

Workshop on “Consciousness” - Theories on the essence of being

Saturday, April 11, 1- 4 pm \$50

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What is consciousness?

The topic of consciousness is explored by reviewing the prominent thoughts about consciousness.

The theories about what the mind is, and how it relates to the brain

- The subjective aspect of mental states
- The nature of consciousness itself
- Mind-body connections
- Mind-brain identity

Suggested text prior to the workshop: ***Introducing Consciousness, 2nd Edition*** (Paperback) by David Papineau

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