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## BOOKS AND BOOK REVIEWS

### The Search Warrant for the Ego (Die Fahndung nach dem Ich)

#### A Neurophilosophical Mystery Novel

Northoff G., Irisiana, 2009, 240 pages.



### Oxford Handbook of Philosophy and Neuroscience

Bickle J. (ed.). Oxford University Press with neuroethics 2009 with related entries by Churchland, Racine, Illes, and Roskies.

### Position Statement: Psychotropic Drugs and Expanded Uses: An Ethical Perspective

Commission de l'éthique de la science et de la technologie, Government of Québec, 2009

*A report that recommends action for Quebec and Canadian governmental stakeholders (and others) regarding cognitive enhancement and the expanded use of psychotropic drugs. Report and summaries in French and English soon available at: <http://www.ethique.gouv.qc.ca/>*

### Sleep and Psychiatric Disorders in Children and Adolescents

Rosen D. JAMA. 2009; 302:1469-1470.

## ARTICLES

### Pitfalls in the diagnosis of brain death

Busl KM, Greer DM. Neurocritical Care 2009; 11(2): 272 – 275

### International migration of partner, autonomy and depressive symptoms among women from a mexican rural area

Bojorquez I, Salgado de Snyder N, Casique I. Int J Soc Psychiatry. 2009 Jul;55(4):306-21.

### Psychological help-seeking in homeless adolescents

Collins P, Barker C. Int J Soc Psychiatry. 2009 Jul;55(4):372-84.

### Medical care in minors and incompetent patients: the patient's will and third party intervention in Spanish law

Vieira LA. Med Law. 2009 Mar;28(2):369-86.

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## **The struggle for dignity by people with severe functional disabilities**

Wadensten B, Ahlström G. Nurs Ethics. 2009;16(4):453-65.

## **Patterns of neural activity associated with honest and dishonest moral decisions**

Greene JD, Paxton JM. Proc Natl Acad Sci U S A. 2009;106(30):12506-11.

## **On the biomedicalization of alcoholism**

Berghmans R, de Jong J, Tibben A, de Wert G. Theor Med Bioeth. 2009;30(4):311-21.

## **Attachment of stem cells to scaffold particles for intra-cerebral transplantation**

Bible E, Chau DY, Alexander MR, Price J, Shakesheff KM, Modo M. Nat Protoc. 2009;4(10):1440-53.

## **Minimally invasive spine technology and minimally invasive spine surgery: a historical review**

Oppenheimer JH, DeCastro I, McDonnell DE. Neurosurg Focus. 2009;27(3):E9.

## **Jean-Martin Charcot and his vibratory chair for Parkinson disease**

Goetz CG. Neurology. 2009;73(6):475-8.

## **From eugenic euthanasia to habilitation of "disabled" children: Andreas Rett's contribution**

Ronen GM, Meaney B, Dan B, Zimprich F, Stögmann W, Neugebauer W. J Child Neurol. 2009;24(1):115-27.

## **Emergence from minimally conscious state: Insights from evaluation of posttraumatic confusion**

Nakase-Richardson R, Yablon SA, Sherer M, Nick TG, Evans CC. Neurology 2009;73 1120-1126

## **Applying health care reform principles to mental health and substance abuse services**

Patel K, Wells K. JAMA. 2009; 302:1463-1464.

## **New focus on long-term mental health of patients who survive serious illness**

Mitka M. JAMA. 2009; 302:1408-1409.

## **Death and organ donation: back to the future**

Miller FG. J Med Ethics. 2009;35(10):616-20.

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## **Animal rights terrorists: what every neuroscientist should know**

Kordower JH. *J Neurosci.* 2009;29(37):11419-20.

## **Care protocol for persistent vegetative states (PVS) and minimally conscious state (MSC) in Lorraine: retrospective study over an 18-year period**

Beis JM, Seyer JL, Brugerolle B, Le Chapelain L, Thisse MO, Mainard D, Paysant J, André JM. *Ann Phys Rehabil Med.* 2009;52(5):374-81.

## **Therapeutic and cosmetic psychopharmacology: risks and limits**

Echarte Alonso LE. *Cuad Bioet.* 2009;20(69):211-30. Spanish.

## **Against unjust global distribution of power and money: the report of the WHO commission on the social determinants of health: global inequality and the future of public health policy**

Muntaner C, Sridharan S, Solar O, Benach J. *J Public Health Policy.* 2009;30(2):163-75.

## **Nurses' and physicians' educational needs in seclusion and restraint practices**

Kontio R, Välimäki M, Putkonen H, Cocoman A, Turpeinen S, Kuosmanen L, Joffe G. *Perspect Psychiatr Care.* 2009;45(3):198-207.

## **Knocking out pain in livestock: Can technology succeed where morality has stalled?**

Shriver A. *Neuroethics.* 2(3): 115-124.

## **It takes two: ethical dualism in the vegetative state**

Suchy-Dicey C. *Neuroethics.* 2(3): 125-136.

## **Brain to computer communication: ethical perspectives on interaction models**

Tamburrini G. *Neuroethics.* 2(3): 137-149.

## **'Cosmetic neurology' and the moral complicity argument**

Ravelingien A et al. *Neuroethics.* 2(3) : 151-162.

## **Autonomy and coercion in academic "cognitive enhancement" using methylphenidate: Perspectives of key stakeholders**

Forlini C, Racine E. *Neuroethics.* 2(3)163-177.

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## **The ethics of limb amputation and locus of disease**

Pies R. Neuroethics. 2(3): 179-180.

## **The ethical management of body integrity identity disorder: Reply to Pies**

James Ryan CJ. Neuroethics. 2(3): 181.

## **NEWS**

### **William Safire, Political Columnist and Oracle of Language, Dies at 79**

McFadden RD. New York Times September 27, 2009,

<http://www.nytimes.com/2009/09/28/us/28safire.html>

### **Une politique antidopage dans les universités?**

Radio-Canada, 2 octobre 2009

<http://www.radio-canada.ca/nouvelles/sante/2009/10/01/001-dopage-universite-recherche.shtml#commentaires>

### **Dopage universitaire: les drogues de l'intelligence**

Radio-Canada, 5 octobre 2009, entrevue avec Eric Racine

[http://www.radio-canada.ca/emissions/lapres-midi\\_porte\\_conseil/2009-2010/archives.asp?date=2009-10-05](http://www.radio-canada.ca/emissions/lapres-midi_porte_conseil/2009-2010/archives.asp?date=2009-10-05)