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film to examine how psychopathy is portrayed and understood, contrasting these depictions with real-world scenarios. The book

targets readers interested in psychology, capitalism, and social dynamics.