

For this class, please read Chap. 7 of Ramachandran.

What does Ramachandran think is happening in Mrs. Dodds that accounts for her experience and behavior? Does he make a meaningful distinction between her person and her brain (and brain parts)? How would you diagram his theory? Come up with at least one alternative hypothesis of what is happening.

Read through the two McCulloch articles. They are technical, but pose questions about neurons that are not typically asked.

What would it be like to be a frog as the authors describe it?
What do "newness" and "sameness" neurons do?

Recommended: Look at the Elizabeth Wilson chapters, especially the second one (pp. 103-132).

Does Wilson think the Turing Test is a good test?
According to Wilson, what does the Turing Test test?