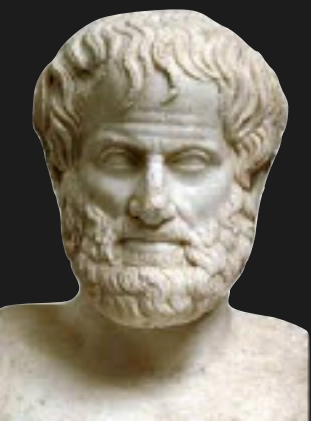


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- Swindler looks at a hotly-debated theory: the notion of a "culture of poverty."
- At heart, this notion maintains that poor people have different cultural values than wealthier people, a difference that explains why they do not perform the actions that would enable them to assimilate into higher socio-economic positions.
- Surveys of poorer people show that they often do share the same values as those of their economic betters.



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