Principles of Behavioral Genetics—Robert RH Anholt 2009-09-21 Principles of Behavioral Genetics provides an introduction to the fascinating science that aims to understand how our genes determine what makes us tick. It presents a comprehensive overview of the relationship between genes, brain, and behavior. Introductory chapters give clear explanations of basic processes of the nervous system and fundamental principles of genetics of complex traits without excessive statistical jargon. Individual chapters describe the genetics of social interactions, addiction, and taste, memory and learning, circadian behavior, locomotion, sleep, and addiction, as well as the evolution of behavior. Whereas the focus is on genetics, neurobiological and ecological aspects are also included to provide intellectual breadth. The book uses examples that span the gamut from classical model organisms to non-model systems and human biology, and includes both laboratory and field studies. Samples of historical information accentuate the text to provide the reader with an appreciation of the history of the field. This book will be a valuable resource for future generations of scientists who focus on the field of behavioral genetics. Defines the emerging science of behavioral genetics Engagingly written by two leading experts in behavioral genetics Clear explanations of basic quantitative genetic, neurogenetic and genomic applications to the study of behavior Numerous examples ranging from model organisms to non-model systems and humans Concise overviews and summaries for each chapter

Individual Differences—College, University of London 2014 06-03 A title in the modular “Principles of Psychology” series, designed for A-Level and other introductory courses. While normal individuals obviously differ from each other in various ways, psychologists have emphasized differences in intelligence and personality. This emphasis is reflected in the book, and various different views are discussed at length. Abnormality has always been a source of fascination, although it has been difficult to form a good understanding of why and how abnormality develops. Psychologists have also grappled with other complex issues, such as how to classify abnormal individuals and what forms of treatment will prove beneficial. In spite of complexities, much has been made.

Psychiatry: An evidence-based text—Basant Puri 2009-11-27 Succinct, user-friendly, thoroughly referenced and prepared by leading experts in the field, this book is the only single textbook you will need to succeed in the Royal College of Psychiatrists’ MRCPsych and other related higher examinations. Chapters follow the structure and syllabus of the examination ensuring that you receive the necessary essential information to pass and indeed succeed. Approachable and succinct text with colour illustrations and key summary points further help to clarify complex concepts and provide a thorough revision tool. Comprehensive case studies focus on key areas of psychiatry with a thorough review of case history, diagnosis, management and outcome. The book’s evidence-based approach throughout is important to help you relate theory and research to clinical practice. This book is carefully structured and sequenced to build upon the basic sciences underpinning psychiatry, through to an in-depth description of pharmacological and psychological treatments used.

Cognitive Neuroscience and Psychotherapy—Warren Tryon 2014-03-22 Cognitive Neuroscience and Psychotherapy provides a bionetwork theory unifying empirical evidence in cognitive neuroscience and psychopathology to explain how emotion, learning, and reinforcement affect personality and its extremes. The book uses the theory to explain research results in both disciplines and to predict future findings, as well as to suggest how the theory and evidence say about how we should treat disorders for maximum effectiveness. While theoretical in nature, the book has practical applications, and it brings an analytic experimental approach to proving its own theorems. The book is unapologetically physical in nature, describing everything we think and feel by way of physical mechanisms and reactions in the brain. This unique marrying of cognitive neuroscience and clinical psychology provides an opportunity to better understand both. Unifying theory for cognitive neuroscience and clinical psychology Describes the brain in physical terms via mechanistic processes Systematically uses the theory to explain empirical evidence in both disciplines Theory has practical applications for psychotherapy Ancillary material may be found at: http://booksite.elsevier.com/9780124200715 including an additional chapter and supplements

Principles of Experimental Psychology—Pron, Henri 2013-09-13 First Published in 1999, Routledge is an imprint of Taylor & Francis, an informa company.

Principles of Behavioral Neuroscience—Jon C. Horvitz 2021 "This book was conceived early one evening at an outdoor table at a restaurant near my home. Barry and I were talking about our introductory Brain-Mind courses, his at Princeton University, mine at City College of New York. He asked me which textbook I used. I told him I’d used several of the popular ones over the years. "But I have good qualities,” I said. "But in my view, they all suffer from the same problem - too much extraneous detail.” Barry felt the same way about the Biopsychology and Behavioral Neuroscience textbooks he’d used. "When chapters are loaded with so much detail, students can’t see the forest for the trees” he said. We both agreed: “Principles and key ideas first, details later”"

Perception—Paul Roakes 2006 Introduces students to the basic biological and psychological processes and their development. It discusses pattern recognition, culture and attention and includes a brief discussion of artificial intelligence.

