

1: Project MUSE - The Transcendental Turn: The Foundations of Kant's Idealism (review)

'Kant and Fichte on Intellectual Intuition' M. Kolkman Introduction One thing that is often seen to stand in the way of a harmonious relationship of Immanuel Kant and Johann Fichte is the issue of intellectual intuition.

Additional Information In lieu of an abstract, here is a brief excerpt of the content: How and through whom did he become acquainted with them? Which works of theirs did he possess and annotate? The coherence after which Mr. Wade strives does not seem ever to be attained. When Wade deals with straight facts his erudition is unempeachable. But from them he goes on to develop theories--sometimes sound and clear, sometimes quite nebulous and hypothetical--which do not force assent. We are told, for instance, that Voltaire at the beginning of the Cirey period "was unprepared in science, in philosophy, in history, and in the analysis of all social and political institutions. How are we to believe that Voltaire, then some forty years old, the author of the *Lettres philosophiques*, was ignorant to that degree? It would appear that he knew Descartes, the greatest French philosopher, only second hand, through Baillet, or Bolingbroke, or Bayle. Would he have written on Descartes in the *Lettres philosophiques*, comparing him unfavorably with Locke without having gone to the text itself? One has the impression that Mr. It is equally difficult to follow Wade in his interpretation of the *Lettres philosophiques*, the purpose of which seems really so simple and the condemnation so clearly motivated by the article on Locke. Wade abuses the expressions "As we have seen," "As we shall see," and he does not avoid repetitions and prolixity. And yet this is a volume of great import with an enormous amount of information frequently new and solid. Wolff, Jonathan Bennett, W. Hartnack, and others, we seem to be in the midst of a veritable Kantian revival. En passant, BOOK REVIEWS careful analyses of the conception of schematism and of the transcendental method are woven into his compressed discussions of the general structure of metaphysical propositions or those propositions which state the necessary conditions under which experience of any phenomenon is possible. What Gram is concerned to show is that there are two conflicting themes in the *Kritik* You are not currently authenticated. View freely available titles:

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Concept in pre-Kantian philosophy[edit] The Oxford Companion to Philosophy writes " Platonic Ideas and Forms are noumenon [b] , and phenomena are things displaying themselves to the senses. In these traditions of philosophical skepticism , noumena are suspected of being delusions. Kant posited methods by which human understanding makes sense of and thus intuits phenomena that appear to the mind: In each instance the word "transcendental" refers to the process that the human mind must exercise to understand or grasp the form of, and order among, phenomena. Kant asserts that to "transcend" a direct observation or experience is to use reason and classifications to strive to correlate with the phenomena that are observed. Rather, we must infer the extent to which the human rational faculties can reach the object of "things-in-themselves" by our observations of the manifestations of those things that can be perceived via the physical senses, that is, of phenomena, and by ordering these perceptions in the mind infer the validity of our perceptions to the rational categories used to understand them in a rational system, this rational system transcendental analytic , being the categories of the understanding as free from empirical contingency. These unknown somethings are manifested within the noumenon"although we can never know how or why as our perceptions of these unknown somethings via our physical senses are bound by the limitations of the categories of the understanding and we are therefore never able to fully know the "thing-in-itself". Opinion is far from unanimous. For instance, he regards things-in-themselves as existing: But in that case a noumenon is not for our understanding a special [kind of] object, namely, an intelligible object; the [sort of] understanding to which it might belong is itself a problem. For we cannot in the least represent to ourselves the possibility of an understanding which should know its object, not discursively through categories, but intuitively in a non-sensible intuition. Interpreters have debated whether the latter claim makes sense: He argues that humans have no way to apprehend positive noumena: Since, however, such a type of intuition, intellectual intuition, forms no part whatsoever of our faculty of knowledge, it follows that the employment of the categories can never extend further than to the objects of experience. Doubtless, indeed, there are intelligible entities corresponding to the sensible entities; there may also be intelligible entities to which our sensible faculty of intuition has no relation whatsoever; but our concepts of understanding, being mere forms of thought for our sensible intuition, could not in the least apply to them. Without them, there would be only phenomena, and since potentially we have complete knowledge of our phenomena, we would in a sense know everything. In his own words: Further, the concept of a noumenon is necessary, to prevent sensible intuition from being extended to things in themselves, and thus to limit the objective validity of sensible knowledge. But in so doing it at the same time sets limits to itself, recognising that it cannot know these noumena through any of the categories, and that it must therefore think them only under the title of an unknown something. Kant derives this from his definition of knowledge as "the determination of given representations to an object". One is the dual object view, according to which the thing-in-itself is an entity distinct from the phenomena to which it gives rise. The other is the dual aspect view, according to which the thing-in-itself and the thing-as-it-appears are two "sides" of the same thing. George Berkeley , who pre-dated Kant, asserted that matter, independent of an observant mind, is metaphysically impossible. Qualities associated with matter, such as shape, color, smell, texture, weight, temperature, and sound are all dependent on minds, which allow only for relative perception, not absolute perception. The complete absence of such minds and more importantly an omnipotent mind would render those same qualities unobservable and even unimaginable. Berkeley called this philosophy immaterialism. Essentially there could be no such thing as matter without a mind. He explained in his " Critique of the Kantian philosophy ", which first appeared as an appendix to *The World as Will and Representation*: But it was just this distinction between abstract knowledge and knowledge of perception, entirely overlooked by Kant, which the ancient philosophers denoted by noumena and phenomena. But Kant who, in an unwarrantable manner, entirely neglected the thing for the expression of which those words

