

Hegel's *Encyclopedia of the Philosophical Sciences*

Hegel regarded his *Encyclopedia of the Philosophical Sciences* as the work which most fully presented the scope of his philosophical system and its method. It is somewhat surprising, therefore, that some scholars regularly accord it only a secondary status. This Critical Guide seeks to change that, with sixteen newly written essays from an international group of Hegel scholars that shed much-needed light on both the whole and the parts of the *Encyclopedia* system. Topics include the structure and aim of the *Encyclopedia* system as a whole, the differences between the greater and lesser *Logics*, the role of nature in Hegel's thinking, Hegel's account of the relationship between body and soul, theory and praxis, mind and matter, his account of rational politics and the shapes of absolute spirit as art, religion and philosophy. This book will be invaluable to all students and scholars with an interest in Hegel and the history of philosophy.

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