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Modernity

A change in how people favorably conceptualize selfhood has been substantially influenced by modernity. Selfhood brings out the state of individuality, and modernity has allowed society to associate itself with particular ways of living. Scholars have been interested in the interaction between modernity and selfhood because of this special link. Positive changes in how people think of themselves have been brought by modernity through support of individuality.

Modernity has had a favorable impact on how people view themselves. Three pillars—secular, egalitarian, and autonomy—support the contemporary understanding of selfhood. Humans have been able to expand on the state of having a unique identity because to these pillars. People can individually choose the religion they feel most comfortable practicing, for instance, thanks to the modern understanding of modernism in secularism (Tuohela 349). This feature of independent judgment confirms that modernity has positively impacted how people conceptualize selfhood.

In their efforts to define modernity, several academics have gone further. Giddens is one scholar who has offered logical ideas and concepts based on the current understanding of modernity. Giddens claims that the separation of time and space is what has contributed most to the current shift in human social interactions when defining how modernity developed (Tuohela 350). This idea is reasonable since it is clear from Giddens' thesis that humans have continuously

added knowledge to the world over time, changing the environment in which they live and work. It is clear from this understanding that Glidden's theories were sound.

In fact, modernism has substantially influenced a change in how people view themselves. One can confirm that modernity has had a good impact on human lives by comprehending the rational arguments made by academics like Giddens. Positive changes have occurred in selfhood as a result of modernity's contribution to the growth of personal identity. All in all, it is clear from this comprehension that the idea of modernity has greatly altered the structure of human society.

Work Cited

Tuohela, Kirsi. 'Inner Lives and the Human Sciences from the Eighteenth Century to the Present'. *The Palgrave Handbook of the History of Human Sciences*, 2022, pp.349-370.