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The Oxford Handbook of Perceptual Organization Mar 29 2022 Perceptual organization comprises a wide range of processes such as perceptual grouping, figure-ground organization, filling-in, completion, perceptual switching, etc. Such processes are most notable in the context of shape perception but they also play a role in texture perception, lightness perception, color perception, motion perception, depth perception, etc. Perceptual organization deals with a variety of perceptual phenomena of central interest, studied from many different perspectives, including psychophysics, experimental psychology, neuropsychology, neuroimaging, neurophysiology, and computational modeling. Given its central importance in phenomenal experience, perceptual organization has also figured prominently in classic Gestalt writings on the topic, touching upon deep philosophical issues regarding mind-brain relationships and consciousness. In addition, it attracts a great deal of interest from people working in applied areas like visual art, design, architecture, music, and so forth. The Oxford Handbook of Perceptual Organization provides a broad and extensive review of the current literature, written in an accessible form for scholars and students. With chapter written by leading researchers in the field, this is the state-of-the-art reference work on this topic, and will be so for many years to come.

Essentials of Social Psychology Apr 29 2022 Essentials of Social Psychology provides a clear, concise and engaging introduction to the field. Covering all the major topics and theoretical perspectives, this exciting new book provides straightforward explanation of key terms and concepts in a lively and student-friendly manner. Debates and controversies are brought to life and the wider practical relevance of the subject is emphasised throughout. Pedagogical features that appear across the book include Research Classic sections which describe classic studies, Research Applications boxes that highlight more contemporary developments in social psychological research and their practical applications, Real World features that look at the everyday relevance of social psychology, and Literature, Film and TV features that demonstrate how social psychological concepts are dealt with in popular media. An international balance of research alerts students to the cross cultural dimensions of social psychology Essentials of Social Psychology is accompanied by MyPsychLab, an interactive online study resource designed to help students to consolidate and further their understanding. Together, the book and online support make this an ideal resource for those studying the subject for the first time, or as part of a more general programme of study.

Neuroscience Jun 19 2021 This classic textbook guides students through the challenges and excitement of the rapidly changing field of neuroscience. Accessible for both medical students and undergraduate neuroscience students, the 5th edition has been updated throughout to reflect the latest developments.

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Essentials of Understanding Psychology 13e Oct 04 2022 Students First. Designed for student success, Essentials of Understanding Psychology provides students with a brief and powerful learning framework to help them connect, engage, and feel excited about psychology.

Cognitive Pragmatics Feb 25 2022 An argument that communication is a cooperative activity between agents, who together consciously and intentionally construct the meaning of their interaction. In Cognitive Pragmatics, Bruno Bara offers a theory of human communication that is both formalized through logic and empirically validated through experimental data and clinical studies. Bara argues that communication is a cooperative activity in which two or more agents together consciously and intentionally construct the meaning of their interaction. In true communication (which Bara distinguishes from the mere transmission of information), all the actors must share a set of mental states. Bara takes a cognitive perspective, investigating communication not from the viewpoint of an external observer (as is the practice in linguistics and the philosophy of language) but from within the mind of the individual. Bara

examines communicative interaction through the notion of behavior and dialogue games, which structure both the generation and the comprehension of the communication act (either language or gesture). He describes both standard communication and nonstandard communication (which includes deception, irony, and "as-if" statements). Failures are analyzed in detail, with possible solutions explained. Bara investigates communicative competence in both evolutionary and developmental terms, tracing its emergence from hominids to Homo sapiens and defining the stages of its development in humans from birth to adulthood. He correlates his theory with the neurosciences, and explains the decay of communication that occurs both with different types of brain injury and with Alzheimer's disease. Throughout, Bara offers supporting data from the literature and his own research. The innovative theoretical framework outlined by Bara will be of interest not only to cognitive scientists and neuroscientists but also to anthropologists, linguists, and developmental psychologists.

Madness and Civilization Mar 05 2020 Michel Foucault examines the archeology of madness in the West from 1500 to 1800 - from the late Middle Ages, when insanity was still considered part of everyday life and fools and lunatics walked the streets freely, to the time when such people began to be considered a threat, asylums were first built, and walls were erected between the "insane" and the rest of humanity.