phenomena and noumena had already been taken, now takes possession of the words, as if they were still unclaimed, in order to denote by them his things-in-themselves and his phenomena.

3: Kant, Immanuel - Dictionary of Philosophy of Mind

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Norman Kemp Smith New York: I follow the usual practice of referring to the first and second edition of the Critique as A and B, respectively, and the number following each letter refers to the page number in each respective edition. Stanford University Press, In legal circles a deduction was required when there was a challenge to a rightful possession of title, and the purpose of the deduction is to show that a title belongs rightfully to the owner by accounting for its origin, and "[t]he process through which a possession or a usage is accounted for by explaining its origin, such that the rightfulness of the possession or the usage become apparent, defines the deduction" Henrich argues, in short, that the tracing back to the origin of a claim aiming at confirming the right to that claim constitutes its deduction, and that Kant appropriated this use from jurisprudence to apply to his critical project such that the Deductions in the first Critique is a justification of the rightful possession and usage of the categories in constituting our experience. This tracing, however, is not a mere empirical act of accounting for the causal chain of origin of the claim--that would not in itself establish a rightful or legitimate possession or usage. The tracing intended to answer the question of right, therefore, has to search for something that would justify the claim in question, and for Kant that is a search for the condition of possibility of the claim. So on the issue of transcendental and general logic it is the task of the former to trace the origin--not merely causal one, which would be merely physiological or psychological--but a search for the origin that serves to justify the legitimate possession of claims in general logic itself. However, this search for the "origin" of the claims of general logic by no means implies that general or formal logic stands in need of any account of justification, as if by itself it did not have a self-evident claim to certainty. It is clear that Kant regarded logic as actual and certain. But the transcendental account that he proposed in the first Critique does not aim to provide a justificational account in order to show that they are indeed worthy of the title of knowledge. On the contrary, since they are actual, they are paradigms of knowledge, if there are any. The problem for him, as is well known, is to find out how such species of knowledge are possible at all. There is no question regarding the possibility of such species, for they are actual. Hartman and Wolfgang Schwarz, New York: Thus, the role of the understanding is necessarily involved in transcendental logic. Briefly stated, general logic is concerned with the pure and abstract forms of thought; transcendental logic, on the other hand, is concerned instead with how such forms of thought treated in general logic are possible at all. Naturalistic psychology, on the other hand, only describes the actual sequences of representations without investigation into such grounds of possibility Thus his account of transcendental psychology accords with my account of transcendental logic. In this paper I argue that transcendental logic is the condition without which the claims of general logic cannot be justifiably grounded. Transcendental psychology puts an epistemic constraint upon empirical psychology, and, likewise, transcendental logic puts the same sort of constraint upon general, formal logic. In each case the task of the transcendental is to provide a norm for either psychology or logic--indeed for any type of knowledge claims--a norm that justifies those claims. According to Hatfield, ". What I am suggesting is that the same is also the case for general logic, which must also accord with transcendental logic. Harvard University Press, ; H. Rostock, ; Henry E. An Interpretation and Defense New Haven: A Study of Kantian Problems Oxford: Cambridge University Press, In the Critique, however, Kant does not give any detailed discussion of why he arrives at these twelve logical forms and none other. It seems that he takes the table to be obvious and stands in no need of a justification. At A, for instance, he uses the plural form "Erkenntnisse," meaning various distinct "ways" that the understanding can be related to its object. The two phrases are different. The first one seems to mean something like a distinct species of knowledge, whereas the latter suggests an act. What eine Erkenntnis actually means is not akin to a separate "mode" or "species" of knowledge, but one distinct act of knowing or cognition of an intentional object. The work of synthesis is the same throughout, whether operating to connect and unite various sensory data into intuitions or singular representations or to unite various intuitions under one common heading of a concept. Variations on a Kantian

