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This text is an overview of current research at the intersection of psychology and biology which integrates evolutionary and developmental data and explanations.