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La felicità è una scienza e si può apprendere May 19 2021 1796.392

Atkinson and Hilgard's Introduction to Psychology Sep 22 2021

Neuroestetica Computazionale: La nuova frontiera del marketing digitale Nov 12 2020 La neuroestetica computazionale è la nuova disciplina che integra il neuromarketing, la psicologia e le scienze informatiche per sviluppare contenuti digitali allineati alle caratteristiche psicografiche, come i tratti di personalità, degli utenti. Neuroestetica computazionale è il termine coniato da Mattia Martone, co-fondatore del centro di ricerca PXR Italy, per legittimare la nascita di questa disciplina innovativa. Il libro presenta una struttura divisa in due macrosezioni. La prima descrive il concetto di estetica dei contenuti nella società digitale odierna, caratterizzata dai fenomeni della personalizzazione e dei big data, e delinea le origini della neuroestetica computazionale. La seconda macrosezione illustra gli approcci psicologici all'estetica dei contenuti che si sono susseguiti nel corso del tempo. Il testo rappresenta il punto di origine di una disciplina destinata ad arricchire il mondo del marketing digitale (e non solo) poiché fornisce le basi per lo sviluppo di prodotti e servizi disruptive.

Introducción a la psicología general May 31 2022 Este texto tiene dos características esenciales. Por una parte, es una introducción, una presentación somera de las ideas principales referidas a un muy amplio campo de estudio, como lo es la psicología. Y, por la otra, en su materia concreta, este texto sólo trata de un espacio de la psicología, específicamente, como dice su título, de la psicología general, una de las varias ramas de la psicología, la cual tiene este nombre por el hecho de dedicarse al estudio de las funciones comunes a los individuos. Esta rama de la psicología tiene a su vez distintas áreas de estudio, entre ellas: emoción, consciencia, atención, percepción, entre otras.

Sensehacking Jan 03 2020 The world expert in multisensory perception on the remarkable ways we can use our senses to lead richer lives 'Talks total sense, lots of fun facts, right up there with the best of the best' Chris Evans 'Packed with studies on pain, attention, memory, mood' The Times How can the furniture in your home affect your wellbeing? What colour clothing will help you play sport better? And what simple trick will calm you after a tense day at work? In this revelatory book, pioneering and entertaining Oxford professor Charles Spence shows how our senses change how we think and feel, and how by 'hacking' them we can reduce stress, become more productive and be happier. We like to think of ourselves as rational beings, and yet it's the scent of expensive face cream that removes wrinkles (temporarily), a room actually feels warmer if you use a warmer paint colour, and the noise of the crowd really does affect the referee's decision. Understanding how our senses interact can produce incredible results. This is popular science at its unbelievable best. 'Spence does for the senses what Marie Kondo does for homes' Avery Gilbert, author of What the Nose Knows 'Everything you need to know about how to cope with the hidden sensory overload of modern life, engagingly told' Robin Dunbar, author of How Many Friends Does One Person Need?

Fondamenti Di Psicologia Dello Sviluppo Jul 29 2019 Lo scopo della psicologia dello sviluppo è descrivere e spiegare i cambiamenti nel comportamento e nelle attività psicologiche dal periodo prenatale fino alla vecchiaia. Il volume affronta in modo approfondito i principali temi della psicologia dello sviluppo dal periodo prenatale fino alla vecchiaia, esaminandone sia gli aspetti biologici che quelli culturali. Nel testo sono presentate le più importanti teorie dello sviluppo in una prospettiva storica e, in particolare, quelle di Piaget, Vygotskij e Bowlby, che permettono di comprendere gli orientamenti della ricerca contemporanea e forniscono una sintesi moderna rispetto alle radicali posizioni innatiste e ambientaliste. Il testo presenta inoltre recenti ipotesi, sostenute da evidenze sperimentali, che hanno portato a parziali revisioni di queste teorie. Il volume fornisce in tal modo una visione complessiva e aggiornata delle questioni teoriche e metodologiche più rilevanti della psicologia dello sviluppo ed è consigliato per studenti universitari, insegnanti, operatori del settore, genitori e per tutti coloro che sono interessati a questa disciplina. I curatori di questa edizione ha inoltre apportato integrazioni e adattamenti specifici per il pubblico italiano. A tal fine, sono state anche illustrate recenti ricerche italiane rilevanti per i temi trattati nel testo.

