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Language and Social Behavior Robert M. Krauss and Chi-Yue Chiu Columbia University and The University of Hong-Kong Acknowledgments: We have benefitted from discussions with Kay Deaux, Susan Fussell, Julian Hochberg, Ying-yi Hong, and Lois Putnam. Psychology is the science of behavior and mind (not to be confused with neuroscience, which studies the neural underpinnings of psychological phenomena ex. neural circuits). Psychology includes the study of conscious and unconscious phenomena, as well as feeling and thought. It is an academic discipline of immense scope. Psychologists seek an understanding of the emergent properties of brains ... Crowd psychology, also known as mob psychology, is a branch of social psychology. Social psychologists have developed several theories for explaining the ways in which the psychology of a crowd differs from and interacts with that of the individuals within it. Major theorists in crowd psychology include Gustave Le Bon, Gabriel Tarde, Sigmund Freud, and Steve Reicher. Numerous studies have used the Rosenberg scale to assess people's self-esteem in many areas of the world. An interesting finding in many samples from the Western world, particularly in North America, is that the average score is often significantly higher than the mid-point.