effectively (AAC&U report)

3/4 of employers are prefer applicants with knowledge of global issues and cultures

45% of activities people are paid for may be automated in the future. Complex skills taught in liberal arts, like critical thinking, managing, and teaching are far less likely to be automated (McKinsey & Company study)

Liberal Arts majors tend to make more than their peers with pre/professional degrees (chart from AAC&U report)

JOB MARKET & THE HUMANITIES

Humanities majors do better on standardized testing

They go on to pursue advanced degrees more than other disciplines

Employers are looking for problem solvers, multi-taskers, and creatives

RELS/PHIL ALUM HAVE GONE ON TO:

Become City Year, Coro Fellowship, Ben Cully Prize, and Fulbright recipients

Attend Law school, Medical school, and graduate programs

Work at Americorps, Upright Citizens Brigade, the LA Opera, just to name a few