La dislessia. Una guida per genitori e insegnanti: teoria, trattamenti e giochi Dec 14 2020

Human Anatomy Feb 02 2020

The Empathic Screen Jul 21 2021 Why do people go to the movies? What does it mean to watch a movie? To what extent is the perceived fictional nature of movies different from our daily perception of the real world? We live in a time where the power of images has strongly invaded our everyday life, and we need new instruments and methods to better understand our relationship with the virtual worlds we inhabit every day. Taking cinema as the beginning of our relationship with the world of moving images, and cognitive neuroscience as a paradigm to understand how the images engage us, The Empathic Screen develops a new theory of film experience, exploring our brain-body interaction when engaging with and watching a film. In this book, film theory and neuroscience meet to shed new light on cinema masterpieces, such as The Shining, The Silence of the Lambs, and Toy Story, and explore the great directors from the classical period to the present. Taking a radical new approach to understanding the cinema, the book will be fascinating reading for cognitive scientists, neuroscientists, psychologists, philosophers, and film and media scholars.

Adherence to Long-term Therapies Jan 15 2021 This report is based on an exhaustive review of the published literature on the

definitions, measurements, epidemiology, economics and interventions applied to nine chronic conditions and risk factors.

Educational Psychology Nov 24 2021 Written by the author of highly effective psychology texts relied upon by thousands of teachers and students, Educational Psychology is a well-crafted text that emphasizes the application of theory to classroom practice. With richly evocative classroom vignettes provided by practicing teachers, as well as the most case studies - three per chapter - of any Introductory text, Santrock's Educational Psychology helps students think critically about the research basis for best practices. Additionally, Santrock's hallmark Learning System organizes the content into manageable chunks to support retention and mastery, and make it much more likely that students will have an engaging and successful course experience.

Introduction to Clinical Psychology Aug 22 2021 Bringing together contributions by leaders in the field of clinical psychology, this highly readable textbook provides a current perspective on theory, training, assessment, consultation, research, and outpatient and inpatient practice. Bridging the gap between theory and practice, contributors offer a professional perspective on the various specialized activities and settings of a clinical psychologist. With this unique insight, advanced undergraduate and beginning graduate students gain a realistic understanding of the life of a clinical psychologist as well as the diverse professional opportunities in the field.

Handbook of Employee Selection Apr 05 2020 This second edition of the Handbook of Employee Selection has been revised and updated throughout to reflect current thinking on the state of science and practice in employee selection. In this volume, a diverse group of recognized scholars inside and outside the United States balance theory, research, and practice, often taking a global perspective. Divided into eight parts, chapters cover issues associated with measurement, such as validity and reliability, as well as practical concerns around the development of appropriate selection procedures and implementation of selection programs. Several chapters discuss the measurement of various constructs commonly used as predictors, and other chapters confront criterion measures that are used in test validation. Additional sections include chapters that focus on ethical and legal concerns and testing for certain types of jobs (e.g., blue collar jobs). The second edition features a new section on technology and employee selection. The Handbook of Employee Selection, Second Edition provides an indispensable reference for scholars, researchers, graduate students, and professionals in industrial and organizational psychology, human resource management, and related fields.

The Liar in Your Life Dec 02 2019 In *The Liar in Your Life*, psychology professor Robert Feldman, one of the world's leading authorities on deception, draws on his immense body of knowledge to give fresh insights into how and why we lie, how our culture has become increasingly tolerant of deception, the cost it exacts on us, and what to do about it. His work is at once surprising and sobering, full of corrections for common myths and explanations of pervasive oversimplifications. Feldman examines marital infidelity, little white lies, career-driven resumé lies, and how we teach children to lie. Along the way, he reveals—despite our beliefs to the contrary—how it is nearly impossible to spot a liar (studies have shown no relationship between nervousness, lack of eye contact, or a trembling voice, and acts of deception). He also provides startling evidence of just how integral lying is to our culture; indeed, his research shows that two people, meeting for the first time, will lie to each other an average of three times in the first ten minutes of a conversation. Feldman uses this discussion of deception to explore ways we can cope with infidelity, betrayal, and mistrust, in our friends and family. He also describes the lies we tell ourselves: Sometimes, the liar in your life is the person you see in the mirror. With incisive clarity and wry wit, Feldman has written a truthful book for anyone whose life has been touched by deception.