Themes London: Routledge, Kegan Paul, for a detailed treatment of Kantian intuitions as singular and individualized representations. See also Moltke S. University of Iowa Press, In *Anthropology from a Pragmatic Point of View* trans. Nijhoff, , he writes: Language signifies [the presence] of thought and, on the other hand, the means par excellence of intellectual signification is language, the most important way we have of understanding ourselves and others. Lewis White Beck New York: University of Chicago Press, The issue of the relation between freedom and moral law has attracted attention of Kantian scholars recently. See, for example, Henry E. Allison, "Morality and Freedom: Allison, in his important article, argues that the relation between freedom and the moral law is a reciprocal one. Thus his view is in accordance in general terms with the view I present here. However, Allison does not mention that the relation is that of ratio cognoscendi and ratio essendi. Experience consists in the synthetic connection of appearances perceptions in consciousness, so far as this connection is necessary. Hence the pure concepts of the understanding are those under which all perceptions must first be subsumed before they can serve for judgments of experience, in which the synthetic unity of the perceptions is represented as necessary and universally valid" Immanuel Kant, *Prolegomena to Any Future Metaphysics*, Indianapolis, IN: The first sentence is unequivocal in showing the relation of the logical moments to the synthetic activity of consciousness. In so far as experience is to be objective, it must be subsumed under the pure concepts of the understanding. Since judgment of perception is always dependent upon judgment of experience, an account of the function of unity in judgment of experience is the more basic one. Therefore, the logical moments in the text are only the result of abstraction from all the judgments, and they are as they are only when considered apart from any account purported to justify the claims of the judgments as objective. This objective function cannot be constituted by the logical forms, but only by the pure concepts of the understanding. So uniting representations in consciousness, if it is to be objective, has to rely on the pure concepts and not the abstracted logical forms. However, the logical forms serve as what we already have before we could embark on discovering the categories, for they are abstracted from publicly available discourse. Thus the logical forms are the ratio cognoscendi of the categories. Schwyzer, *The Unity of Understanding*: In the note to this particular text, Hatfield writes: Transcendental philosophy is not to be classified with either the trivially analytic propositions that come from the analysis of given concepts, nor with the synthetic a priori knowledge that transcendental analysis itself explains. This, however, is not possible in the case of the relational categories. According to him, "Logically, concepts can be combined in any way that is not contradictory. Most concept can serve either as the subject or the predicate of a judgment. Many judgments can be converted, and still others allow exchange of subject-concept and predicate-attribute judgment, however, the subject must function as a substratum and never as an attribute"

4: Works by Moltke S. Gram - PhilPapers

(However, Gram's argument that the sense in which the self affects itself in the Analytic, by determining the temporal order of its experiences, is entirely distinct from the sense of affection employed in the Aesthetic [7o] is useful.)

