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October 14-15, 2006

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Evolution: Genetic vs. Cultural

Louis J. Goldberg & Neil E. Williams
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On the Ontology of Disease

David B. Hershenov
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Organisms, Brains and their Parts

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Functions as Physical Dimensions

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