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Consciousness Explained

2017-02-07

brilliant as audacious as its title mr dennett s exposition is nothing short of brilliant george johnson new york times book review consciousness explained is a a full scale exploration of human consciousness in this landmark book daniel dennett refutes the traditional commonsense theory of consciousness and presents a new model based on a wealth of information from the fields of neuroscience psychology and artificial intelligence our current theories about conscious life of people animal even robots are transformed by the new perspectives found in this book

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From Bacteria to Bach and Back

2017-02-21

required reading for anyone remotely curious about how they came to be remotely curious observer enthralling spectator what is human consciousness and how is it possible these questions fascinate thinking people from poets and painters to physicists psychologists and philosophers this is daniel c dennett s brilliant answer extending perspectives from his earlier work in surprising directions exploring the deep interactions of evolution brains and human culture part philosophical whodunnit part bold scientific conjecture this landmark work enlarges themes that have sustained dennett s career at the forefront of philosophical thought in his inimitable style laced with wit and thought experiments dennett shows how culture enables reflection by installing a profusion of thinking tools or memes in our brains and how language turbocharges this process the result a mind that can comprehend the questions it poses has emerged from a process of cultural evolution an agenda setting book for a new generation of philosophers and thinkers from bacteria to bach and back is essential for anyone who hopes to understand human

creativity in all its applications

Freedom Evolves

2004-01-27

can there be freedom and free will in a deterministic world renowned philosopher daniel dennett emphatically answers yes using an array of provocative formulations dennett sets out to show how we alone among the animals have evolved minds that give us free will and morality weaving a richly detailed narrative dennett explains in a series of strikingly original arguments drawing upon evolutionary biology cognitive neuroscience economics and philosophy that far from being an enemy of traditional explorations of freedom morality and meaning the evolutionary perspective can be an indispensable ally in freedom evolves dennett seeks to place ethics on the foundation it deserves a realistic naturalistic potentially unified vision of our place in nature

Sweet Dreams

2006-09-08

in the years since daniel dennett s influential consciousness explained was published in 1991 scientific research on consciousness has been a hotly contested battleground of rival theories so rambunctious dennett observes that several people are writing books just about the tumult with sweet dreams dennett returns to the subject for revision and renewal of his theory of consciousness taking into account major empirical advances in the field since 1991 as well as recent theoretical challenges in consciousness explained dennett proposed to replace the ubiquitous but bankrupt cartesian theater model

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Intuition Pumps and Other Tools for Thinking

2014-05-05

the philosophy professor behind breaking the spell and consciousness explained offers exercises and tools to stretch the mind offering new ways to consider discuss and argue positions on dangerous subject matter including evolution the meaning of life and free will

Content and Consciousness

2010-04-05

content and consciousness is an original and ground breaking attempt to elucidate a problem integral to the history of western philosophical thought the relationship of the mind and body in this formative work dennett sought to develop a theory of the human mind and consciousness based on new and challenging advances in the field that came to be known as cognitive science this important and illuminating work is widely regarded as the book from which all of dennett s future ideas developed it is his first explosive rebuttal of cartesian dualism and one of the founding texts of philosophy of mind

The Mystery of Consciousness

1997

what started as a two part essay in the new york review of books this work discusses well known thinkers such as francis crick gerald edelman roger penrose daniel dennett israel rosenfeld and david chalmers

Breaking the Spell

2007-03-29

few forces in the world are as potent as religion it comforts people in their suffering and inspires them to both magnificent and terrible deeds in this provocative and timely book daniel c dennett seeks to uncover the origins of religion and discusses how and why different faiths have shaped so many lives whether religion is an addiction or a genuine human need and even

whether it is good for our health arguing passionately for the need to understand this multifaceted phenomenon breaking the spell offers a truly original and comprehensive explanation for faith