Yolanda Estes Intellectual Intuition: Kant too had such an intuition, but he did not reflect upon it. Indeed his entire philosophy is a product of this intuition; for he maintains that necessary representations are products of the acting of a rational being and are not passively received. But this is something that he could only have come to realize by means of intuition. Kant recognizes that self-consciousness occurs, i. How could he have arrived at such a recognition? Only by means of an intuition--and such an intuition is certainly intellectual. The Continuity Thesis 1Abbreviations: Foundations of Transcendental Philosophy Wissenschaftslehre nova methodo, ed. Fichte- Gesamtausgabe der Bayerischen Akademie der Wissenschaften, ed. Four Early Essays , ed. For Kant would certainly maintain that we are conscious of the Categorical Imperative, would he not? What sort of consciousness is this? Kant neglected to pose this question to himself, for nowhere did he discuss the foundation of all philosophy. Instead in the Critique of Pure Reason he dealt only with theoretical philosophy, within the context of which the Categorical Imperative could not appear. And in the Critique of Practical Reason he dealt only with practical philosophy and discussed only the content of this sort of consciousness, and thus the question concerning the very nature of this sort of consciousness could not arise within the context of the Second Critique [IWL, p. I would not resurrect the continuity thesis but rather would draw attention to four issues. First, Gram examined only three of the five forms of intellectual intuition considered by Kant. The Continuity Thesis," Gram contends that intellectual intuition concerned Kant, Fichte, and Schelling for different reasons. Kant wanted to show the legitimate application of the conditions necessary for experience to objects and thus, reserved "intellectual intuition" to designate illegitimate application of the categories to objects. Fichte aimed to distinguish between our manner of knowing objects and our mode of acquaintance with the necessary subjective activities that condition experience. Schelling meant to deny the distinction between the conditions of experience and the objects of experience. According to Gram, Kant rejected three logically independent versions of intellectual intuition: He rejected this version of intellectual intuition because space and time are a priori forms of human sensibility and not objective properties of things. In the Inaugural Dissertation, Kant discussed an archetypal intellect that creates its objects in the act of cognition, but he rejected this form of intellectual intuition as a possible mode of cognition for our ectypal intellects because it violates the distinction between concepts and things. He also considered a form of intellectual intuition that grasps the sum of all phenomena as a whole, which he rejected because it conflicts with the spatio-temporal organization of intuition. Gram asserted that Fichte implemented none of the concepts of intellectual intuition rejected by Kant but rather a form of intellectual intuition that collapses the distinction between 2"Intellectual Intuition: Because all conceptual awareness involves self-awareness, this intellectual intuition would be non-conceptual. Accordingly, Gram claims that Fichtean intellectual intuition collapsed the distinction between phenomena and noumena insofar as the self-aware subject of this intuition is also the intuited object of awareness and thus, is neither phenomenon nor noumenon. Since Fichte denied any legitimate role for the concept of the thing-in-itself, he also denied any possible knowledge of the thing-in-itself. Likewise, the self-intuition occurs in time and thus, involves no consciousness of things- in-themselves. Moreover, the unity intuited in this act is not a totality of phenomena but an ideal self that "ought but cannot" be produced by us. Although he made only metaphorical allusions to the relation between the archetypal and the phenomenal worlds, he regarded intellectual intuition as knowledge of the subjective-objective identity that underpins experience. This absolute knowledge involves no insight into the self or its activities. Likewise, it does not concern knowledge of things-in-themselves, because its object resides within phenomena. Moreover, it presumes no acquaintance with the totality of phenomena but rather with the archetypes present in individual phenomena. I University Park, PA: Penn State University Press, Kant and Intellectual Intuition Kant discussed the possibility of five types of intellectual intuition: Although Gram ignored and Kant rejected the last two types of intellectual intuition, Fichte accepted both. As intellects, we are conscious of the power to

