



# HISTORY OF THE



19-26 OCTOBER

# WEEK

## Lois Meek Stolz

 October 19, 1891 (Born)

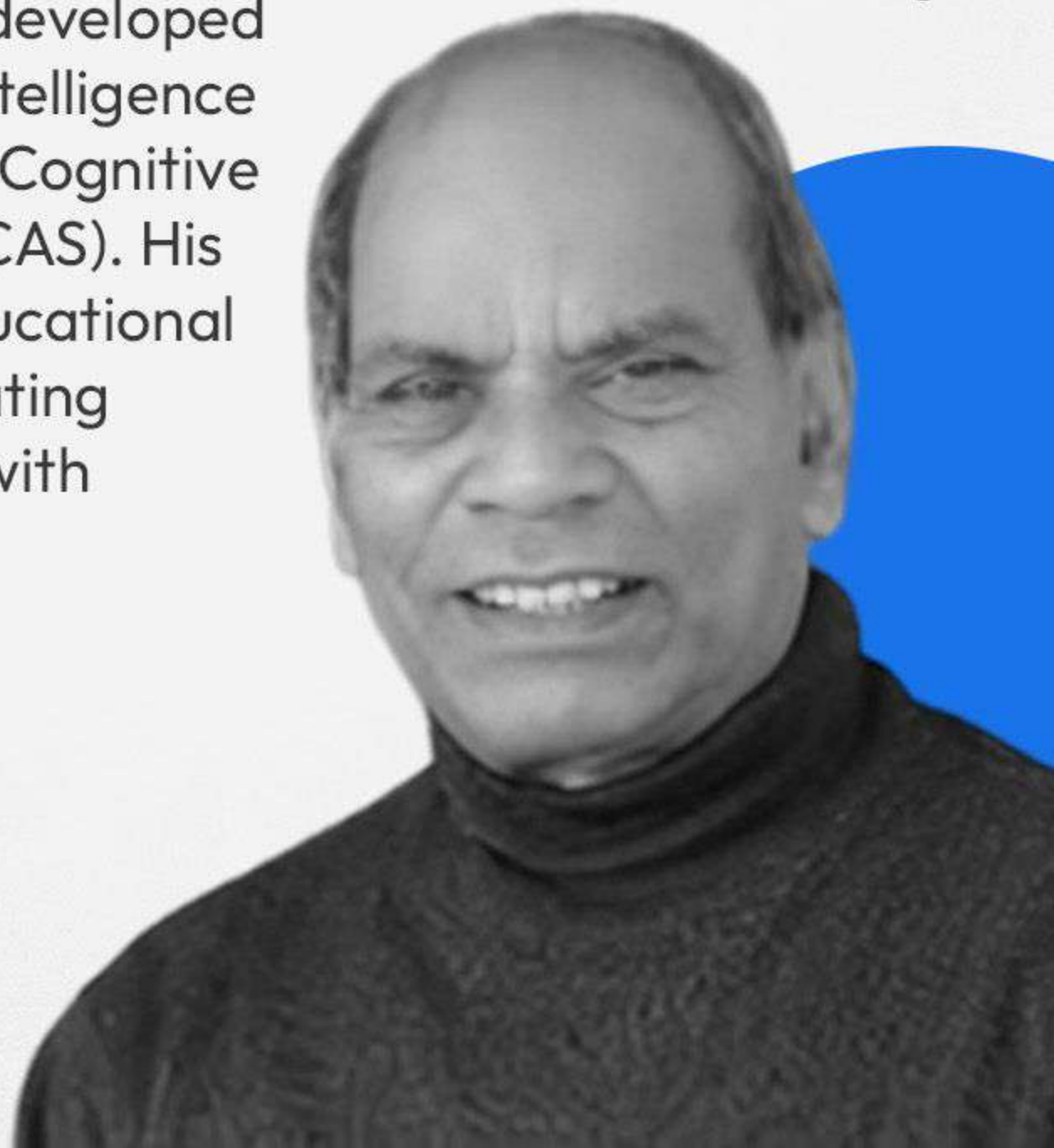
Lois Hayden Meek Stolz was an American psychologist and educator specialising in child development and parent-child relations. She was a full professor at Stanford University and authored several influential texts. She founded the National Association for Nursery Education (1929) and received the APA Division 7 Award for Distinguished Contributions to Developmental Psychology (1968).



