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Abstract

If Socrates were asked the question that is the title of this talk, he would first want to know the definition of "analytic philosophy." Hanjo Glock has done an excellent job trying to offer a family-resemblance account, in terms of the method and content of Wittgenstein's work and its origins. I will look at some further factors—Wittgenstein's aims and his impact. When we include these considerations, we are led to wonder whether Wittgenstein is still an analytic philosopher.

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## Is Wittgenstein Still an Analytic Philosopher?

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and editor:**

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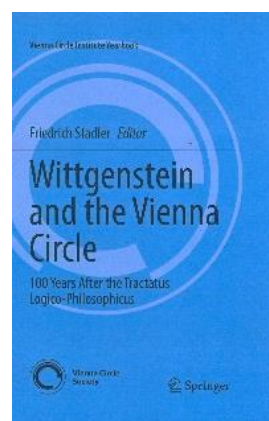
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