

1. Record Nr.	UNINA9910784965603321
Autore	Prinz Jesse J
Titolo	The emotional construction of morals [[electronic resource] /] / Jesse J. Prinz
Pubbl/distr/stampa	Oxford ; ; New York, : Oxford University Press, 2007
ISBN	1-281-14556-4 9786611145569 0-19-153614-8
Descrizione fisica	1 online resource (347 p.)
Classificazione	08.38
Disciplina	171/.2
Soggetti	Ethics Emotions
Lingua di pubblicazione	Inglese
Formato	Materiale a stampa
Livello bibliografico	Monografia
Note generali	Description based upon print version of record.
Nota di bibliografia	Includes bibliographical references (p. [309]-328) and index.
Nota di contenuto	Morality and emotion -- Constructing morals.
Sommario/riassunto	Jesse Prinz presents a bravura argument for highly controversial claims about morality, which go to the heart of our understanding of ourselves. He argues that moral values are based on emotional responses, and that these are inculcated by culture, not hard-wired through natural selection. These two claims support a form of moral relativism. - ;Jesse Prinz argues that recent work in philosophy, neuroscience, and anthropology supports two radical hypotheses about the nature of morality: moral values are based on emotional responses, and these emotional responses are inculcated by culture, not h