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Meditations Psychology Press

The Meditations, one of the key texts of Western philosophy, is the most widely studied of all Descartes' writings. This authoritative translation by John Cottingham, taken from the much acclaimed three-volume Cambridge edition of the Philosophical Writings of Descartes, is based upon the best available texts and presents Descartes' central metaphysical writings in clear, readable modern English. As well as the complete text of the Meditations, the reader will find a thematic abridgement of the Objections and Replies (which were originally published with the Meditations) containing Descartes' replies to his critics. These extracts, specially selected for the present volume, indicate the main philosophical difficulties which occurred to Descartes' contemporaries and show how Descartes developed and clarified his arguments in response. This edition contains a new comprehensive introduction to Descartes'

philosophy by John Cottingham and the classic introductory essay on the Meditations by Bernard Williams.

Descartes and His Contemporaries CRC Press

Descartes's Meditations on First Philosophy, published in Latin in 1641, is one of the most widely studied philosophical texts of all time, and inaugurates many of the key themes that have remained central to philosophy ever since. In his original Latin text Descartes expresses himself with great lucidity and elegance, and there is enormous interest, even for those who are not fluent in Latin, in seeing how the famous concepts and arguments of his great masterpiece unfold in the original language. John Cottingham's acclaimed English translation of the work is presented here in a facing-page edition alongside the original Latin text. Students of classical philosophy have long had the benefit of dual-language editions, and the availability of such a resource for the canonical works of the early-modern period is long overdue. This volume now makes available, in an invaluable dual-language format, one of the most seminal texts of Western philosophy.

Meditations on First Philosophy in Focus Bloomsbury

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In Descartes's *Meditations*, the thinker rejects all his former beliefs in the quest for new certainties. He develops new conceptions of body and mind to create a new science of nature. This new translation includes a wide-ranging, accessible introduction, notes and full selections from the *Objections and Replies*.

Rene Descartes: *Meditations on First Philosophy* Penguin UK
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Meditations, Objections, and Replies Cambridge University Press
 Descartes's *Meditations on First Philosophy* remains one of the most widely studied works of Western philosophy. This volume is a refreshed and updated edition of John Cottingham's bestselling 1996 edition, based on his translation in the acclaimed three-volume Cambridge edition of *The Philosophical Writings of Descartes*. It presents the complete text of Descartes's central metaphysical masterpiece, the *Meditations*, in clear, readable modern English, and it offers the reader additional material in a thematic abridgement of the *Objections and Replies*, providing a deeper understanding of how Descartes developed and clarified his arguments in response to critics. Cottingham also provides an updated introduction, together with a substantially revised bibliography, taking into account recent literature and developments in Descartes studies. The volume will be a vital resource for students reading the *Meditations*, as well as those studying Descartes and early modern philosophy.

The Routledge Guidebook to Descartes' *Meditations* Oxford University Press

'It is some years now since I realized how many false opinions I had accepted as true from childhood onwards...I saw that at some stage in my life the whole structure would have to be utterly demolished' In Descartes's *Meditations*, one of the key texts of Western philosophy, the thinker rejects all his former beliefs in the quest for new certainties. Discovering his own existence as a thinking entity in the very exercise of doubt, he goes on to prove the existence of God, who guarantees his clear and distinct ideas as a means of access to the truth. He develops new conceptions of body and mind, capable of serving as foundations for the new science of nature. Subsequent philosophy has grappled with Descartes's legacy, questioning many of its conclusions and even his basic approach, but his arguments set the agenda for many of the greatest philosophical thinkers, and their fascination endures. This new translation includes the Third and Fourth *Objections and Replies* in full, and a selection from the rest of these exchanges with Descartes's contemporaries that helped to expound his philosophy. ABOUT THE SERIES: For over 100 years Oxford World's Classics has made available the widest range of literature from around the globe. Each affordable volume reflects Oxford's commitment to scholarship, providing the most accurate text plus a wealth of other valuable features, including expert introductions by leading authorities, helpful notes to clarify the text, up-to-date bibliographies for further study, and much more.

An Analysis of Rene Descartes's *Meditations on First Philosophy* Routledge

Als Galileo Galilei 1633 wegen seines Eintretens für das heliozentrische Weltbild von der Inquisition verurteilt wurde, befand sich Descartes' *Le Monde* gerade in der Endredaktion. Für René Descartes war die Verurteilung Galileis, wie er seinem Freund Marin Mersenne versicherte, der Anlass, von einer Veröffentlichung seiner Physik abzusehen. Erst 1677 wurden die erhaltenen Teile von *Le Monde* aus dem Nachlass herausgegeben. Die Abhandlung über die Welt besteht aus zwei Teilen: einer Physik (*Traité de la Lumière*), die sich vor allem mit einer Theorie des Lichtes beschäftigt, und einer Physiologie

