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emotions are powerful feelings that we don't always understand learn how and why humans experience emotions this title supports ngss from molecules to organisms structures and processes

find out about human emotions what causes them and the body parts that are associated with different emotions

presenting a unified view of the emotions in the social universe in this volume turner explores the relationships between emotions social structure and culture and hypotheses how social structure and culture affect emotional arousal in humans and vice versa

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language and culture are often seen as unique characteristics of human beings in this book the author argues that our ability to use a wide array of emotions evolved long before spoken language and in fact constituted a preadaptation for the speech and culture that developed among later hominids long before humans could speak with words they communicated through body language their emotional dispositions and it is the neurological wiring of the brain for these emotional languages that represented the key evolutionary breakthrough for our species how did natural selection work on the basic ape anatomy and neuroanatomy to create the hominid line the author suggests that what distinguished our ancestors from other apes was the development of an increased capacity for sociality and organization crucial for survival on the african savanna all apes display a propensity for weak ties individualism mobility and autonomy that was and is today useful in arboreal and woodland habitats but served them poorly when our ancestors began to move onto the african plain during the late miocene the challenge for natural selection was to enhance traits in the species that would foster the social ties necessary for survival in the new environment the author suggests that the result was a development of certain areas of the primate brain that encouraged strong emotional ties allowing our ancestors to build higher levels of social solidarity our basic neurological wiring continues to reflect this adaptive development from a sociological perspective that is informed by evolutionary biology primatology and neurology the book examines the current neurological bases of our emotional repertoire and their implications for our social actions

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in this sophisticated overview of human emotions a widely respected psychologist and author addresses the ambiguities and embraces the controversies that surround this intriguing subject an insightful and lucid thinker jerome kagan examines what exactly we do know about emotions which popular assumptions about emotions are incorrect and how scientific study must proceed if we are to uncover the answers to persistent and evasive questions about emotions integrating the findings of anthropological psychological and biological studies in his wide ranging discussion kagan explores the evidence for great variation in the frequency and intensity of emotion among different cultures he also discusses variations among individuals within the same culture and the influences of gender class ethnicity and temperament on a person s emotional patina in his closing chapter the author proposes that three sources of evidence verbal descriptions of feelings behaviours and measures of brain states provide legitimate but different definitions of emotion translating data from one of these sources to another may not be possible kagan warns and those who study emotions must accept at least for now that their understanding is limited to and by the domain of their information

human emotions a reader brings together a collection of articles which give an approach to the fast growing field of empirical and theoretical research on emotions the volume includes classic writings from darwin james and freud chosen to show their current significance together with articles from contemporary research literature the articles give a broad coverage of the subject and include selections from cross cultural biological social developmental and clinical areas of study human emotions a reader begins with an overall introduction to both the volume and subject area by the editors each of the six sections of the book and each article are introduced contextualizing and relating these articles to comparable research the volume is organized to correspond with the structure and coverage of understanding emotions written by keith oatley and jennifer m jenkins also published by blackwell it can also be used independently allowing instructors to teach courses on emotions with their own emphases and giving students access to a range of primary source material in this thought provoking field

a sweeping exploration of the ways in which emotions shaped the course of human history and how our experience and understanding of emotions have evolved along with us eye opening and thought provoking gina rippon author of the gendered brain we humans like to think of ourselves as rational creatures who as a species have relied on calculation and intellect to survive but many of the most important moments in our history had little to do with cold hard facts and a lot to do with feelings events ranging from the origins of philosophy to the birth of the world's major religions the fall of rome the scientific revolution and some of the bloodiest wars that humanity has ever experienced can't be properly understood without understanding emotions drawing on psychology neuroscience philosophy art and religious history richard firth godbehere takes readers on a fascinating and wide ranging tour of the central and often under appreciated role emotions have played in human societies around the world and throughout history from ancient greece to gambia japan the ottoman empire the united states and beyond a human history of emotion vividly illustrates how our understanding and experience of emotions has changed over time and how our beliefs about feelings and our feelings themselves profoundly shaped us and the world we inhabit

there are profound extensive and surprising universals in literature which are bound up with universals in emotion hogan maintains that debates over the cultural specificity of emotion are misdirected because they have ignored a vast body of data that bear directly on the way different cultures imagine and experience emotion literature this is the first empirically and cognitively based discussion of narrative universals professor hogan argues that to a remarkable degree the stories people admire in different cultures follow a limited number of patterns and that these patterns are determined by cross culturally constant ideas about emotion in formulating his argument professor hogan draws on his extensive reading in world literature experimental research treating emotion and emotion concepts and methodological principles from the contemporary linguistics and the philosophy of science he concludes with a discussion of the relations among narrative emotion concepts and the biological and social components of emotion

