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## Abstract

Originally published in Contemporary Psychology: APA Review of Books, 1995, Vol 40(11), 1081–1082. This is a review of the book, “Life-Span Development and Behavior (Vol. 12)” (see record 1994-97264-000). This is volume 12 in a series of edited volumes on developmental psychology. Volume 12 contains an impressive mix of topics and approaches and is, like the volumes that preceded it, a collection of well-written, thoughtful, and comprehensive chapters that will be of interest to a wide array of readers. As has been customary in the series, this volume contains pieces on particular aspects of both cognitive and social development as well as chapters that focus on more general conceptual and methodological issues in life span developmental research. The volume contains contributions on parenting, autonomy, coping, and wisdom, as well as more general chapters on the stability of individual differences in adulthood, log-linear modeling in developmental research, and the integration of research and outreach in the field of human development. “Life-Span Development and Behavior” is indispensable for graduate teaching. This volume also contains a listing of the contents of all previous volumes in the series, which will alert many readers to some terrific chapters that they may have missed. Unfortunately, Volume 12 marks the end of this series. (PsycINFO Database Record (c) 2006 APA, all rights reserved)

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