Social Psychology Comprehensive Examination List

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BACKGROUND AND HISTORY


THEORETICAL PERSPECTIVES

Symbolic Interactionism


**Variants and Extensions**


**Rational Choice and Social Exchange Theories**


**Group Processes, Expectation States, and Social Identity Theory**


**Social Structure and Personality**


**Post-Structuralism, Post-Modernism, Cultural Sociology, and Alternative Perspectives**


SELECTED TOPICS IN SOCIOLOGICAL SOCIAL PSYCHOLOGY

Mental Health and Stress


Wheaton, Blair. 2001. “The Role of Sociology in the Study of Mental Health...and the Role of Mental Health in the Study of Sociology.” Journal of Health and Social Behavior 42:221-34.


Paid and Unpaid Work


Race, Ethnicity, Stigma, and Intergroup Relations


Lamont, Michele, and Nissim Mizrachi (Eds.), 2012. Responses to Stigmatization in Comparative Perspective. Routledge, New York.


