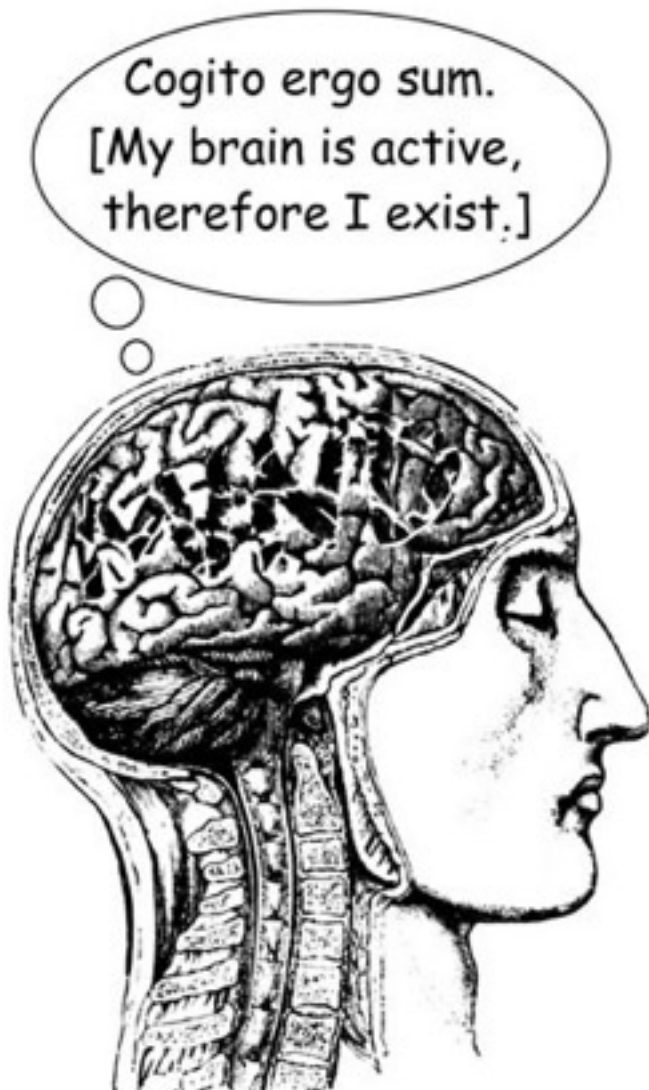


# Have We Lost Our Minds?

A Controversy Between Science and Philosophy



Recently, empirical disciplines like neuroscience or anthropology have approached phenomena such as knowledge or consciousness using empirical methods. As a consequence, they have challenged philosophy not only with regard to its traditional subject matter, but also concerning its methods of investigation.

The aim of this workshop is to allow for an exchange between philosophers and empirical scientists working on these topics. Such an exchange is doubly significant: On the one hand, it is of paramount importance that philosophers know what they are talking about when they address empirical research – be it in a critical or in an enthusiastic spirit. On the other hand, empirical disciplines must take into account that their research inevitably incorporates specific, non-trivial conceptual presuppositions that are hotly debated in contemporary philosophy of mind.

Participation in the workshop is free for doctoral students from the University of Zurich, just register by sending an email to [scheidegger@biomed.ee.ethz.ch](mailto:scheidegger@biomed.ee.ethz.ch)



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## Workshop & Public Lecture

### Date and Venue

University of Zurich, Switzerland,

November 13-15, 2014

### Keynote speakers

#### José Bermúdez

Washington University in St. Louis, USA

#### Geert Keil

Humboldt-Universität zu Berlin, Germany

Organizers: Christa Finkenwirth (Zürich), Reto Gubelmann (Zürich), Milan Scheidegger (Zürich), Michèle Schubiger (Zürich), Marco Toscano (Zürich), Christian Weibel (Zürich), Sebastian Wyss (Zürich).

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## Workshop Program

### Friday, November 14, 2014

Room KO2-F-152, Karl Schmid-Strasse 4

#### Thinking in Naturalism | Chair: Marco Toscano (Zürich)

- 09:00 – 09:45 José Bermúdez (St. Louis): “Mental Causation and Physicalism”
- 09:45 – 10:05 First Response: Anna Drozdewska (University of Louvain)
- 10:05 – 11:00 Discussion
- 11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break
- 11:30 – 11:50 Second Response: Lieke Asma (Amsterdam)
- 11:50 – 13:00 Discussion
- 13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break

### Saturday, November 15, 2014

Room KO2-F-152, Karl Schmid-Strasse 4

#### Free Will | Chair: Christian Weibel (Zürich)

- 09:00 – 09:45 Geert Keil (Berlin): “Implications of Naturalism for the Problem of Free Will”
- 09:45 – 10:05 First Response: Sophie Stammers (London)
- 10:05 – 11:00 Discussion
- 11:00 – 11:30 Coffee Break
- 11:30 – 11:50 Second Response: Benjamin Bâcle (London)
- 11:50 – 13:00 Discussion
- 13:00 – 14:30 Lunch Break

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## Public Lecture

### Thursday, November 13, 2014

Room RAK-E-8, Rämistrasse 73

- 18:00 Welcome
- 18:10 – 20:00 Public Lecture

#### José Bermúdez (St. Louis):

“Bodily Awareness and  
(Self-) Consciousness”

#### Critique of Naturalism | Chair: Reto Gubelmann (Zürich)

- 14:30 – 15:15 Geert Keil (Berlin): „What is wrong with Naturalism in the Philosophy of Mind?”
- 15:15 – 15:35 First Response: Maike Scherhans (Lüneburg)
- 15:35 – 16:30 Discussion
- 16:30 – 17:00 Coffee Break
- 17:00 – 18:30 Discussion
- 19:00 Conference Dinner

#### (Self-)Consciousness | Chair: Sebastian Wyss (Zürich)

- 14:30 – 15:15 José Bermúdez (St. Louis): “Ownership and Knowledge without Observation”
- 15:15 – 15:35 First Response: Clarisse Zoulim (Paris)
- 15:35 – 16:30 Discussion
- 16:30 – 17:00 Break
- 17:00 – 17:20 Second Response: Calum Miller (Oxford)
- 17:20 – 18:30 Discussion