Institut für Philosophie II &
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Alexander von Humboldt
Research Award

The Chair of Philosophy of Mind welcomes

Prof. Dr. Hans-Johann Glock
Professor at the University of Zurich and Visiting Professor at the University of Reading

Hans-Johann Glock is Professor of Philosophy at the University of Zurich, and Visiting Professor at the University of Reading. Prof. Glock is a highly accomplished and renowned philosopher. His main contributions have been to four distinct areas of research: History of Analytic Philosophy, Philosophy of Language, Mind and Animals Cognition. For 2014-15 he received a Research Award of the Alexander of Humboldt Foundation. During his stay, he will collaborate with members of the Depart. of Philosophy II as well as the Center for Mind, Brain and Cognitive Evolution in Bochum. The ongoing research is especially dealing with two research questions: 1. concerning Concept Formation and Linguistic Norms from the perspective of mind and language and 2. concerning Animal Cognition. As a Research Award Winner he will work on the book “Animal Minds: Conceptual Problems”.

Research Interests:
History of Analytic Philosophy, Philosophy of Language, Philosophy of Mind, Animal Cognition, Concepts

Some important Publications:

Furthermore, he has edited several collections and has published numerous articles on the philosophy of language, the philosophy of mind and the history of analytic philosophy, e.g. in top-journal like Mind, Synthese, American Phil. Quarterly, Dialectica, Inquiry, Erkenntnis.

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