Karl Jaspers' Philosophy and Psychopathology Aug 29 2019 This book is based on a congress evaluating Jaspers' basic psychopathological concepts and their anthropological roots in light of modern research paradigms. It provides a definition of delusion, his concept of "limit situation" so much challenged by trauma research, and his methodological debate. We are approaching the anniversary of Jaspers seminal work *General Psychopathology* in 1913. The Centre of Psychosocial Medicine of the University with its Psychiatric Hospital where Jaspers wrote this influential volume as a 29 year old clinical assistant hosted a number of international experts familiar with his psychiatric and philosophical work. This fruitful interdisciplinary discussion seems particularly important in light of the renewed interest in Jaspers' work, which will presumably increase towards the anniversary year 2013. This volume is unique in bringing together the knowledge of leading international scholars and combining three dimensions of investigation that are necessary to understand Jaspers in light of contemporary questions: history (section I), methodology (section II) and application (section III).

Facing the Challenges of a Multi-Age Workforce Oct 12 2020 *Facing the Challenges of a Multi-Age Workforce* examines the shifting economic, cultural, and technological trends in the modern workplace that are taking place as a result of the aging global workforce. Taking an international perspective, contributors address workforce aging issues around the world, allowing for productive cross-cultural comparisons. Chapters adopt a use-inspired approach, with contributors proposing solutions to real problems faced by organizations, including global teamwork, unemployed youth, job obsolescence and over-qualification, heavy emotional labor and physically demanding jobs, and cross-age perceptions and communication. Additional commentaries from sociologists, gerontologists, economists, and scholars of labor and government round out the volume and demonstrate the interdisciplinary nature of this important topic.

Attribution in International Law and Arbitration Mar 17 2021 *Attribution in International Law and Arbitration* clarifies and critically discusses the international rules of attribution of conduct, particularly regarding their application to states under international investment law. It examines the key question of how and to what extent breaches of State obligations, particularly in respect of States' commitments to foreign investors under international investment agreements (IIAs) and bilateral investment treaties (BITs), can be attributed. Of special interest within this context is the responsibility of States when the alleged breach has been committed by separate legal entities, rather than the state itself. Under domestic law, entities such as state-owned enterprises (SOEs) are considered legally distinct, however the State may still be considered responsible for their actions under international law. The book addresses the relevant issues systematically, beginning with direct reference to the Draft Articles on Responsibility of States for Internationally Wrongful Acts (ARSIWA) on attribution, finalized by the International Law Commission (ILC) in 2001. It then elaborates on the specifics of international investment law, based on a detailed examination of practice and case law, whilst giving due consideration to the academic debate. The result is a full, innovative take on one of the most difficult questions in investment arbitration.

Exodus, Revisited Oct 31 2019 The definitive follow-up to *Unorthodox* (the basis for the award-winning Netflix series)—now updated with more than 50 percent new material—the unforgettable story of what happened in the years after Deborah Feldman left a religious sect in Williamsburg in order to forge her own path in the world. In 2009, at the age of twenty-three, Deborah Feldman

packed up her young son and their few possessions and walked away from her insular Hasidic roots. She was determined to find a better life for herself, away from the oppression and isolation of her Satmar upbringing in Williamsburg, Brooklyn. And in *Exodus, Revisited* she delves into what happened next—taking the reader on a journey that starts with her beginning life anew as a single mother, a religious refugee, and an independent woman in search of a place and a community where she can belong. Originally published in 2014, Deborah has now revisited and significantly expanded her story, and the result is greater insight into her quest to discover herself and the true meaning of home. Travels that start with making her way in New York expand into an exploration of America and eventually lead to trips across Europe to retrace her grandmother's life during the Holocaust, before she finds a landing place in the unlikeliest of cities. *Exodus, Revisited* is a deeply moving examination of the nature of memory and generational trauma, and of reconciliation with both yourself and the world.

Fondamenti di psicologia Aug 02 2022 Storia e metodi della psicologia, rapporto tra cervello e comportamento, cosa sono e come si curano i disturbi psichici e comportamentali: una guida completa e articolata alla conoscenza della psicologia moderna, nella sua duplice, ma complementare, ramificazione in scienza dei processi cognitivi e scienza dei processi dinamici. Questa nuova edizione tiene conto dei più recenti sviluppi della ricerca psicologica in un'ottica interdisciplinare e offre un panorama articolato degli studi attuali. L'indice degli argomenti è stato arricchito dalla traduzione inglese di ciascun termine, così da facilitare la ricerca bibliografica nelle banche dati internazionali.

Encyclopaedia of Occupational Health and Safety Oct 24 2021

Child Development Jul 01 2022 Revised edition of the author's *Child development*, 6th ed., published in 2012.

