Neuropsychology: The Vulgarization Luria Always Wanted

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Abstract

Originally published in Contemporary Psychology: APA Review of Books, 1976, Vol 21(10), 737-738. Reviews the book, Luria's Neuropsychological Investigation by Anne-Lise Christensen (1975). This total publication on clinical neuropsychological investigation is composed of three parts, the text, manual, and stimulus material. The major purpose of this book is to present a detailed description of Luria's examination techniques and the author succeeds in achieving this aim. (PsycINFO Database Record (c) 2006 APA, all rights reserved)
Neuropsychology: The vulgarization that Luria always wanted. Contemporary Psychology 21: 737-738. Sacks, O. (1973, June 28). A. R. Luria: Meta-principles in Luria's neuropsychology. Douglas M. Bowden: The Functional System: Keystone to Luria's Neuropsychology. 407-409. Douglas M. Bowden: Det funktionelle system: Neglebegrebet i. Professor Luria has always been primarily interested in functions peculiar to man. From the 1920's to the present he has defended again and again the legitimacy of experiments designed to objectify »higher mental processes«. Also, from the beginning of his career his work has reflected a concern for the major significance of social forces in the determination of human personality and thought processes.