## Jagannath Prasad(J.P.) Das

 October 19, 2025 (Died)

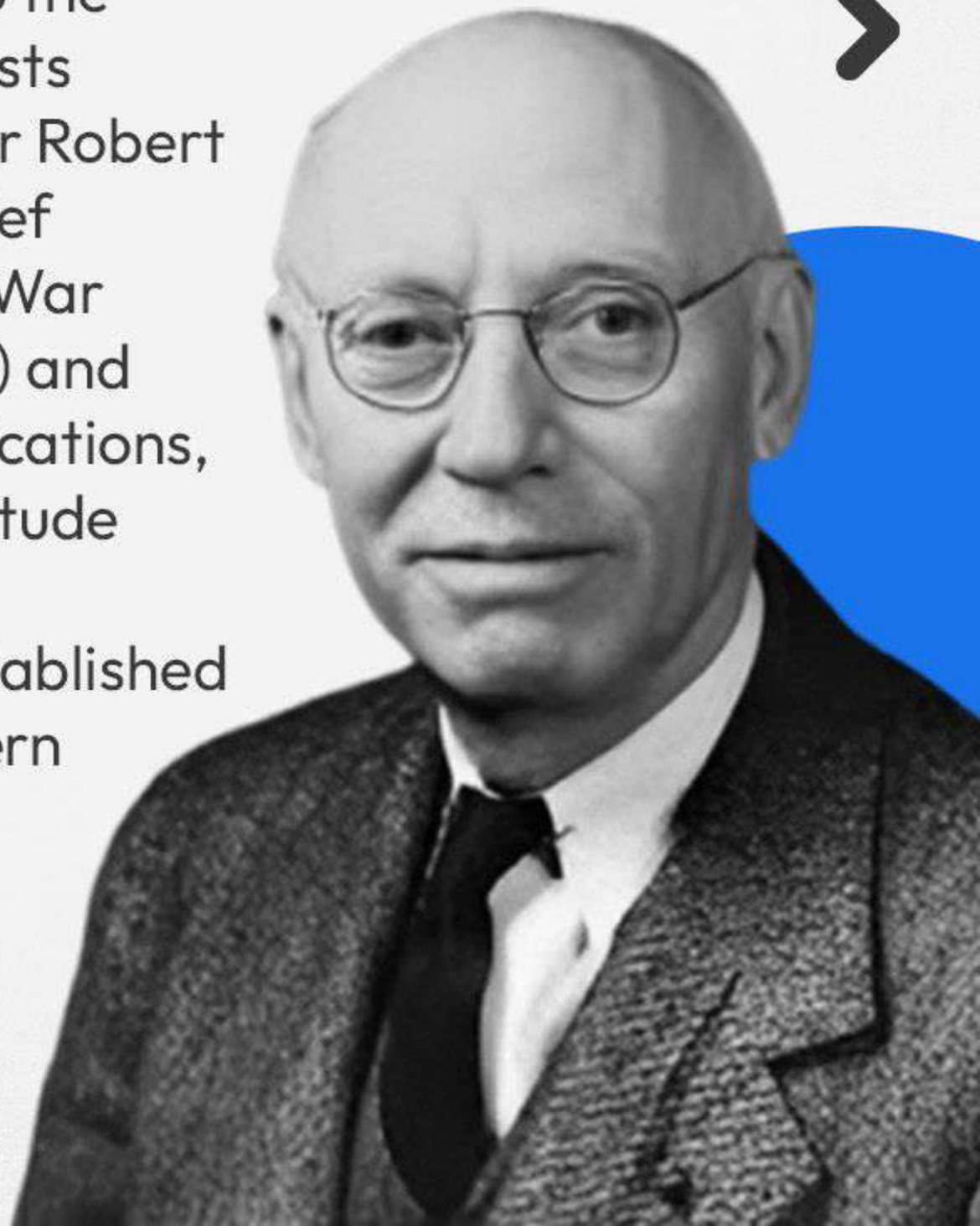
An Indo-Canadian psychologist renowned for his work on intelligence and childhood development. He co-developed the PASS Theory of Intelligence and the Das–Naglieri Cognitive Assessment System (CAS). His theories reshaped educational psychology by integrating cognitive processing with learning models.



## Walter Van Dyke Bingham

 October 20, 1880 (Born)

A pioneer in applied psychology and intelligence testing, Bingham helped develop the Army Alpha and Beta Tests during World War I under Robert Yerkes. He served as Chief Psychologist of the U.S. War Department (1940–1947) and authored over 200 publications, including the classic *Aptitude and Aptitude Testing* (1937/1942). His work established the foundation for modern industrial and personnel psychology.