The Routledge Guidebook to James’s Principles of Psychology—David E Leary 2018-01-17 The Routledge Guidebook to James’s Principles of Psychology is an engaging and accessible introduction to a monumental text that has influenced the development of both psychological science and philosophical pragmatism in important and lasting ways. Written for readers approaching William James’s classic work for the first time as well as for those without knowledge of its entire scope, this guidebook not only places this work within its historical context, it provides clear explications of its intertwined arguments and perspectives, and examines its relevance within today’s psychology and philosophy. Offering a close reading of this text, The Routledge Guidebook to James’s Principles of Psychology is divided into three main parts: 1. Background 2. Principles 3. Elaborations. It also includes two useful appendices that outline the sources of James’s various chapters and indicate the parallel coverages of two later texts written by James, an abbreviated version of his Principles and a psychological primer for teachers. This is essential reading for anyone who wants to understand this influential work.

Principles of Psychology—S. Marc Breedlove 2015 Organized around four well-established core principles, Principles of Psychology provides students with a framework to understand the science of behavior. Written in a conversational style, the text is organized around the following four well-established principles that serve as touchstones for the field of psychology: —The mind is a process at work in a physical machine, the brain. —We are conscious awareness of only a fraction of our mental activity. —We constantly modify our behavior, beliefs, and attitudes according to what we perceive about the people around us. —Experience physically alters the structure and function of the brain. With these four principles as a framework for the text, Principles of Psychology emphasizes that psychology is a science through discussion of relevant big-picture and proven concepts and applications. Principles of Psychology introduces students to the experimental method as well as the nature and evolution of scientific inquiry. From the applied perspective based approach used throughout is important to help you relate theory and research to clinical practice. The book requires the student to understand about the underlying mechanisms of behavior. In-Text Features —Vignette Each chapter begins with a story, an instance when behavior has a big impact on someone’s life. The chapter returns to the vignette several times as we cover findings that relate to that particular case. —Researchers at Work In every chapter, important discoveries are highlighted and illustrated to show how our understanding of phenomena and hypothesis testing has evolved. Over the course of the book, the progression of experiments provides an increasingly sharper picture of the factors shaping behavior. —Skeptic at Large Intended to sharpen the student’s critical thinking skills, these boxes explore a widespread misconception and demonstrate how scientific research disproves it. The exploration of scientific experimentation also reinforces the Researchers at Work feature. —Psychohistory in Everyday Life These are topics where knowledge of psychology might be applied to everyday life, such as understanding how being comfortable might cause you to stop eating sushi when you used to love it. —The Cutting Edge Just prior to the end of every chapter, students are introduced to cutting edge research. Showing students these vibrant and bold experiments will emphasize that psychology research remains alive and well. —Think like a Psychologist: A Principle In Action to close each chapter, each principle is related back to the vignette to show the student that when they observe an interesting behavior they can recall and apply the four principles. If they can do this, they will indeed be thinking like a psychologist.

