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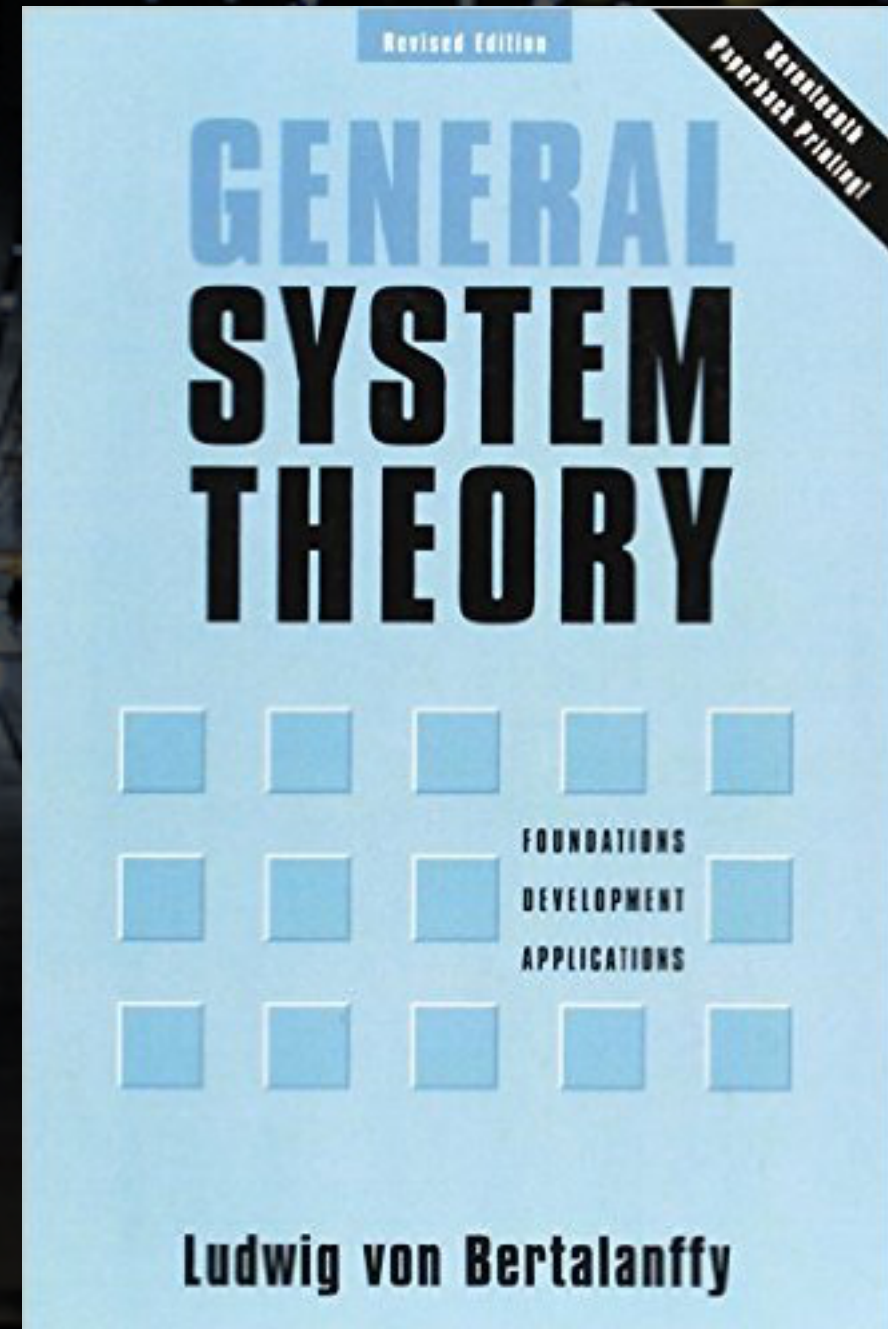
GENERAL SYSTEM THEORY



Ludwig von Bertalanffy

Ludwig von Bertalanffy's General Systems Theory

- General system theory was developed by biologist Ludwig von Bertalanffy.
- He was concerned about the growing compartmentalization of science: *The physicist, the biologist, the psychologist and the social scientist are, so to speak, encapsulated in a private universe, and it is difficult to get word from one cocoon to another.* (Bertalanffy, 1956: 1)



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