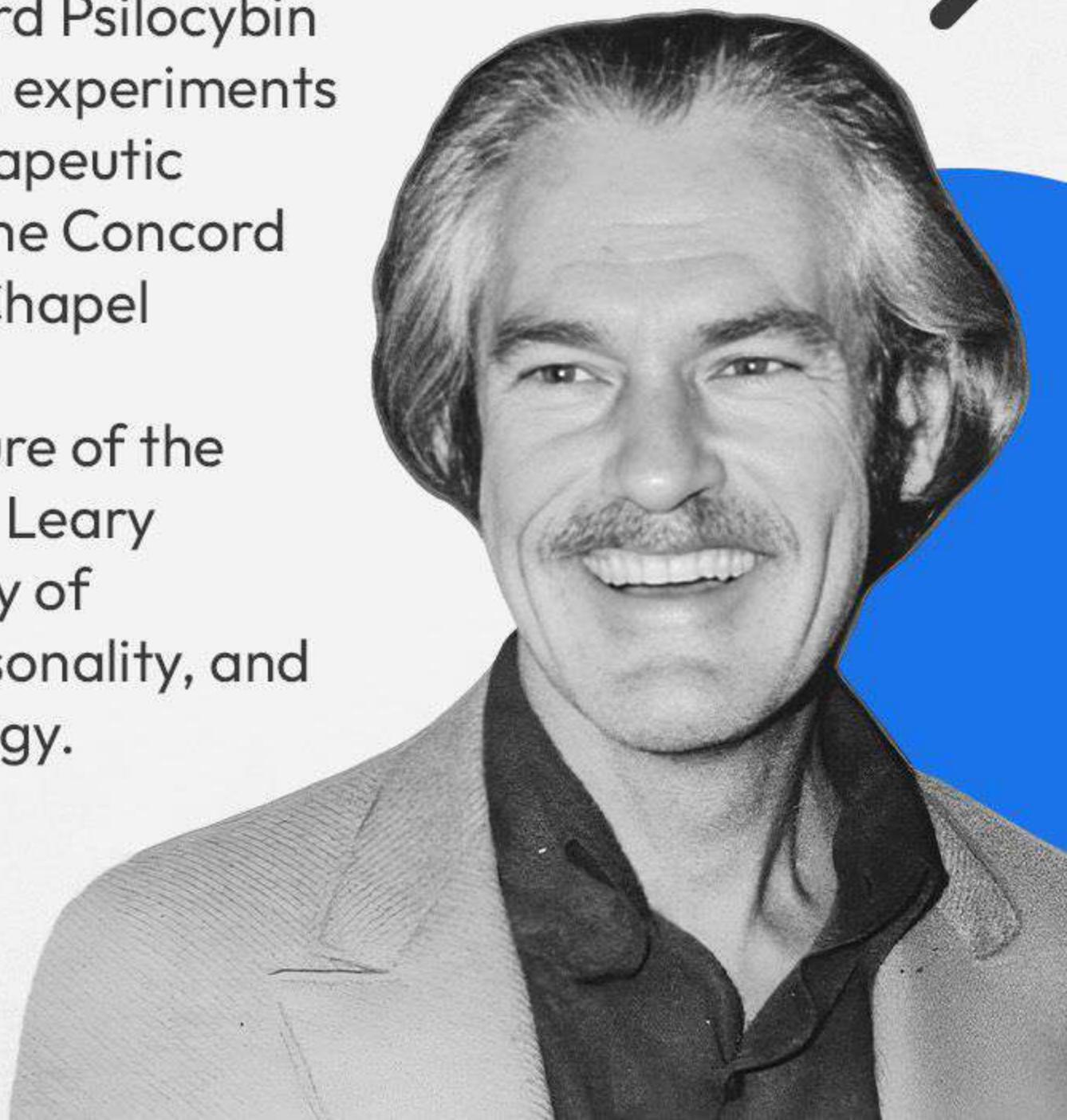


## Timothy Leary

 October 22, 1920 (Born)

Leary was an American psychologist and advocate of psychedelic research. He founded the Harvard Psilocybin Project, conducting experiments on psilocybin's therapeutic potential through the Concord Prison and Marsh Chapel Experiments.

A controversial figure of the counterculture era, Leary influenced the study of consciousness, personality, and psychopharmacology.



