

COURSE NAME AND CODE

Course	CGSC 5004W: Cognition and Conceptual Issues
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COURSE DESCRIPTION/INSTRUCTOR'S STATEMENT

This course is primarily (but not exclusively!) aimed at graduate students in cognitive science who do not have a background in philosophy of mind. I am therefore assuming that some students may have very little familiarity with the subject matter we will be discussing this term. My hope is that, after first acquainting ourselves with some central debates in current philosophy of mind, we will be in a position, in the second half of the course, to start drawing connections between those debates and issues that arise in our own work in cognitive science. Topics to be covered included representation, mental content, and perception.

EVALUATION

Attendance and participation 20%

Seminar presentation 30%

Weekly response papers 50%

TEXT

Weekly readings, to be provided on Brightspace.