Prosecutorial Misconduct: Law, Procedure, Forms—Joseph F. Lawless 2020-09-04 We've encountered all the practitioners of the “conviction scorecard” and regularly tred on the Bill of Rights in the name of their own ambition. The Duke Lacrosse Team case and the recently dismissed prosecution of U.S. Senator Ted Stevens are merely emblematic of the kind of prosecutorial abuses that have long plagued our system of criminal justice. In the wake of scandals such as Enron, KPMG, ImClone and WorldCom, lawmakers continue to give federal and state prosecutors expanded, unbridled power to investigate and prosecute, fueling an ecosystem that encourages prosecutorial abuse. Now, Philadelphia lawyer Joseph F. Lawless, a former Assistant District Attorney, Special Prosecutor and active criminal defense lawyer, gives you the benefit of his 32 years of experience to help protect your clients from prosecutorial misconduct with this authoritative and practical work. Considered the definitive treatise on the subject, this newest edition of Prosecutorial Misconduct provides a comprehensive and scholarly analysis of every prosecutorial abuse. From the initiation of a criminal investigation through the appeal and post-conviction stages for both federal and state jurisdictions. Unlike other works, however, Prosecutorial Misconduct also provides the defense bar with proven battle plans. Included in this edition is a complete collection of motions, briefs and arguments from actual cases handled by noted defense lawyers such as David Kendall, Gerry Spence, Billy Martin, James Bronahan, John Cline, Michael Tigar and Joe Lawless, as well as • the Clinton-Lewinsky grand jury probe; • the Wen Ho Lee espionage prosecution; • the prosecution of “American Tailcoat” John Philip Walker Lindh, • the Oklahoma City Bombing trial, United States v. Terry Lynn Nichols; • the “Buddhist Temple” fundraising case, United States v. Maria Hsia; • the Linda Tripp wiretap investigation; • the Doug Gilliam NIL, extortion and fraud case; • the Duke Lacrosse Team case; • the Ralph Backus wiretapping case. —the Doug Gilliam NIL, extortion and fraud case; • the Dingell family; • the Principals of Federal Prosecution for Business Organizations; • the White Collar Crime Penalty Enhancement Act. Prosecutorial Misconduct sets out innovative, aggressive strategies developed in the crossfire of the courtroom by accomplished, successful defense lawyers, and is a must for every defense lawyer’s library.
Introduction to Biopsychology - Andrew Wickens 2009
This textbook offers an engaging introduction to biopsychology for undergraduate students. Assuming no background knowledge in biology or psychology, the text relates examples to clinical conditions or treatments, allowing students to fully understand the relevance of the subject to other areas of psychology.

Principles of Behavioral Neuroscience - Jon C. Horvitz 2021-12-31
How does brain activity give rise to sleep, dreams, learning, memory, and language? Do drugs like cocaine and heroin tap into the same biochemical systems that evolved for life's natural rewards? What are the powerful new tools of molecular biology that are revolutionizing neuroscience? This undergraduate textbook explores the relation between brain, mind, and behavior. It clears away the extraneous detail that so often impedes learning, and describes critical concepts step by step, in straightforward language. Rich illustrations and thought-provoking review questions further illuminate the relations between biological, behavioral, and mental phenomena. The discipline of psychology provides an important perspective to the study of eating, given the remarkable Argentine context led science—as well as the interaction between science, popular culture, and public policy—in Argentina. Darwinism reveals a great deal about both Darwinism and science in general. Novel in its approach and its analogy and metaphor are culturally situated, and by studying scientific activity at Europe's geographical and cultural crossroads, analogies assume unfamiliar and sometimes startling guises in Argentina. The transformation of these analogies in the Argentine context provides a revealing case study of the way in which scientific ideas are shaped by cultural context.

The Biology of Psychological Disorders - David Linden 2018-11-21
This textbook introduces the reader to some of the most common psychological disorders, from schizophrenia, depression and substance abuse to disorders of childhood, adolescence and ageing. Coverage of these disorders is combined with a comprehensive grounding in the fundamentals of neurobiology and the principles of psychopharmacology that underpin their treatment. Written by David Linden, Scientific Director at the School of Mental Health and Neuroscience at Maastricht University, the Biology of Psychological Disorders sits at the intersection psychology, psychiatry, biology and neuroscience. Aimed primarily at undergraduate psychology students, it is also of relevance to trainee psychiatrists and clinicians. New to this Edition: - Two completely new chapters on the immune system and mental health, and on environmental influences on brain development - Incorporates recent advances in genetics and psychopharmacology - Updated chapters in accordance with the DSM-5 - Discusses biological aspects of psychological interventions and psychological disease models - Suitable for neuroscience curriculum for trainee psychiatrists - New 'controversies' feature that promotes critical thinking skills by exploring the validity of disease concepts and evidence bases

Learning - Stephen B. Klein 2008-08-01
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Psychology 2e - Rose M. Spielman 2020-04-22
Learning and performance Identifies 50 foundational principles relating to motivation Provides research evidence from the disciplines of psychology, education, business, athletics, and neurology. Using a highly applied and conversational style, the book is designed to inform the reader about how to diagnose, analyze, and mediate learning and performance challenges influenced by motivation. The book features chapters on the psychology of motivation, how motivation changes across the lifespan, and the important influence of culture on motivated behavior. Three chapters are devoted to practical strategies and the implementation of motivational interventions. Special sections are included on enhancing motivation at work, in the classroom, in competitive environments, and during online education. Hoffmeyer's innovative approach of using his interviews with 'real' people including many notable personalities across diverse cultures and disciplines to illustrate motivated behavior. For example, readers will learn what motivated the colonial investment fraud mastermind Berner Madoff, the glamorous former CEO of NFL superstar Nick Lowery when he missed a field goal, and the joys and tribulations of Emmy-nominated 'Curb your Enthusiasm!' actress Cheryl Hines. The book provides a practical, applied, and multi-disciplinary resource for anyone interested in motivation and performance, but especially for university students at the graduate or undergraduate level studying education, psychology, business, leadership, hospitality, sports management, or military science. Additionally, the writing style and eclectic nature of the text will appeal to readers of non-fiction who can use the book to gain self-awareness to enhance performance of themselves or others. Considers motivation for both learning and performance identifies 50 foundational principles relating to motivation Provides research evidence supporting the foundational principles Includes interviews from famous individuals, identifying what motivated them and why Includes research from psychology, education, neuroscience, business, and sports

