

PSYB30S: Theories of Personality  
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Grading scheme: a midterm (40% of grade) and a final exam (60%).

Readings: Kukla (ed.), Readings in Personality Theory [RPT].

Freud, Two Short Accounts of Psychoanalysis/

Freud, Introductory Lectures on Psychoanalysis, vol. 1.

Weeks 1-2. Methods of theoretical analysis.

Kukla, Methods of Theoretical Psychology [RPT1]

Kukla, Nonempirical issues in psychology [RPT2]

Weeks 3-4. Dualism and introspective psychology.

Descartes, Meditations 1, 2, and 6 [RPT3]

Titchener, A Text-book of Psychology (chapter 1). [RPT 4]

Kohler, Gestalt Psychology (chapter 3). [RPT5]

Week 5. Psychoanalysis I.

Freud, Introductory Lectures on Psychoanalysis, vol. 1 (Part I).

Freud, Two Short Accounts of Psycho-analysis (The Question of Lay Analysis).

Week 6. Midterm exam.

Week 7. Psychoanalysis II.

Freud, Introductory Lectures on Psychoanalysis, vol. 1 (Part II).

Weeks 8-9. Behavioral Psychology.

Watson, Psychology as the Behaviorist Views It. [RPT6]

Kohler, Gestalt Psychology (Chapter 1). [RPT7]

Hempel, The Logical Analysis of Psychology. [RPT8]

Putnam, H. Brains and Behavior. [RPT9]

Skinner, Science and human behavior (selections). [RPT10]

Chomsky, A Review of B. F. Skinner's Verbal behavior. [RPT11]

Weeks 10-11-12. Cognitive Psychology and Artificial Intelligence

Fodor, The Mind-Body Problem. [RPT12]

Turing, Computing Machinery and Intelligence. [RPT13]

Dennett, Artificial Intelligence as Philosophy and as Psychology. [RPT14]

Newell & Simon, Computer Science as Empirical Inquiry. [RPT15]

Searle, Minds, Brains, and Programs. [RPT16]

Week 13. The Problem of Consciousness.

Nagel, What Is It Like to Be a Bat? [RPT17]