Psicología de la Motivación Sep 30 2019

Theories of Personality Jun 07 2020 This revision of the Schultz's popular text surveys the field, presenting theory-by-theory coverage of the major theorists who represent the psychoanalytic, neopsychoanalytic, life-span, trait, humanistic, cognitive, behavioral, and social-learning approaches, as well as clinical and experimental work. Where warranted, the authors show how the development of certain theories was influenced by events in a theorist's personal and professional life. This thoroughly revised Seventh Edition now incorporates more examples, tables, and figures to help bring the material to life for students. The new content in this edition reflects the dynamism in the field. The text explores how race, gender, and culture issues figure in the study of personality and in personality assessment. In addition, a final integrative chapter looks at the study of personality theories and suggests conclusions that can be drawn from the many theorists' work.

Stumbling on Happiness Aug 10 2020 NATIONAL BESTSELLER • Bringing to life scientific research in psychology, cognitive neuroscience, philosophy, and behavioral economics, this witty, accessible book reveals what scientists have discovered about the uniquely human ability to imagine the future, and about our capacity to predict how much we will like it when we get there. • Why are lovers quicker to forgive their partners for infidelity than for leaving dirty dishes in the sink? • Why will sighted people pay more to avoid going blind than blind people will pay to regain their sight? • Why do dining companions insist on ordering different meals instead of getting what they really want? • Why do pigeons seem to have such excellent aim; why can't we remember one song while listening to another; and why does the line at the grocery store always slow down the moment we join it? In this brilliant, witty, and accessible book, renowned Harvard psychologist Daniel Gilbert describes the foibles of imagination and illusions of foresight that cause each of us to misconceive our tomorrows and misestimate our satisfactions. With penetrating insight and sparkling prose, Gilbert explains why we seem to know so little about the hearts and minds of the people we are about to become.

Social Psychology; Understanding Human Interaction May 07 2020

Life Span Development Jul 09 2020 Current Research and Real World Application. Updated in its second edition, *Life Span Development: A Topical Approach* maintains the student friendliness that has been the hallmark of Feldman's development texts. Rich in examples, it illustrates the applications that can be derived from the research and theory of lifespan developmentalists. The text takes a modular approach providing both readers and instructors with maximum flexibility. MyPsychLab is an integral part of the Feldman program. Key learning applications include, MyPsychLab video series, MyVirtualLife, and MyVirtualChild. Teaching & Learning Experience Personalize Learning -- MyPsychLab is an online homework, tutorial, and assessment program. It helps students prepare for class and instructor gauge individual and class performance. Improve Critical Thinking -- "Review and Apply" sections consist of short recaps of the chapters' main points, followed by questions designed to provoke critical thinking. Engage Students -- At the beginning of each chapter are Chapter Opening Prologues, a short vignette, describing an individual or situation that is relevant to the basic developmental issues being addressed in the chapter. Explore Research -- "From Research to Practice" boxes describe current developmental research or research issues applied to everyday problems. Support Instructors -- All supplements were developed around the textbook's carefully constructed learning objectives. This Book a la Carte Edition is an unbound, three-hole punched, loose-leaf version of the textbook and provides students the opportunity to personalize their book by incorporating their own notes and taking the portion of the book they need to class - all at a fraction of the bound book price.

Il Disturbo Narcisistico di Personalità: modelli teorici a confronto, diagnosi e modalità relazionale Jan 27 2022 Questo lavoro è nato con l'intento di perlustrare l'escalation teorica e clinica della progressione empirica in merito al processo evolutivo, dall'infanzia all'età adulta, germinante il narcisismo patologico. Per tale ragione sono stati messi a confronto diversi modelli teorici classici, la teoria dell'attaccamento seguita dalle implicazioni scientifiche attuali in merito allo sviluppo infantile. È stata illustrata, inoltre, la diagnosi del Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM) giunto alla sua quinta edizione e, infine, è stato delineato lo stile relazionale ravvisabile nell'assetto psicopatologico discusso. Le aree sondate attraverso un'accurata ricerca bibliografica, dunque, implicano la genesi, i fattori eziologici e gli influssi consequenziali del Disturbo Narcisistico di Personalità. Yuliya Sokolova, nata nel 1993, ha conseguito il diploma di maturità presso il Liceo Scientifico Filolao; proseguiti gli studi a Roma, si è laureata a pieni voti in Scienze e Tecniche Psicologiche. Oltre all'amore per la Psicologia, è appassionata di qualsiasi forma d'arte. Da qui è germinata l'intenzione di tentare l'integrazione delle due passioni, il cui comune denominatore è Narciso.