Darwin's Dangerous Idea

2014-07-01

in a book that is both groundbreaking and accessible daniel c dennett whom chet raymo of the boston globe calls one of the most provocative thinkers on the planet focuses his unerringly logical mind on the theory of natural selection showing how darwin s great idea transforms and illuminates our traditional view of humanity s place in the universe dennett vividly describes the theory itself and then extends darwin s vision with impeccable arguments to their often surprising conclusions challenging the views of some of the most famous scientists of our day

Brainstorms

1981

this collection of 17 essays by the author offers a comprehensive theory of mind encompassing traditional issues of consciousness and free will using careful arguments and ingenious thought experiments the author exposes familiar preconceptions and hobbling institutions this collection of 17 essays by the author offers a comprehensive theory of mind encompassing traditional issues of consciousness and free will using careful arguments and ingenious thought experiments the author exposes familiar preconceptions and hobbling institutions the essays are grouped into four sections intentional explanation and attributions of mentality the nature of theory in psychology objects of

consciousness and the nature of experience and free will and personhood

Elbow Room, new edition

2015-08-07

a landmark book in the debate over free will that makes the case for compatibilism in this landmark 1984 work on free will daniel dennett makes a case for compatibilism his aim as he writes in the preface to this new edition was a cleanup job saving everything that mattered about the everyday concept of free will while jettisoning the impediments in elbow room dennett argues that the varieties of free will worth wanting those that underwrite moral and artistic responsibility are not threatened by advances in science but distinguished explained and justified in detail dennett tackles the question of free will in a highly original and witty manner drawing on the theories and concepts of fields that range from physics and evolutionary biology to engineering automata theory and artificial intelligence he shows how the classical formulations of the problem in philosophy depend on misuses of imagination and he disentangles the philosophical problems of real interest from the family of anxieties in which they are often enmeshed imaginary agents and bogeymen including the peremptory puppeteer the nefarious neurosurgeon and the cosmic child whose dolls we are putting sociobiology in its rightful place he concludes that we can have free will and science too he explores reason control and self control the meaning of can and could have done otherwise responsibility and punishment and why we would want free will in the first place a fresh reading of dennett s book shows how much it can still contribute to current discussions of free will this edition includes as its afterword dennett s 2012 erasmus prize essay

Gender Mosaic

2019-09-17

this timely manifesto calls for a future free from gender based assumptions about human potential written by the internationally renowned neuroscientist whose game changing research debunks the myth of male and female brains for generations we ve been taught that women and men differ in profound ways women are supposedly more sensitive and cooperative whereas men are more aggressive and sexual because this or that region in the brains of women is larger or smaller than in the brains of men or because they have more or less of this or that hormone this story seems to provide us with a neat biological explanation for much of what we encounter in day to day life it s even sometimes used to explain why for example most teachers are women and most engineers are men but is it true using the ground breaking results from her own lab and from other recent studies neuroscientist daphna joel shows that it is not instead argues joel every brain and every human being is a mosaic or mixture of female and male characteristics with urgent practical implications for the world around us this is a fascinating look at gender how it works its history and its future and a sorely needed investigation into the false basis of our most fundamental beliefs perfect for readers of mary beard s women power cordelia fine s testosterone rex chimamanda ngozi adichie s we should all be feminists and gina rippon s the gendered brain brilliantly accessible gender mosaic takes you on a fascinating scientific journey that will transform how you think about sex gender and the brain cordelia fine author of testosterone rex a power packed manifesto that envisions what our world might look like if we let go of tired gender stereotypes sarah richardson author of sex itself gender mosaic is the book i ve been waiting for enlightening funny and never dogmatic joel plumbs the science offering great insights into how moving

beyond that stale story of the male and female brain could improve medicine education careers and relationships rebecca jordan young author of brain storm joel and vikhanski offer a fascinating glimpse of what s possible when we liberate ourselves from the myth of pink and blue brains lise eliot phd professor of neuroscience rosalind franklin university of medicine and science this is a fantastic book it is one of the best books about sex gender biology and the brain and the social implications of these issues that i have ever read the writing is clear captivating and concise and the content is groundbreaking this is a visionary and brave book rebecca s bigler professor emeritx of psychology university of texas at austin

