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Are there forms of thought alien to us, but home to others? Is our form of thought just one among many? Or is it (in essentials) the form of thought *per se*? Are these even sensible issues? Descartes, Kant, Frege, Wittgenstein, among many, were exercised by such questions. 20 years ago, a landmark paper by James Conant, *In Search of Logically Alien Thought*, gave illuminating perspective to these issues. In this conference some of the most insightful current writers in the area look at how things now stand.

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