## **PHILOSOPHY**

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## Between the realism and the constructivism: onticology

It has been studied modern discourses concerning the nature of reality. An argument between realists and constructivists is actualized basing on the example of philosophical stream, which had been called object-oriented ontology or onticology. Basing on the analysis of works written by B.Latour, G.Harman, L.Bryant the author explicates its distinctive features: 1) denial of the gap between culture and nature, subject and object; 2) endowment of each object with intentionality and the ability to build its reality; 3) statement of the presence of secondary qualities for all objects. The author summarizes that onticology can be defined as a radical relativistic-solipsistic constructivism rather than ontological realism.

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