Kinds Of Minds

2013-12-31

daniel dennett examines the different elements that make up what we call minds what kinds of minds are there and how do we know the first question is about what exists and the second is about our knowledge the aim of kinds of minds is to answer these questions in general outline and to show why these two questions have to be answered together what exists is one thing what we can know about is something else but we know enough about minds dennett argues to know that one of the things that makes them different from everything else in the universe is the way we know about them

I've Been Thinking

2023-10-03

one of today s most readable intellectually nimble and scientifically literate philosophers nature who would have

guessed that a philosopher's life could be so full of adventures
daniel c dennett philosopher and cognitive scientist has spent his
career considering consciousness i've been thinking traces the
development of dennett's own intellect and instructs us how we
too can become good thinkers dennett's restless curiosity leads
him from his childhood in beirut to harvard and from parisian jazz
clubs to tillosophy on his tractor in maine along the way he
encounters and debates with a host of legendary thinkers and
reveals the breakthroughs and misjudgments that shaped his
paradigm shifting philosophies thinking dennett argues is hard
and risky in fact all good philosophical thinking is inevitably
accompanied by bafflement frustration and self doubt it is only in
getting it wrong that we very occasionally find a way to get it
right this memoir by one of the greatest philosophers of our time
will speak to anyone who seeks a life of the mind with adventure
and creativity

Dennett's Philosophy

2000

these essays which grew out of a conference attended by dennett
consider evolution intentionality consciousness ontology and
ethics and free will

Soul Dust

2012-11-11

a radically new view of the nature and purpose of consciousness
how is consciousness possible what biological purpose does it
serve and why do we value it so highly in soul dust the
psychologist nicholas humphrey a leading figure in consciousness
research proposes a startling new theory consciousness he argues

is nothing less than a magical mystery show that we stage for ourselves inside our own heads this self made show lights up the world for us and makes us feel special and transcendent thus consciousness paves the way for spirituality and allows us as human beings to reap the rewards and anxieties of living in what humphrey calls the soul niche tightly argued intellectually gripping and a joy to read soul dust provides answers to the deepest questions it shows how the problem of consciousness merges with questions that obsess us all how life should be lived and the fear of death resting firmly on neuroscience and evolutionary theory and drawing a wealth of insights from philosophy and literature soul dust is an uncompromising yet life affirming work one that never loses sight of the majesty and wonder of consciousness

Brainchildren

1998-02-17

a new collection of wide ranging essays from one of cognitive science s most distinguished figures minds are complex artifacts partly biological and partly social only a unified multidisciplinary approach will yield a realistic theory of how they came into existence and how they work one of the foremost workers in this multidisciplinary field is daniel dennett this book brings together his essays on the philosophy of mind artificial intelligence and cognitive ethology that appeared in inaccessible journals from 1984 to 1996 highlights include can machines think the unimagined preposterousness of zombies artificial life as philosophy and animal consciousness what matters and why collected in a single volume the essays are now available to a wider audience

Daniel (Everyday Bible Commentary series)

2018-06-05

we love the stories of courage and faith in daniel but the prophecy in the second half of the book can befuddle us what we need is a guide someone who can paint a picture of the historical background that brings the stories in daniel to life and who can explain all the prophetic symbolism clearly and simply this is what the best preachers do but you don t have to wait until sunday s sermon encounter the beautiful depth of daniel through an enlightening verse by verse commentary from john c whitcomb that s both straightforward and insightful you ll gain important historical background insights from the original languages explanations of prophetic symbols and more you don t have to go to seminary to encounter god in exciting new ways through his word discover how much more enjoyable your personal study will be with understandable quality bible commentary for everyday life