this book takes a multidisciplinary approach to emotion with contributions from biologists psychologists neuroscientists robot engineers and artists a wide range of emotional phenomena is discussed including the notion that humans sophisticated sensibility as evidenced by our aesthetic appreciation of the arts is based at least in part on a basic emotional sensibility that is found in young children and perhaps even some non human animal species as a result this book comprises a unique comparative perspective on the study of emotion a number of chapters consider

emotions in a variety of animal groups including fish birds and mammals other chapters expand the scope of the book to humans and robots specific topics covered in these chapters run the gamut from lower level emotional activity such as emotional expression to higher level emotional activity such as altruism love and aesthetics taken as a whole the book presents manifold perspectives on emotion and provides a solid foundation for future multidisciplinary research on the nature of emotions

the study of the evolution of emotions dates back to the 19th century and has come to be known as sensusology evolution and natural selection has been applied to the study of human communication mainly by charles darwin in his 1872 work the expression of the emotions in man and animals darwin researched the expression of emotions in an effort to support his theory of evolution he proposed that much like other traits found in animals emotions also evolved and were adapted over time his work looked at not only facial expressions in animals and specifically humans but attempted to point out parallels between behaviors in humans and other animals according to modern evolutionary theory different emotions evolved at different times primal emotions such as fear are associated with ancient parts of the brain and presumably evolved among our premammal ancestors filial emotions such as a human mother s love for her offspring seem to have evolved among early mammals social emotions such as guilt and pride evolved among social primates sometimes a more recently evolved part of the brain moderates an older part of the brain such as when the cortex moderates the amygdala s fear response evolutionary psychologists consider human emotions to be best adapted to the life our ancestors led in nomadic foraging bands

there is no life without emotion our emotions are as real as anything about us this is a truth to which each of us can testify from our own lives is anything more real than fear hope joy anger despair love but what are they they affect us but how do they do this what are they for emotions are not objects we can t put anger on a slide and examine it under a microscope we are unable to grow a culture of joy in a petri dish of chicken broth we cannot determine the chemical formula of despair we can t measure the protein content of jealousy or isolate the dna of love but we can learn about the nature function and performance of emotions what they are and what they are not and how we as individual human beings can exert some measure of influence over our own emotion experiences life is all about emotions positive versus negative human versus non human false versus real here you will learn about yourself and what makes you tick an emotional journey you ll soon discover is worth the taking about the author david scruton is a professor emeritus of anthropology who taught for thirty five years he has been engaged in academic writing for the past fifty years and is the author of sociophobics the anthropology of fear scruton who makes his home in golden colorado is currently engaged in a work of fiction which he describes as a romantic thriller publisher s website strategicpublishinggroup com title feelings ananthropologistlooksathumanemotions htm

this book is about the philosophical historical and interpretative aspects of mencius it explores his influence reception and relevance in china from the third century bce to the present as well as offers comparative studies of mencius and major figures in the history of chinese and western philosophy with 34 accessible articles written by leading philosophers and scholars the dao companion to the philosophy of mencius provides both broad pictures and in depth discussions regarding the work of one of the most important and influential chinese philosophers it covers his normative ethics meta ethics political philosophy epistemology and moral psychology the last section of the volume mencius and western philosophers comparative perspectives

explicitly puts him in dialogue with major western philosophers the dao companion to the philosophy of mencius serves as an essential volume for college students graduate students and scholars who study and teach mencius as well as chinese philosophy and comparative philosophy in general

emotions are a part of personality and essential to all human relationships but how well do we understand what they really are what are the processes by which they occur and influence us how do they affect the way we perceive and interact with the world in the psychology of emotions author carroll e izard provides a timely overview that focuses on the relevance of emotions to our daily lives as he addresses these and other fundamental questions on the activation expression experience and functions of emotions

discovering the meaning and functioning of emotions has never been so simple in this volume we review the main currents of thought regarding the psychology of human emotions from the theories of early scholars such as those of james and cannon to the most recent discoveries of psychobiology the second part of the volume is dedicated to the issues of basic emotions emotional intelligence and emotional development the guide is based on a simple fast and essential discursive style the book ends with a small self assessment test that allows the reader to review and fix the main concepts forget the thousands of pages long or prohibitively expensive psychology manuals and start exploring how your mind works through a series of guides at unbeatable prices the collection psychology made simple is a collection of simple clear and ready to use texts dedicated to the functioning of the human mind whose lowest common denominator is the practicality and immediacy of its contents from work contexts to family life from relationships with others in search of a personal balance everyone will be able to find answers and satisfy their desire to know without trespassing into more complex treatments than necessary

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