PHILOSOPHY TRIPOS, PART II

Thursday 1 June 2023

13.30-16.30

Paper 2

PHILOSOPHY OF MIND

Answer three questions only.

Write the number of the question at the beginning of each answer. If you are answering the either/or question, indicate the letter as well.

STATIONERY REQUIREMENTS

20 Page Answer Book x 1 Rough Work Pad

You may not start to read the questions printed on the subsequent pages of this question paper until instructed that you may do so by the Invigilator

- 1. If you had to be an intentionalist, what sort would you be?
- 2. Which concepts of consciousness make the most trouble for physicalism?
- 3. What does it mean to have a unified conscious perspective?
- 4. In order to have representational states, do we need to be interpretable as rational?
- 5. 'How things look determines the content of visual experience.' Discuss.
- 6. 'It is only through introspection or interpretation that I know that I believe that p.' Discuss.
- 7. What kind of psychological capacity underlies our ability to understand each other?
- 8. Can consciousness and the will come apart?
- 9. What kind of mental state if any are you in when you form the intention at 10am to have lunch at noon?
- 10. EITHER: (a) 'Imagination requires mental imagery.' Discuss.
 - OR: (b) How, if at all, does imagination relate to belief?

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