Daniel Explained

2014-05-01

this commentary on the book of daniel one of the most extensively researched ever written offers vital information to every reader for unbelievers it amasses compelling evidence that the book is an authentic writing of daniel the great jewish statesman who lived in the 6th century bc it shows also that his book accurately predicts jewish experience during the next several centuries it fully explains the riddle of the 69 weeks the prophecy foretelling when jesus would come the solution presented here is the first to

prove by correct dates and calculations that the prophecy was exactly fulfilled it is also the first to let scripture itself identify the events framing the interval conclusion the book of daniel is divinely inspired for believers in its analysis of nebuchadnezzar's dream image it is the first to establish conclusively what the feet represent the feet a picture of the final great empire before jesus returns are the united nations and the toes are the ten regional governments now embracing virtually all nations of the world conclusion jesus return is drawing near for those alive during the tribulation it revives and defends the ancient view of the church that the antichrist will come from syro iraq it demonstrates that soon after the tribulation begins egypt will attack syria it sketches out the other horrific opening events of the tribulation conclusion you dare not miss the rapture

Just Deserts

2021-01-14

the concept of free will is profoundly important to our self understanding our interpersonal relationships and our moral and legal practices if it turns out that no one is ever free and morally responsible what would that mean for society morality meaning and the law just deserts brings together two philosophers daniel c dennett and gregg d caruso to debate their respective views on free will moral responsibility and legal punishment in three extended conversations dennett and caruso present their arguments for and against the existence of free will and debate their implications dennett argues that the kind of free will required for moral responsibility is compatible with determinism for him self control is key we are not responsible for becoming responsible but are responsible for staying responsible for keeping would be puppeteers at bay caruso takes the opposite view arguing that who we are and what we do is ultimately the

result of factors beyond our control and because of this we are never morally responsible for our actions in the sense that would make us truly deserving of blame and praise punishment and reward just deserts introduces the concepts central to the debate about free will and moral responsibility by way of an entertaining rigorous and sometimes heated philosophical dialogue between two leading thinkers

Daniel: Practical Living in the Judgment Hour

2019-08-13

the book of daniel has always been at the heart of studies on bible prophecy for god's people the name daniel itself means god is my judge living in the judgment hour naturally draws students of prophecy to a book about the judgment we live at a time when we need to draw closer to christ more than ever e.g. white commented those who eat the flesh and drink the blood of the son of god will bring from the books of daniel and revelation truth that is inspired by the holy spirit while digging deeper into the prophecies of daniel it is amazing to see the practicality of christian living in this apocalyptic book in each chapter the author norman mcnulty brings out the practical message of daniel for god's people living in these last days in addition to digging deeper into the apocalyptic passages

Caught in the Pulpit

2015-05-01

what is it like to be a preacher or rabbi who no longer believes in god in this expanded and updated edition of their groundbreaking

study daniel c dennett and linda lascola comprehensively and sensitively expose an inconvenient truth that religious institutions face in the new transparency of the information age the phenomenon of clergy who no longer believe what they publicly preach in confidential interviews clergy from across the ministerial spectrum from liberal to literal reveal how their lives of religious service and study have led them to a truth inimical to their professed beliefs and profession although their personal stories are as varied as the denominations they once represented or continue to represent whether catholic baptist episcopalian methodist mormon pentecostal or any of numerous others they give voice not only to their own struggles but also to those who similarly suffer in tender and lonely silence as this study poignantly and vividly reveals their common journey has far reaching implications not only for their families their congregations and their communities but also for the very future of religion

Inside Jokes

2013-02-08

an evolutionary and cognitive account of the science behind why we crack up one of the most complex and sophisticated humor theories ever presented evolutionary psychology some things are funny jokes puns sitcoms charlie chaplin the far side malvolio with his yellow garters crossed but why why does humor exist in the first place why do we spend so much of our time passing on amusing anecdotes making wisecracks watching the simpsons in inside jokes matthew hurley daniel dennett and reginald adams offer an evolutionary and cognitive perspective humor they propose evolved out of a computational problem that arose when our long ago ancestors were furnished with open ended thinking mother nature aka natural selection cannot just order the brain to

find and fix all our time pressured misleaps and near misses she has to bribe the brain with pleasure so we find them funny this wired in source of pleasure has been tickled relentlessly by humorists over the centuries and we have become addicted to the endogenous mind candy that is humor

