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EMPATHY

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<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=mPZBTfX3vqU>



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Einführung

Robert Vischer, 1872,
historian and art philosopher



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Theodor Lipps, 1909
philosopher and psychologist



Einfühlung

Em-pathy



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Empathy=
activated
mimetically by
the other

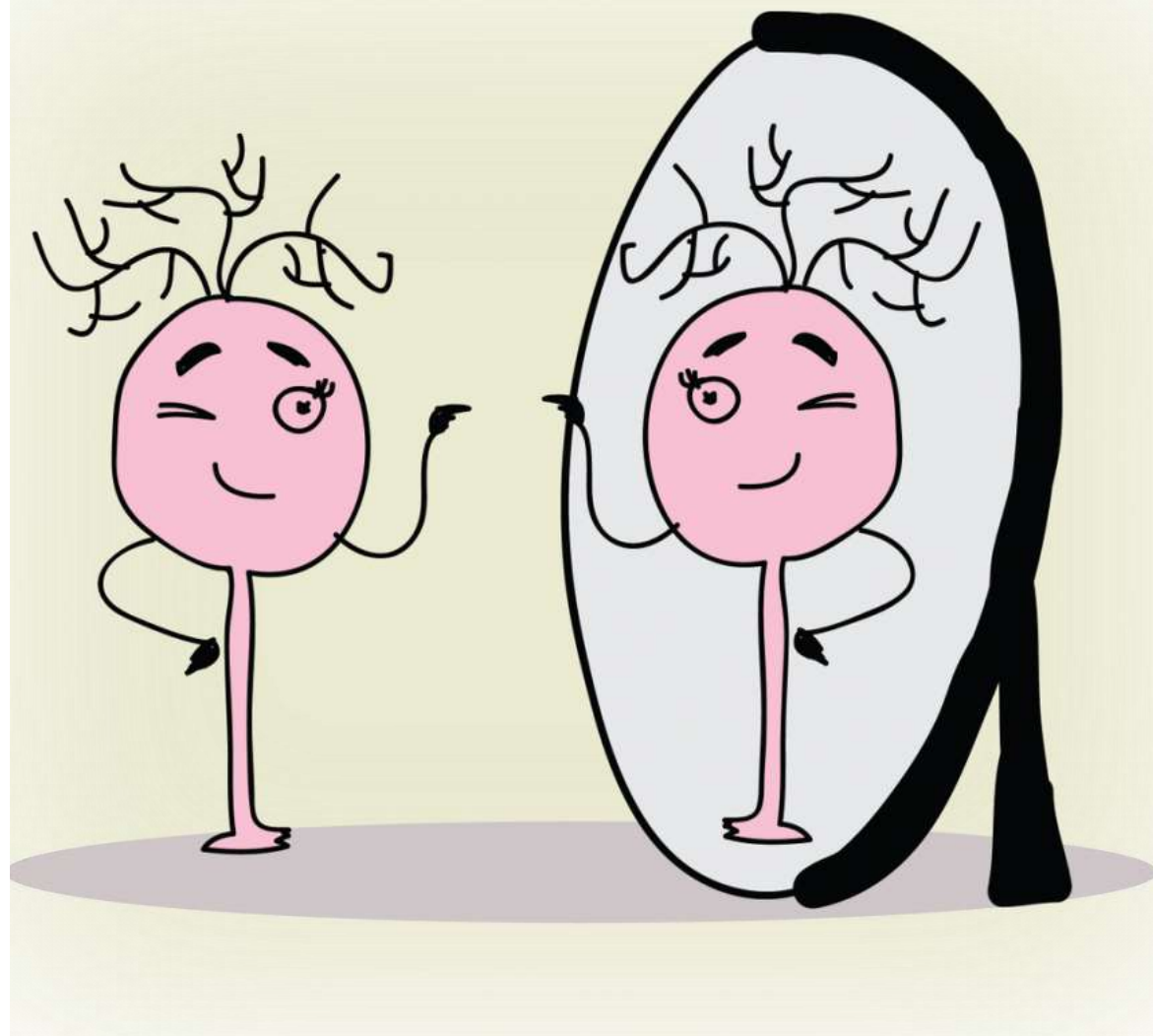


Theodor Lipps

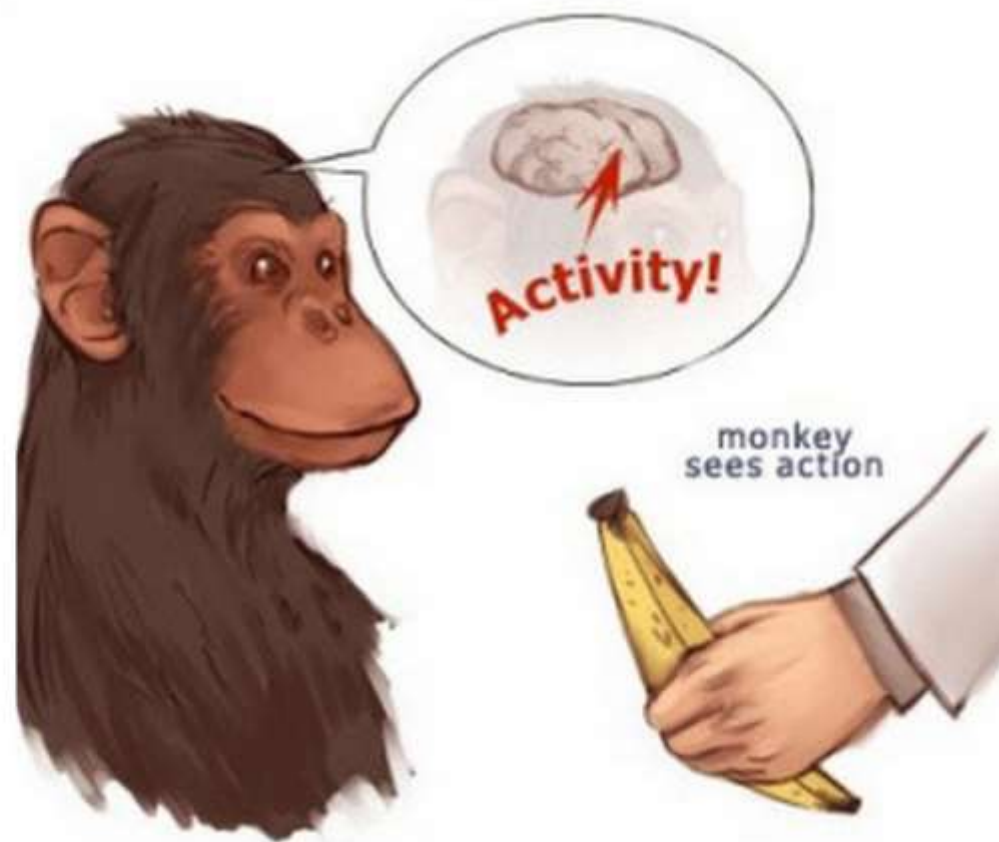


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Mirror Neurons



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The acrobat
lose his
balance

