

Reading

CHALLENGES TO FUNCTIONALISM:

PHILOSOPHICAL ZOMBIES, INVERTED QUALIA, AND THE EXPLANATORY GAP

Essential reading

Burwood, Gilbert, and Lennon, *Philosophy of Mind* (Routledge, 1999), pp. 116-28 (a clear outline of the main objections to functionalism, functionalist responses to the objections, and counter-responses).

Recommended reading

Jackson and Braddon-Mitchell (eds.), *Philosophy of Mind and Cognition* (Oxford: Blackwell, 1996). Read the following sections:

- 'The Chinese Room', pp. 107-111.
- 'The spectrum inversion objection to functionalism', pp. 124-27.

Further reading

- Block, 'Troubles with Functionalism', in Block (ed.), *Readings in the Philosophy of Psychology*, Volumes 1 and 2 (Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press, 1980), pp.268–305. (Accessible at:

<https://web.ics.purdue.edu/~drkelly/BlockTroublesWithFunctionalism1980.pdf>)

- David Lewis, 'Mad pain and Martian pain', in *Philosophical Papers*, Vol.1 (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 1983), pp. 122-30. (Accessible at: https://andrewmbailey.com/dkl/Mad_Pain.pdf.)

- The following edited collection contains a number of relevant papers: Timothy O'Connor and David Robb (eds.), *Philosophy of*

Mind: contemporary readings (London and New York: Routledge, 2003).