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Principles of Neuropsychology - Eric Zillmer 2008
Focusing on applied and clinical examples, the Second Edition of PRINCIPLES OF NEUROPSYCHOLOGY is an exciting and dynamic approach to neuropsychology that should inspire both students and teachers. This progressive and accessible text teaches brain function in a clear and interesting manner by providing the most recent studies and research available in this ever-developing field. Applying the underlying concepts in daily life, whether adaptive or maladaptive, can be explained neuropsychologically, the authors emphasize five specific ideas: human neuropsychology—both experimental and clinical, integration of theory and research, coverage of the relationship between neuroscience and behavioral function, real-life examples, and the presentation of didactic aids. Integrating these themes with the most up-to-date research provides all readers—whether or not they have had previous exposure to the field—with the most current and accessible text available.

Principles of Biopsychology - Stephen B. Klein 2008-08-01
This textbook offers an engaging introduction to biopsychology for undergraduate students. Assuming no background knowledge in biology or psychology, the text relates examples to clinical conditions or treatments, allowing students to fully understand the relevance of the subject to other areas of psychology.

A Guide to the Psychology of Eating - Jeffrey R. Claiborn 2018-03-22
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Essential Behaviour Analysis Julian Leslie 2015-10-15 Since the so-called ‘cognitive revolution’ in psychology in the 1960s, it has often been said that ‘behaviourism is dead’. This book demonstrates why this is not the case and how the behavioural approach has continued to flourish. Leslie begins by summarising the behavioural approach to psychology and shows how it differs from other contemporary and cognitive approaches. The basic principles of the discipline are outlined and linked to major areas of interest and importance, such as behavioural neuroscience, resolution of human behavioural problems, and human language and cognition. Behaviour analysis is thus shown to contribute to our developing understanding of the relationship between brain systems and psychological problems, to provide an effective and scientifically based approach to human behavioural problems and to deal with topics central to modern psychology.

Biological Psychology Paul Aleixo 2008-06-03 "This fantastic introduction to Biological Psychology brings the subject to life in a way that no traditional textbook can. I will certainly be recommending it." Brian Wink, Southampton Solent University "My first reaction was that it was both imaginative and courageous. Having read it, I would add that it also makes a significant contribution to the available texts on biological psychology. This approach is just what students are looking for." Graham Mitchell, University of Northampton Taking a refreshingly innovative approach to the subject, Biological Psychology: An Illustrated Survival Guide uses cartoons as an effective teaching medium. Each chapter is organised into a mini lecture, and offers an accessible introduction to key topics including: The brain and nervous system Vision and audition The mechanical and chemical senses Emotions and sexual behaviour Memory and learning Intended to complement traditional textbooks in the area, Biological Psychology: An Illustrated Survival Guide provides undergraduate and ‘A’ level students with an alternative introduction to biological psychology and an invaluable study aid.

Understanding Biological Psychology Philip Corr 2006-10-02 Understanding Biological Psychology is an accessible and distinctive new core textbook that helps students to appreciate the central role that biological processes play in psychology. gives conceptual clarity to a complex and often confusing field; innovative integration of theory and methods; covers a core area of the undergraduate syllabus; accessible, student-friendly text; synthesizes biological processes with mainstream psychological topics to make the subject both interesting and accessible; focuses on what biological psychology is for, rather than treating it as an end in itself; provides basic introductions to biological principles and applications; covers recent advances, such as neuroimaging and molecular genetics. Upon publication, the textbook will be supported by an accompanying website containing a multiple choice testbank, weblinks, electronic versions of figures, and other additional resources. Visit www.blackwellpublishing.com/corr for more information.
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