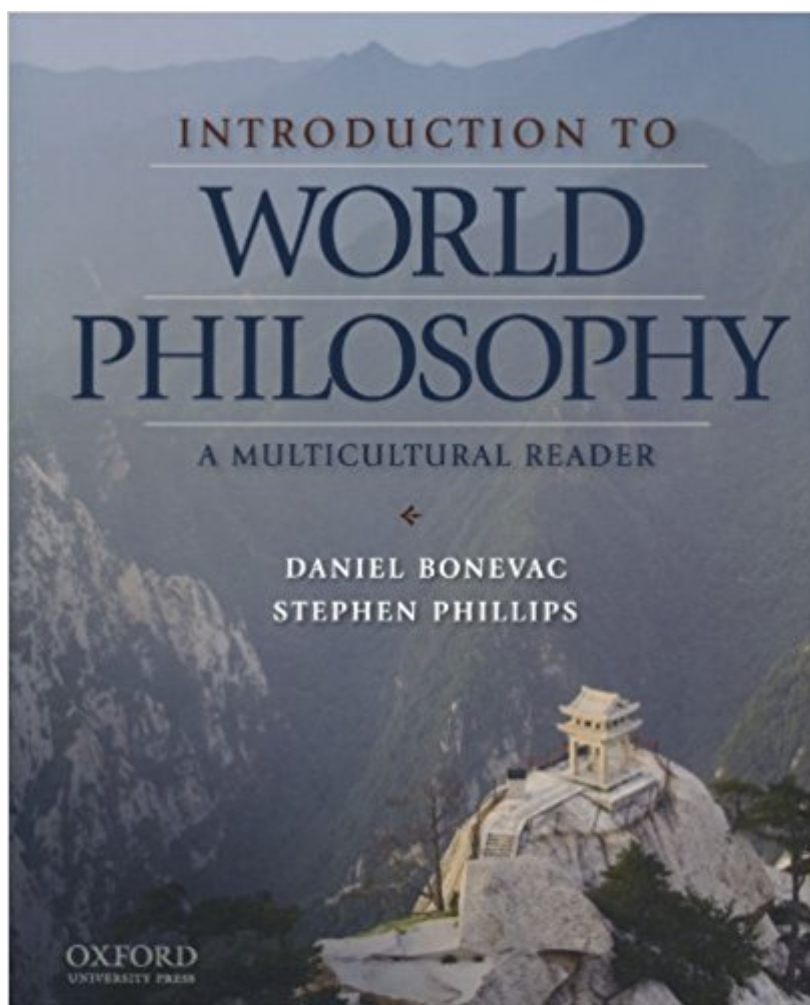


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Pretty nicely made book. The class I'm taking though is so confusing... and the book doesn't always help. But it's a mandatory read so...

Easy to read and helps easily break down concepts.

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