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# FALL 2025 *Colloquium*

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**First, second and third: Perspectives on others**

Cambridge philosopher Jane Heal has been a 'slippery' simulationist in the sense that it has been just as hard to place her among simulation theorists as it has been to place her in relation to the theory theorists. In my talk I will outline her views on mindreading or understanding other minds and talk about the relevance of her views towards building an ethical framework of social interaction that may have implications for a theory of justice. In doing so, I will touch upon her central idea of co-cognition and her recent take on the first-person plural or 'us/we' as a means to engaging with and understanding other minds.

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