



CULTURE

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"CULTURE" OF POVERTY

- So, motivations or wants do not explain any cultural differences between poorer and richer social groups.
- One thing that does is what Swindler describes as an ability to imagine the world to which we would like to belong and to have the skill set to assimilate.
- In other words, skills and practices matter, not values or wants. What looks like a difference in values is really a difference in skill sets.



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