combine what is given and intuited according to the relations of inner sense. In the Critique of Pure Reason, Kant claims that it follows the self must be more than mere appearance, but we can know it solely as appearance and not as it exists in itself or might be given through a non-sensible intuition, because our sensibility admits no intellectual intuition. Although self-intuition is necessary for the manifold to be given, time, as the pure form of intuition, conditions self-intuition. Accordingly, Kant argues we cannot become conscious of ourselves as self-active or self-determining. Nonetheless, we cannot directly grasp, or intellectually intuit, our self-determining activity. The original synthetic unity of apperception yields self-consciousness, but this consciousness entails no knowledge, which requires the determination of the object according to the form of inner intuition. In the Critique of Practical Reason, Kant calls our awareness of the moral law a fact of reason, because we have no preceding awareness of freedom and because what it compels is not based on experience. *Theoretische Vernunft*, pp. Norman Kemp Smith New York: Thus, the moral law is simply the undeniable, and indeed, the "sole fact of pure reason. Fichte and Intellectual Intuition In the Jena Wissenschaftslehre, Fichte uses intellectual intuition in reference to four distinct ideas: In grasping the moral law, the moral subject becomes conscious of itself as a willing subject with a moral obligation. The immediate coincidence of self-awareness and moral awareness involves a self-reverting activity. Consciousness of the ethical law enjoins an act of self-determination and thus, is itself a determinate self-reverting activity. Real intellectual intuition is an actual fact of empirical consciousness whereby the empirical subject obtains a concept of itself as a pure will. The philosophical concept of I-hood refers to a being whose essence consists in self-activity. The philosopher infers this 11 "The consciousness of this fundamental law may be called a fact of reason, since one cannot ferret it out from antecedent data of reason, such as the consciousness of freedom for that is not antecedently given, and since it forces itself upon us as a synthetic proposition a priori based on no pure or empirical intuition. It would be analytic if the freedom of the will were presupposed, but for this, as a positive concept, an intellectual intuition would be needed, and here we cannot assume it. In order to regard this law without any misinterpretation as given, one must note that it is not an empirical fact but the sole fact of pure reason, which by it proclaims itself as an originating law" [Critique of Practical Reason, trans. Lewis White Beck Indianapolis: Bobbs-Merrill Educational Publishing, p. Daniel Breazeale provided an analysis of the fourth form, the more obscure, inner intuition. In this way an entirely alien ingredient, viz. The philosophical intellectual intuition, or Tathandlung, never enters in empirical consciousness as a fact, because it is simply the structure of spontaneous pure self-consciousness, or I-hood. Pure I-hood is thus an Idea employed hypothetically in order to prevent the theoretical account of consciousness from falling into circularity. When the philosophizing subject thinks of himself, he engages in self-reverting or self-determining activity, which is itself the concept of the I. It becomes a fact of consciousness for the transcendental philosopher, who subjects the simple act of self-reflection to a higher act of reflection. In other words, in order to think of oneself, one must first think of something else and then, wrench oneself therefrom, which requires a free self-reverting activity. Consequently, philosophical self-reflection involves a real act--a Tathandlung--resembling, but not identical to, the pure I presupposed as grounding consciousness. Likewise, philosophical self-reflection involves an intuition, resembling, but not identical to, the real intellectual intuition of moral consciousness. In the *Wissenschaftslehre nova methodo*, Fichte presents inner intuition, which he also calls intellectual intuition, as a method of philosophizing. The I is asserted in the act of self-reflection as self-positing and thus, the philosopher observes the generation of all the other acts necessary for the I to posit itself as self-positing. In this manner, the philosopher "intuits" the transcendental conditions that constitute the synthetic structure of consciousness, including the Tathandlung grounding the philosophical self-reflection. His use of intellectual intuition seems to alter with each new work. Moreover, one 16 "Pure willing at this point is not supposed to be anything other than an explanatory ground of consciousness; it is still a hypothesis, not yet an object of consciousness. We obtain this knowledge through immediate intuition, and in turn, we immediately intuit our immediate intuition itself. Pure intuition of the I as subject-object is therefore possible. In *On the I as Principle of Philosophy and Letters on Dogmatism and Criticism*, Schelling describes intellectual intuition as an immediate awareness of the unity of the subject and object in self-consciousness. Both the subjective and objective intuitions involve a transition from conscious

