

Naive Realism: The Rejected Stone that Becomes the Chief Corner Stone in Epistemological Theorising

Abstract

This paper is an expository attempt of the development of naïve realism from a simple story to a complex mentalist thesis. Originally, as a layman's notion of perception, naïve realism has metamorphosed into a family of robust mentalist theses that is deployed to address the objections that threatens sense data theories and adjudicate the dispute between internalism and externalism in epistemology.

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