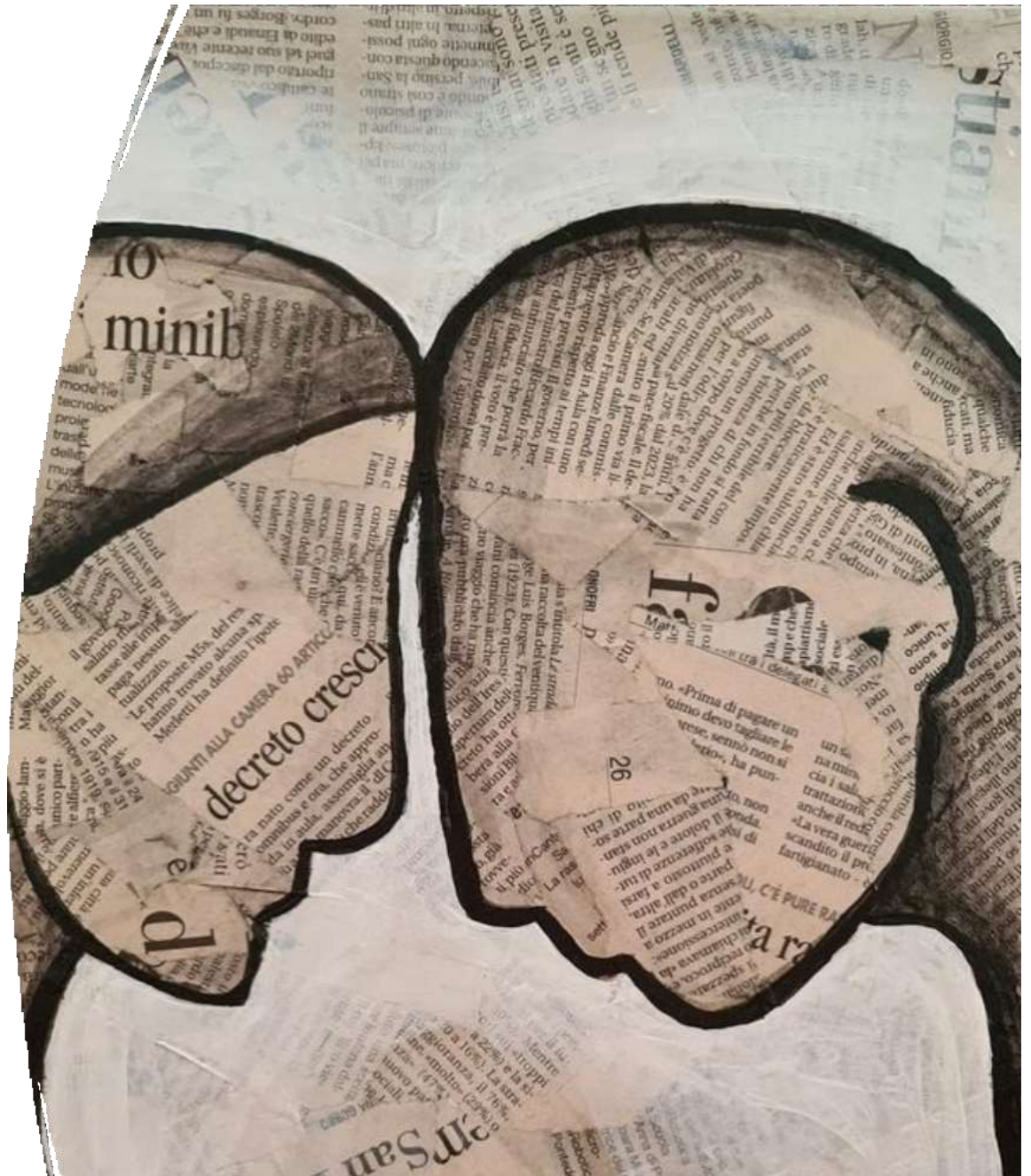


Edmond Husserl, philosopher



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Empathizing means feeling the same emotion as the other while recognizing that this emotion is derived from the other and not from ourselves.



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Empathy is the combination of two elements

1. Feel the emotion of the other:
emotional level
2. Understand the thoughts of the other:
rational level



Edith Stein, philosopher and mystic



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Empathy= ethics, collaboration, altruism, cooperation?
No, empathy is neutral

Feel the other it's not the same to be available to respond appropriately.

Empathy is the base of sympathy, but is not the same.

1. Insensitivity, withdrawal into oneself

2. Brutality

3. Cruelty, sadism

Max Scherer, filosofer



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