

'Possibility' (pub. 22.09.14-12:33). Quote in M. Bergman & S. Paavola (Eds.), *The Commens Dictionary: Peirce's Terms in His Own Words. New Edition*. Retrieved from <http://www.commens.org/dictionary/entry/quote-bed-rock-beneath-pragmaticism-3>.

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**Term:** Possibility

**Quote:** ...the Possible is an ingredient of the Truth which, in consequence of its vagueness, must remain a thought and can never be more than an idea except by taking on a definiteness that does belong to it in itself...

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**Quote:**

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