Manual de prácticas de Psicología Evolutiva en primer ciclo de Educación Infantil Jun 27 2019 Este manual está diseñado para ser un material de referencia para el desarrollo de los créditos prácticos de la asignatura de Psicología Evolutiva de 0 a 3 años. Su finalidad es proporcionar una guía que facilite el proceso de enseñanza-aprendizaje de los principales hitos evolutivos (físico, cognitivo, emocional, moral y social) desde el nacimiento hasta los 3 años y su implicación en el aprendizaje desde el punto de vista práctico. Su

organización detallada pretende trabajar los contenidos teóricos de la asignatura desde una perspectiva práctica mediante propuestas de trabajo innovadoras, dinámicas y actuales basadas en experiencias y casos reales.

Neuropsychology of Communication Sep 10 2020 In this volume, the communicative and neuropsychological correlates of daily interactions are discussed. The predominant account on explaining the construction of meaning by humans is the inter-relational perspective, that postulates an intentional convergence of meaning arising as a consequence of the active exchanges between people. The neural correlates of communication were illustrated in the light of new empirical results, considering the main topics of: a) language and language development; b) pragmatics and neuropragmatics of communication; c) neurocognition and the cognitive bases of intentions; d) nonverbal communication and emotion contribution to the communicative systems. New methodological approaches are considered, with particular attention to neuroimaging (such as PET and fMRI) and brain stimulation techniques (as MEG and TMS), as well as their application to the clinical field.

An Introduction to Social Psychology Apr 17 2021 "The fifth edition of this highly successful text, *An Introduction to Social Psychology* has been fully revised and updated. Accessibility for students has been improved, including better illustrations, greater use of colour and a more approachable format, as well as a wealth of online resources. Combining its traditional academic rigour with a contemporary level of cohesion, accessibility, pedagogy and instructor support, the fifth edition of *An Introduction to Social Psychology* provides the definitive treatment of social psychology"--

Mindshaping Feb 13 2021 A proposal that human social cognition would not have evolved without mechanisms and practices that shape minds in ways that make them easier to interpret. In this novel account of distinctively human social cognition, Tadeusz Zawidzki argues that the key distinction between human and nonhuman social cognition consists in our complex, diverse, and flexible capacities to shape each other's minds in ways that make them easier to interpret. Zawidzki proposes that such "mindshaping"—which takes the form of capacities and practices such as sophisticated imitation, pedagogy, conformity to norms, and narrative self-constitution—is the most important component of human social cognition. Without it, he argues, none of the other components of what he terms the "human sociocognitive syndrome," including sophisticated language, cooperation, and sophisticated "mindreading," would be possible. Challenging the dominant view that sophisticated mindreading—especially propositional attitude attribution—is the key evolutionary innovation behind distinctively human social cognition, Zawidzki contends that the capacity to attribute such mental states depends on the evolution of mindshaping practices. Propositional attitude attribution, he argues, is likely to be unreliable unless most of us are shaped to have similar kinds of propositional attitudes in similar circumstances. Motivations to mindshape, selected to make sophisticated cooperation possible, combine with low-level mindreading abilities that we share with nonhuman species to make it easier for humans to interpret and anticipate each other's behavior. Eventually, this led, in human prehistory, to the capacity to attribute full-blown propositional attitudes accurately—a capacity that is parasitic, in phylogeny and today, on prior capacities to shape minds. Bringing together findings from developmental psychology, comparative psychology, evolutionary psychology, and philosophy of psychology, Zawidzki offers a strikingly original framework for understanding human social cognition.

Computational Neuroaesthetics Sep 03 2022 Computational Neuroaesthetics is the new discipline that integrates neuromarketing, psychology and computer science to develop digital contents aligned to users' psychological characteristics, such as personality traits. Computational Neuroaesthetics is the term coined by Mattia Martone, co-founder of PXR Italy Research Center, to legitimize the birth of this innovative discipline. The book presents a structure divided into two macro-sections. The first one describes the concept of contents' aesthetics in today's digital society, characterized by the phenomena of personalization and big data, and outlines the origins of Computational Neuroaesthetics. The second macro-section illustrates the psychological approaches to contents' aesthetics. The text represents the origin of a discipline destined to enrich the world of digital marketing (and not only this field) because it provides the basis for the development of disruptive products and services.