activity to unconscious repose, which reflection breaks by reintroducing the distinction between subject and object present in ordinary consciousness. Although Schelling describes intellectual intuition as a form of philosophical consciousness, he suggests that other mental states, such as aesthetic consciousness, mimic intellectual intuition. In the *System of Transcendental Idealism*, Schelling retains the philosophical intuition as a freely postulated ground of idealism. Although he allows that intellectual intuition involves a subjective awareness, he also emphasizes that intellectual intuition includes an unconscious activity. So, intellectual intuition comes to denote the unity of subjective, conscious awareness or cognition and objective, unconscious activity or constitution. Creative intuition, or absolute knowing, grasps the archetypes within determinate natural phenomena as well as the teleological determination of the parts of nature through the whole. Nonetheless, transcendental philosophy cannot articulate absolute unity cognitively but must rely on art to express it symbolically and on philosophy of nature to express it teleologically. In *Bruno or On the Natural and the Divine Principle of Things*, Schelling revokes his claim that art serves as the ultimate philosophical organon. However, he offers no discursive account of absolute knowing but rather positive metaphorical descriptions and negative logical descriptions of the absolute. Nonetheless, he claims that real intuition of the moral law is a subjective principle that falls within the realm of appearances. So, in *Bruno*, he claims that a self that contains a subjective- objective dichotomy is a relative self, because absolute self-hood requires the indifference of subject and object. Specifically, Kant, Fichte, and Schelling addressed the possibility of a philosophical intuition of the I and of a real intuition of the moral law. Although they disagreed about intellectual intuition, each employed it to define the borders of transcendental philosophy. For Kant, the limits of knowledge were inseparable from the definition of intuition and the notion of the thing-in-itself. Were intellectual intuitions permitted, things-in-themselves could be objects of intuitions. By defining all intuition as sensible, he precluded both things-in-themselves as objects of knowledge and intellectual intuitions as modes of consciousness. As a result, Kant struggled to describe self-consciousness and moral consciousness. Allowing them as intellectual intuitions would violate the limits of knowledge he imposed but denying them rendered the knowledge he desired impossible. Insofar as Fichte rejected the very notion of a thing-in-itself as meaningless, Fichtean intellectual intuition involves no consciousness of things-in-themselves. Moreover, since consciousness delimits its own "circle from which we cannot escape," the boundary of knowledge is not bound to the definition of intuition. When modes of consciousness arose that involved immediate, non-sensible awareness rather than immediate, sensible awareness, Fichte called them intellectual intuitions.

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6: Immanuel Kant - Wikipedia

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7: Moltke S. Gram, Intellectual Intuition: The Continuity Thesis - PhilPapers

Moltke S. Gram's influential essay "Intellectual Intuition: The Continuity Thesis," discredited the continuity thesis, or the contention that Kant's, Fichte's, and Schelling's, discussions of intellectual intuition hinged on a single question about the relation between the intellect and thing-in-itself.² Proponents of the continuity thesis.

It was in this so-called "pre-critical" period that Kant developed and articulated a substantive philosophy of mind. His critical writings, by contrast, are marked by skepticism and an unwillingness to advance substantive claims about mind. Kant argued that the traditional vis motrix view, which was defended by Wolff and other post-Leibnizian German rationalists, appealed to an unexplanatory and metaphysically incoherent conception of force. First, if a body can act only by exerting vis motrix, then a body can act on a soul only if it can cause the soul to move. But, Kant objected, such an explanation would do nothing to explain the characteristic effect of matter on the soul, namely the production of representations. The second problem is closely related to the first. If bodies can be acted upon only by being caused to move, then the assumption that the essential force of the soul is not vis motrix but some unknown power provided no basis for explaining how souls could act on bodies. Kant maintained that God acted to unify our world in such a way that all its finite substances possess an essential force—a vis activa—capable of producing motion in bodies and representations in souls. Indeed, Kant argued that every change in our world involves the exercise of a transeunt force that acts in accordance with the "divine schema" by which God unified our world. He defended two main claims. Chief among the difficulties was that his account of the divine schema of our world was incompatible with his metaphysical dualism: Unfortunately, this contradicted his account of how substances exist in space. According to the divine schema of our world, a necessary condition of a substance being located in space is that it possess a repulsive force and thus impenetrability. Our souls and our bodies can interact only if they are both in our world, but this is true only if both types of substances are impenetrable and thus incapable of existing in the same space at the same time. In 1790, when he published *Dreams of a Spirit Seer*, Kant concluded that he did not possess the philosophical resources to solve this problem. The Inner Sense Thesis Kant drew upon a contrast between inner and outer sense that he first developed in the *Inaugural Dissertation* of 1770 to revise his early philosophy of mind. By the time he gave the *Metaphysik L1* lectures, Kant used the inner sense doctrine to defend the heterogeneity of body and soul: Although Kant had not yet adopted the critical view that the soul is not a substance, the inner sense thesis helped him to avoid the contradictions and difficulties of his earlier view. A new account of embodied cognition The inner sense thesis also grounded a new account of the tight relation between the soul and its body and of the role of the body in cognition. According to the community thesis, the soul and body constitute an especially tight community: This view was enshrined in the embodiment thesis, which stated that there is no mental action where "the body is not come into play" *Akademie* Volume 28, p. Thus as he did in the *Appendix to the Universal Natural History*, in the *Metaphysik L1* lectures Kant maintained the "constitution thesis," which stated that the specific constitution of the body affects the constitution of the soul. Kant asked "from which side is the most to be derived, from the body or from the soul? Whereas in he took himself to possess strong reasons for thinking that the body contributes more to cognition, in the mids he taught that "we can say nothing about this" *Ak*. However, despite the centrality of these claims to his critical system of philosophy, Kant never again attempted to develop a systematic philosophy of mind. Indeed, his often-repeated position was one of skepticism with respect to knowledge of the mind. Resolving this apparent contradiction is among the most important and difficult challenges facing Kant scholarship today. In the remainder of this entry, I focus on the *Paralogisms* section of the *Critique of Pure Reason*, which is where Kant developed the interesting and powerful skepticism which dominated his official position in the philosophy of mind. In the *Paralogisms*, Kant presented new views on a series of central topics in the philosophy of mind. He adopts a broadly—and famously—skeptical view, arguing that we can have no positive knowledge about the nature of the mind and rejecting Cartesian claims that we have a privileged self-knowledge. Kant thus turned his back on the positive philosophy of mind that he had struggled to construct in the *s*, *s*, *s*, and *s*. There he argued that a judgment requires both an intuition and a

