

Volition and Affect: How Do Positive, Negative, Right and Wrong Outcomes Influence Human Sense of Agency

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ABSTRACT

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Biological functions of agency





- Instrumentality: agency brings rewards
- Epistemic: agency facilitates understanding
- Affective: agency is valenced and motivational