The Philosophy of Daniel Dennett

2017-12-26

daniel c dennett began publishing innovative philosophical research in the late 1960s and he has continued to do so for the past 45 years he has addressed questions about the nature of mind and consciousness the possibility of freedom and the significance of evolution to addressing questions across the cognitive biological and social sciences the philosophy of daniel dennett explores the intellectual significance of this research project bringing together the insights of eleven researchers who are currently working on themes that are relevant to dennett s philosophical worldview some of the contributions address interpretive issues within dennett s corpus and aim to bring increased clarity to dennett s project others report novel empirical data at least in part in the service of fleshing out dennett s claims some of them provide a fresh take on a dennettian theme and others extend his views in novel directions like dennett s own work these papers draw on a wide range of different methodologies from appeals to intuition pumps and scientific data to turning the knobs on a theory to see what it can do but each of them aims to be readable and approachable and as a whole the volume provides a critical and constructive overview of dennett s stance based methodology as well as explorations of his claims about mental representation consciousness cultural evolution and religion

Breaking the Spell

2006-02-02

the new york times bestseller a crystal clear constantly engaging jared diamond exploration of the role that religious belief plays in our lives and our interactions for all the thousands of books that have been written about religion few until this one have attempted to examine it scientifically to ask why and how it has shaped so many lives so strongly is religion a product of blind evolutionary instinct or rational choice is it truly the best way to live a moral life ranging through biology history and psychology daniel c dennett charts religion s evolution from wild folk belief to domesticated dogma not an antireligious screed but an unblinking look beneath the veil of orthodoxy breaking the spell will be read and debated by believers and skeptics alike

Vishnu's Crowded Temple

2008-01-01

as it enters its sixtieth year of independence india stands on the threshold of superpower status yet india is strikingly different from all other global colossi while it is the world s most populous democracy and enjoys the benefits of its internationally competitive high tech and software industries india also contends with extremes of poverty inequality and political and religious violence this accessible and vividly written book presents a new interpretation of india s history focusing particular attention on the impact of british imperialism on independent india maria misra begins with the rebellion against the british in 1857 and tracks the country s advance to the present day india s extremes persist the author argues because its politics rest upon a peculiar foundation in which traditional ideas of hierarchy difference and

privilege coexist to a remarkable degree with modern notions of equality and democracy the challenge of india s leaders today as in the last sixty years is to weave together the disparate threads of the nation s ancient culture colonial legacy and modern experience

Drive

2011-04-05

the new york times bestseller that gives readers a paradigm shattering new way to think about motivation from the author of when the scientific secrets of perfect timing most people believe that the best way to motivate is with rewards like money the carrot and stick approach that s a mistake says daniel h pink author of to sell is human the surprising truth about motivating others in this provocative and persuasive new book he asserts that the secret to high performance and satisfaction at work at school and at home is the deeply human need to direct our own lives to learn and create new things and to do better by ourselves and our world drawing on four decades of scientific research on human motivation pink exposes the mismatch between what science knows and what business does and how that affects every aspect of life he examines the three elements of true motivation autonomy mastery and purpose and offers smart and surprising techniques for putting these into action in a unique book that will change how we think and transform how we live