concept and thus that we can have no knowledge of something of which we have no concept nor of something that cannot be intuited in a possible experience. Each illusion involves the crossing of the limits of possible knowledge and arises from the illegitimate empirical employment of a transcendental concept. He discusses three paralogistic fallacies, namely:

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*Summary*The paper undertakes to disentangle the problem facing Kant's Third Antinomy from the problems confronting the transcendental reality of time and the distinction between things-in-themselves and appearances.

Theses Here, to the best of our ability to reconstruct it, is a list of all Ph. For a shorter list of only more recent Ph. Note that, until , the Department of Philosophy was not distinct from the Department of Psychology at Indiana University. This helps to explain some of the titles below that nowadays might be thought odd to find in a Department of Philosophy. The same goes for the pre M. Dissertations Tugman, Eupha May Foley. Light Discrimination in the English Sparrow. The River of God: The Source-Stream for Morals and Religion. On Justifying the Good. The Ontological Foundations of Negatives. Order and Human Value. Pragmatism in Recent Non-Pragmatic Systems: Kant and the Problem of Metaphysics. Heidegger as Critic of Western Thinking. The Moral Philosophy of Karl Jaspers. Obligation and Aspiration in Ethics. Change in Aristotle, Descartes, Human, and Whitehead: An Essay in Philosophy of Nature. Plato and the Philosophy of Language. A Study of Thomas C. Logical Atomism and the Realism-Nominalism Issue: The Problem of Individuation. Two Theories of the A Priori. Rule Utilitarianism and an Enlightened Moral Consciousness. Universals and Ontological Analysis. Scientific Realism and the Antinomy of External Objects. A Study of Human Action. The Ontological Argument and the Problem of God. The Ideal Observer Theory in Ethics. Identification and Demonstrative Reference. False Beliefs and Possible States of Affairs. The Reference of Proper Names: A Critical Essay in the Philosophy of Language. Intentionality and the Structure of Existence. Development and Crisis in Late Boolean Logic: A Philosophical Theory of Perception. The Grounds of Moral Rightness. Desire and Motivation in Plato: Issues in the Psychology of the Early Dialogues and the Republic. A Translation and Critical Study. Intersubjectivity and the Divine Envisionment. Primary and Secondary Qualities. Ethical Postulates for African Development. Constant Conjunction and Necessity: Hegel and Holistic Explanation. Sameness and Similarity and the Identity of Indiscernibles. The Logic of Conditional Assertions. Some Metaphysical and Epistemological Problems. A Theory of Events. Meinong Reconstructed versus Early Russell Reconstructed: A Study in the Formal Ontology of Fiction. A Complementarity Thesis for Doxastic Truth. Natural Language Semantics and Guise Theory. Ontology and Epistemology in John Scottus Eriugena. Marxism, Pragmatism, and Historical Realism: Toward a Neo-Hegelian Synthesis. Intersubjectivity of Indexical Thoughts. Beliefs Based on Emotional Reception: Their Formation, Justification and Truth. The Logic of Fictional Discourse. Topics in Lukasiewicz Logics. Classicism, Connectionism, and the Concept of Level. Foundationalism and the Genesis of Justification. Toward a Theory of Consciousness. The Concept of Logical Form. Circularity, Truth, and the Liar Paradox. Logic, Convention, and Common