

CH 10

self-concept

 introspection

 self-awareness theory

action → feeling (not vice versa)

 foot-in-the-door technique

 forced compliance

 justification of effort

 cognitive dissonance

attitude – stable set of mental views and assessments about some idea object or person

 questionnaires (deficiencies?)

explicit vs. implicit attitudes

 Implicit Association Test

above-average effect

self-serving bias

impression management

self-handicapping

schemas – implicit theories of personality

 stereotypes

 illusory correlations

COMPARE HOW WE USE SOCIAL SCHEMAS TO HOW WE USE COGNITIVE HEURISTICS

attribution

 situational vs. dispositional

 fundamental attribution error

 actor-observer difference

conformity

 yielding (when is yielding more likely to take place?)

central route to persuasion vs. peripheral route to persuasion

COMPARE THESE TWO ROUTES WITH THE SITUATIONAL vs. DISPOSITIONAL TENDENCIES IN ATTRIBUTION.

obedience (situational or dispositional?)

Milgram

Zimbardo

cognitive re-interpretations

social impact theory

social loafing

social facilitation

social inhibition

great person theory (again, is this is a dispositional or situational theory?)

group polarization

risky shift

groupthink

deindividuation (situational? conformity? yielding?)

DESCRIBE DEINDIVIDUATION IN TERMS OF SOCIAL IMPACT THEORY

collectivist

individualist

in-groups

out-groups

WHICH ATTRIBUTES GO WITH WHICH KIND OF CULTURE? (e.g. above-average effect)

CH 14

statistics

- frequency distribution (normal curve)
- mean, median, correlation coefficient
- predictive validity

intelligence tests

- stanford binet
- SAT

Q: what are some of the shortcomings of intelligence tests? what is their predictive validity?

multiple intelligences (creative, practical, IQ)
savants

psychometric approach
factor analysis
Spearman's g

fluid vs. crystallized intelligence

NATURE VS. NURTURE

what is the debate?

Q: frame in terms of situational vs. dispositional

twin studies show ?

heritability ratio

phenotype vs. genotype (social effects of phenotype produce environmental effects (nurture) while genotype specifies nature)
individual variability

Q: compare intelligence tests with personality tests. shortcomings? validity? same kinds of factors?

intelligence might be considered just that which is not situationally dependent, but an inherent characteristic of the self.