Mathematics for Machine Learning

2020-04-23

distills key concepts from linear algebra geometry matrices calculus optimization probability and statistics that are used in

machine learning

The Intentional Stance

1989-03-06

how are we able to understand and anticipate each other in everyday life in our daily interactions through the use of such folk concepts as belief desire intention and expectation asserts daniel dennett in this first full scale presentation of a theory of intentionality that he has been developing for almost twenty years we adopt a stance he argues a predictive strategy of interpretation that presupposes the rationality of the people or other entities we are hoping to understand and predict these principles of radical interpretation have far reaching implications for the metaphysical and scientific status of the processes referred to by the everyday terms of folk psychology and their corresponding terms in cognitive science while dennett s philosophical stance has been steadfast over the years his views have undergone successive enrichments refinements and extensions the intentional stance brings together both previously published and original material four of the book s ten chapters its first and the final three appear here for the first time and push the theory into surprising new territory the remaining six were published earlier in the 1980s but were not easily accessible each is followed by a reflection an essay reconsidering and extending the claims of the earlier work these reflections and the new chapters represent the vanguard of dennett s thought they reveal fresh lines of inquiry into fundamental issues in psychology artificial intelligence and evolutionary theory as well as traditional issues in the philosophy of mind a bradford book

The Mind's I

1981

ernest c lucas identifies the central theme of the book of daniel as the sovereignty of the god of israel with even handedness and clarity he demonstrates that there is much in daniel that is readily understandable and applicable and that there are also theological depths that are rewarding for those willing to wrestle with the issues they raise

Daniel

2002-09-16

contemporary philosophy in focus will offer a series of introductory volumes of newly commissioned essays to many of the dominant philosophical thinkers of the current age author of books such as consciousness explained and darwin s dangerous idea daniel c dennett has reached a huge general and professional audience that extends beyond philosophy to the study of consciousness the development of the child s mind cognitive ethnology explanation in the social sciences artificial intelligence and evolutionary theory this volume is the only truly introductory collection that explores the implications of dennett s work

Daniel Dennett

2002-01-21

where do our thoughts come from do we all see the same blue and how much is our eye really like a camera the mind is the tool that sets humans apart from the rest of the animal kingdom and

the most crucial part of our very being but what actually is it from trying to decide whether or not we're robots understanding why some people commit acts of violence to figuring out the art of persuasion this essential guide to the inner workings of our minds explores the questions we really want to know the answers to making the complex comprehensible this informative book provides a new insight into how our minds work and the role they play in modern life whether it's pondering over why you're usually right about everything or discovering colour man vs mind shows that you don't need to be a psychologist to understand more about what's going on up there

Man vs Mind

2018-03-06

consciousness explained better is a unique contribution this compact volume represents thousands of years of humanity's struggle to understand consciousness from a wide variety of perspectives it is an up to date digest of the search in bite sized chapters allan combs has managed to encapsulate and synthesize vast bodies of thought and research without dilution he has made even the most mind twisting arguments and questions comprehensible and he has brought forward scholarship and rigorous inquiry in language that speaks to the heart as well as the head this book satisfies with its comprehensiveness yet intrigues with all that still remains enigmatic it brings forward the yearning the brilliance the awe and the outrageous audacity of our search to understand conscious it reminds us that in a world where much of our lives on a mundane basis has been reduced to the trivial the logistical and the manageable everything about that world and about ourselves is still completely beyond our grasp we still live and move in the great mystery from the foreword by jenny wade author of changes of

mind and transcendent sex

Consciousness Explained Better

2009-09-01

a supremely enjoyable intoxicating work nature how did we come to have minds for centuries poets philosophers psychologists and physicists have wondered how the human mind developed its unrivaled abilities disciples of darwin have explained how natural selection produced plants but what about the human mind in from bacteria to bach and back daniel c dennett builds on recent discoveries from biology and computer science to show step by step how a comprehending mind could in fact have arisen from a mindless process of natural selection a crucial shift occurred when humans developed the ability to share memes or ways of doing things not based in genetic instinct competition among memes produced thinking tools powerful enough that our minds don t just perceive and react they create and comprehend an agenda setting book for a new generation of philosophers and scientists from bacteria to bach and back will delight and entertain all those curious about how the mind works

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Sweet Dreams

2006-09-08

sam harris bestselling author of the end of faith takes on one of today s liveliest issues whether or not we actually have free will

Daniel in the Lions' Den

1996

Free Will

2012-03-06

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