Knowledge. An Aesthetic Theory for Metaphor: Santory Jorge, Anayra O. The Moral Force of Philosophy. The Problem of Naturalizing Intentionality. Diagrams and Natural Deduction: Theory and Pedagogy of Hyperproof. Diagrams, Logic and Representation. Toward a Phenomenological Ethic of Community. On the Efficacy of Representation. An Edition, Translation, and Critical Essay. Saint Augustine and the Theory of the Just War. A Place for Consciousness: Probing the Deep Structure of the Natural World. A Species of Good: An Essay on Truth as a Kind of Value. Substructural Logics, Combinatory Logic, and -Calculus. Knowledge, Certainty, and Propositions Per se notae: A Study of Peter Auriol. How To Be an Anti-Representationalist. Emotion, Action, and Intentionality. Justification as Intra-Personal Argumentation. Impartiality and the Moral Domain. Is There a Text in Philosophy: Writing, Style, Rhetoric and Culture. Judicial Craftmanship at the Supreme Court: Objectivity, Skepticism, and the Realistic Spirit in Ethics. The Problem of Indexicality. Toward an Understanding of Objectivity: Two Orientations towards Human Nature. Formal Ontology in the Fourteenth Century: Epistemic Possibilities and the Sources of Belief.

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On Kant, Fichte and Schelling: Moltke S. Gram, 'Intellectual Intuition: The Continuity Thesis,' Journal of It is here that the second sense of intuition in all.

On Kant and Fichte, chapter V of *F. The Struggle against Subjectivity* London: Vrin, ; Exclusively on Fichte: Vrin, ; M. Cambridge University Press, , pp. We will discuss these difficulties below. Cambridge University Press, Felix Meiner Verlag, R. Translation in *Critique of Pure Reason*, P. Felix Meiner Verlag, H. Walter de Gruyter, G. Translation in *Critique of the Power of Judgment*, P. To facilitate referencing pagination refers to the Akademie Ausgabe, which is noted in both these editions. Meiner, , zweite verbesserte Auflage, Cornell University Press, Pagination of Krause nachschrift is indicated in margins of the English translation. Unfortunately this is not noted by the otherwise excellent translation of Guyer and Matthews. I am not an expert of the German language and so I am receptive to suggestions from experts in the field, but such a use seems to be rather significant. Normally intellectual intuition *Anschauung* is opposed to sensible intuition. Here intuitive intuitiven understanding is opposed to discursive understanding. Freiburg Verlag, ; see also Philonenko *Schelling Werke II*, H. Frommann Holzboog, , A very influential case of such a confusion is G. See also Philonenko, See also Frank, , ; Frank , Thomas-Fogiel makes the same point on p. Between Kant and Hegel, New York: Cambridge University Press, , What Pippin does not adequately account for is how self-positing has an internal relation to opposition and reciprocal determination *Wechselbestimmung*. Although for Fichte the two terms are not identity and difference but rather subjectivity and objectivity, it is precisely his co-genetic account of subjectivity and objectivity that is so valuable to contemporary discussions. Franks *All or Nothing*. Harvard University Press, II, 52 Frankfurt am Mein: An article on the first paragraph of the Foundations is forthcoming. Detailed discussion is given in Ph. D thesis *Towards a Philosophy of Freedom: Walker on this point: The Cambridge Companion to Kant* Cambridge: Translation The System of Ethics, D.

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