

TIMPUL ȘI PERSONALITATEA

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Abstract

Time plays an essential role in differentiating among individuals. Each person has a characteristic way of experiencing time and using it. In this study we tried to establish whether personality traits relate to personal temporal perspective, temporal experience and time structuring in specific patterns. A sample of 190 subjects, men and women was used. The sample included participants with different demographic and educational background. The following instruments were used: Time Perspective Inventory (TPI), Temporal Experience Questionnaire (TEQ), Temporal Structure Questionnaire (TSQ) and the Sixteen Personality Factors Questionnaire (16 PF). Results show that specific patterns of association among personality traits, personal temporal perspective, temporal experience and time structuring exist.

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