

# *Category Theory Seminar*

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## **Objects are maps**

**Abstract:** I analyze a controversy between the “purely logical” notion of object put forward by Frege and Russell and the notion of object developed in the Kantian tradition broadly conceived. Then I specify an aspect of the Kantian view, which remains pertinent for today’s mathematics, and upgrade the original Kantian approach with Category theory.