(*Traité de l'Homme*), deren zentraler Bestandteil - neben der anatomischen Beschreibung des menschlichen Körpers und der Theorie des Blutkreislaufs - eine mechanistische Erkenntnistheorie ist. *Le Monde* ist in seinen beiden erhaltenen und - wie der Herausgeber in seiner Einleitung darstellt - auch einzigen Teilen der kühne Versuch, einen Bogen von der Physik bis zur Physiologie zu schlagen, und damit ein gegenüber den späteren Prinzipien von 1644 sogar weitergehender Gesamtentwurf der Cartesischen Philosophie. Indessen hat Descartes die in *Le Monde* behandelten Themen keineswegs ad acta gelegt. Teile des ursprünglichen Manuskripts sind in die *Dioptrique* und die *Météores* eingeflossen, und im *Discours de la Méthode* hat Descartes keine Skrupel, den Inhalt von *Le Monde* zu referieren (und gelegentlich etwas auszuschnücken). Vielleicht war es nicht allein die Verurteilung Galileis, die ihn dazu gebracht hatte, sein Werk zurückzuhalten, sondern doch auch die fast unlösbare Aufgabe, die gesamte Physik von der Elementenlehre bis hin zur Theorie des Lebendigen darzulegen. *Meditationes de prima philosophia* Hackett Publishing
 David Foster Wallace wurde 2005 darum gebeten, vor Absolventen des Kenyon College eine Abschlussrede zu halten. Diese berühmt gewordene Rede gilt in den USA mittlerweile als Klassiker und ist Pflichtlektüre für alle Abschlussklassen. David Foster Wallace zeigt in dieser kurzen Rede mit einfachen Worten, was es heißt, Denken zu lernen und erwachsen zu sein: eine Anstiftung zum Denken und kleine Anleitung für das Leben, die man jedem Hochschulabsolventen und jedem Jugendlichen mit auf den Weg geben möchte.

A Beginner's Guide to Descartes's *Meditations* Walter de Gruyter

Before publishing his landmark *Meditations* in 1641, Rene Descartes sent his manuscript to many leading thinkers to solicit their objections to his arguments. He included these objections, along with his own detailed replies, as part of the first edition. This unusual strategy gave Descartes a chance to address criticisms in advance and to demonstrate his willingness to consider diverse viewpoints—critical in an age when radical ideas could result in condemnation by church and state, or even death. Descartes and his Contemporaries recreates the tumultuous intellectual community of seventeenth-century Europe and provides a detailed, modern analysis of the *Meditations* in its historical context. The book's chapters examine the arguments and positions of each of the objectors—Hobbes, Gassendi, Arnauld, Morin, Caterus, Bourdin, and others whose views were compiled by Mersenne. They illuminate Descartes' relationships to the scholastics and particularly the Jesuits, to Mersenne's circle with its debates about the natural sciences, to the Epicurean movements of his day, and to the Augustinian tradition. Providing a glimpse of the interactions among leading 17th-century intellectuals as they grappled with major philosophical issues, this book sheds light on how Descartes' thought developed and was articulated in opposition to the ideas of his contemporaries. *Die Welt* Felix Meiner Verlag

Rene Descartes is generally accepted as the "father of modern philosophy", and his *Meditations* is perhaps the most famous philosophical text ever written. In this Routledge Philosophy GuideBook, Gary Hatfield guides the reader through the text of the *Meditations*, providing commentary and analysis throughout. He assesses Descartes' importance in the history of philosophy and his continuing relevance to contemporary thought. Descartes and the *Meditations* will be essential reading for all students of philosophy, and for anyone coming to Descartes for the first time. *Glimpse of Light* OUP Oxford

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This includes the excellent translation by Haldane and Ross of Descartes' Meditations on First Philosophy, an introduction by Tweyman, and six articles indicating the diversity of scholarly opinion on method in Descartes' philosophy. This volume presents the excellent and popular translation by Haldane and Ross of Descartes' Meditations on First Philosophy, an introduction by Stanley Tweyman which explores the relevance of Descartes' Regulae and his method of analysis in the Meditations, and six articles which indicate the diversity of scholarly opinion on the topic of method in Descartes' philosophy.

Theatrum philosophicum Cambridge University Press

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This anthology offers the key works of Descartes, Spinoza, and Leibniz in their entirety or in substantial selections, along with a rich selection of associated texts by other leading thinkers of the period.

[The Blackwell Guide to Descartes' Meditations](#) John Wiley & Sons
A dual-language edition presenting Descartes's original Latin text of his greatest work, with a facing-page authoritative English translation.

Regulae ad directionem ingenii Cambridge University Press

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Descartes: Meditations on First Philosophy OUP Oxford

Of all the works of the man claimed by many as the father of modern philosophy, the MEDITATIONS, first published in 1641, must surely be Rene Descartes' masterpiece. This volume consists of not only a new translation of the original Latin text and the expanded objections and replies, but also includes selected correspondence and other metaphysical writings from the period 1641-49.

Rene Descartes' Meditations on First Philosophy in Focus University of Chicago Press

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Descartes' Meditations on First Philosophy has proven to be not only one of the canonical texts of Western philosophy, but also the site of a great deal of interpretive activity in scholarship on the history of early modern philosophy over the last two decades. David Cunning's monograph proposes a new interpretation, which is that from beginning to end the reasoning of the Meditations is the first-person reasoning of a thinker who starts from a confused non-Cartesian paradigm and moves slowly and awkwardly toward a grasp of just a few of the central theses of Descartes' system. The meditator of the Meditations is not a full-blown Cartesian at the start or middle or even the end of inquiry, and accordingly the Meditations is riddled with confusions throughout. Cunning argues that Descartes is trying to capture the kind of reasoning that a non-Cartesian would have to engage in to make the relevant epistemic progress, and that the Meditations rhetorically models that reasoning. He proposes that Descartes is reflecting on what happens in philosophical inquiry: we are unclear about something, we roam about using our existing concepts and intuitions, we abandon or revise some of these, and then eventually we come to see a result as clear that we did not see as clear before. Thus Cunning's fundamental insight is that Descartes is a teacher, and the reader a student. With that reading in mind, a significant number of the interpretive problems that arise in the Descartes literature dissolve when we make a distinction between the Cartesian and non-Cartesian elements of the Meditations, and a better understanding of surrounding texts is achieved as well. This important volume will be of great interest to scholars of early modern philosophy.

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