

Consciousness, Cognition and Culture

Implications for the 21st Century

an international conference for researchers, scholars and students to discuss brain, self, cognition and consciousness

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PARTICIPATION:

by invitation or registration

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- *what is the relation between consciousness and self?*
 - *what is animal consciousness?*
- *can the brain-machine interface create virtual reality?*
 - *is the information in consciousness computable?*
- *how does quantum mechanics explain consciousness and reality?*
- *how does visual brain create the sense of the sublime?*
- *what happens to the brain and consciousness during anesthesia?*
 - *what is the role of empathy, altruism, and the social brain?*
- *why is it important to discuss moral agency while studying the mind?*
- *how do we understand self and consciousness in the cultural context?*
- *how important is consciousness studies for 21st century science and philosophy?*
 - *is consciousness studies taking us to the next scientific revolution?*

We live in a time when the emotions we behold, identity we carry, memories we retain, decisions we take, unconscious responses we make, and the free will we exercise - all impact the fundamental nature of our consciousness, and determine how it is going to express or evolve.

This international conference will raise questions, reflect upon the most exciting possibilities, and debate upon the fundamental aspects of consciousness which lie in the cusp of philosophy, neurosciences, artificial intelligence, physics and medical humanities.

LAST DATE FOR REGISTRATION
10 November 2015

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