



Brain Awareness Month

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Morality before Religion: Empathy, Fairness, and the Primate Brain



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Modern psychology and neuroscience support the idea that morality evolved before humans developed religions. This lecture will review how empathy comes naturally to a great variety of animals, including humans. Dr. de Waal argues that understanding empathy's survival value in evolution can help to build a more just society based on a more accurate view of human nature.



Date & Time:

Wednesday, March 4th, 4:00 pm

Place:

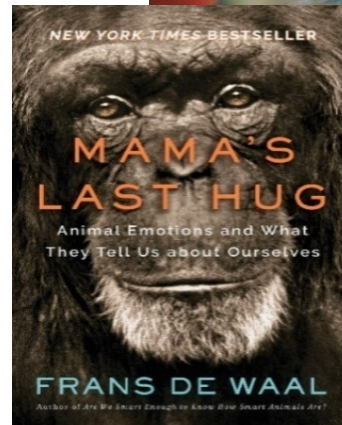
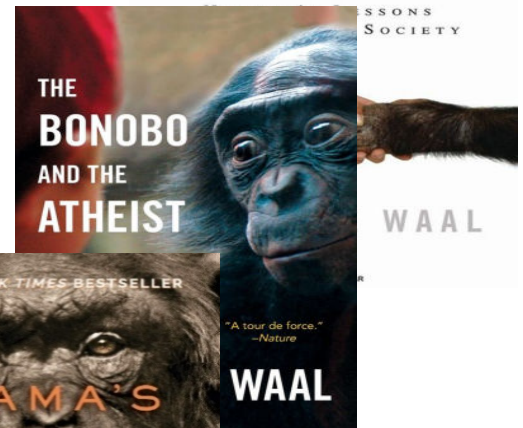
Brevard Hall, room 134 (next to Lyceum)
University of Mississippi – Oxford
campus



(5:30–6:30 pm)

...and after the talk, join us at Square Books and get one of Dr. de Waal's books signed by him!

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