## Julian B. Rotter

 October 22, 1916 (Born)

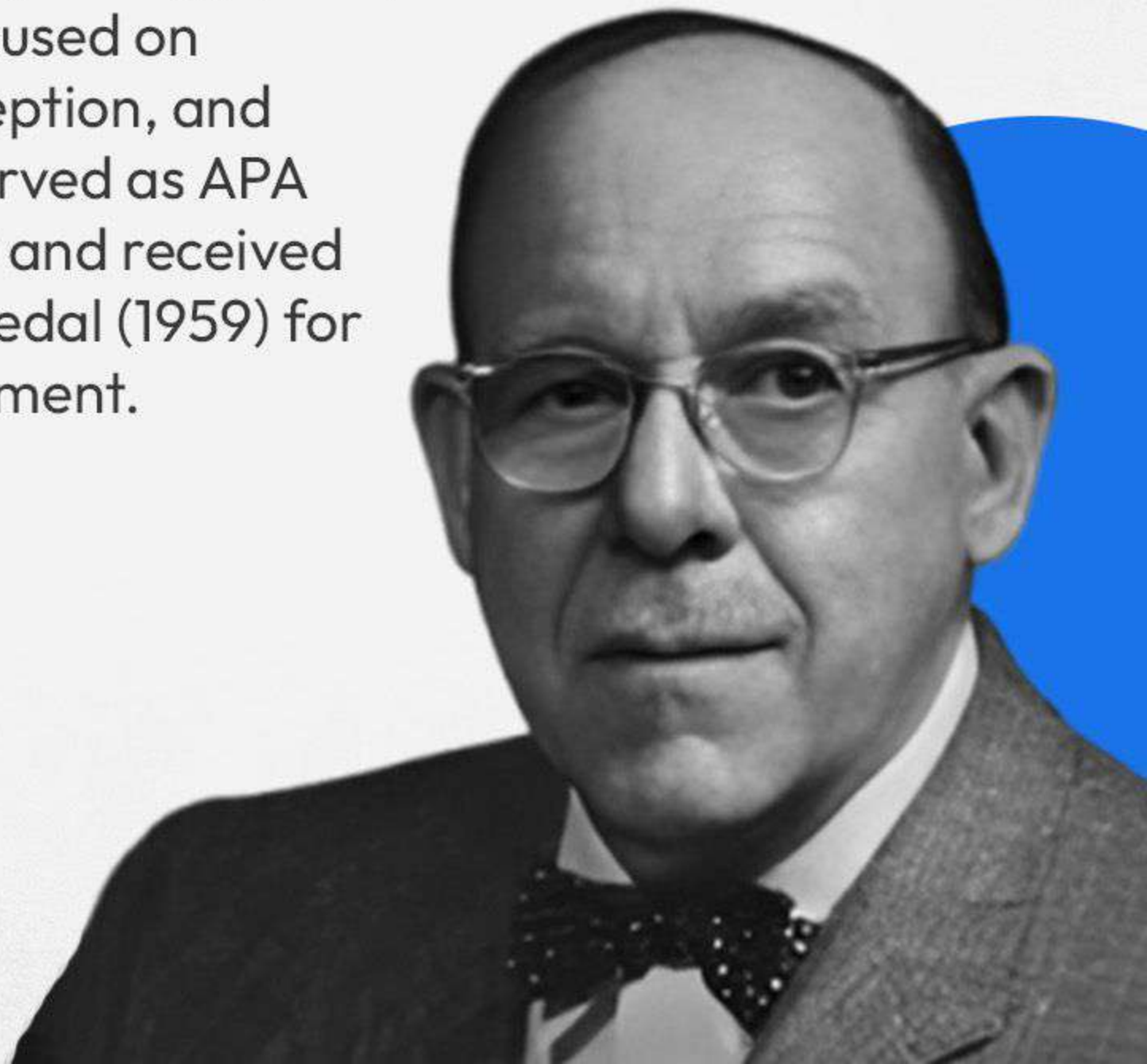
Developed the Social Learning Theory and the concept of Locus of Control, a cornerstone in personality psychology. He ranked among the most eminent psychologists of the 20th century, shaping the understanding of human motivation and behaviour. Recipient of the APA Distinguished Scientific Contribution Award (1988).



## Edwin Garrigues Boring

 October 23, 1886 (Born)

A key figure in the history of psychology, Boring authored the landmark text *A History of Experimental Psychology* (1929). His research focused on sensation, perception, and cognition. He served as APA President (1928) and received the APA Gold Medal (1959) for lifetime achievement.





## Albert I. Rabin



 October 24, 2010 (Died)

A Lithuanian-American psychologist best known for his work in clinical and projective psychology. He served as Chief Psychologist at the New Hampshire State Hospital before joining Michigan State University (1949–1982).

Recipient of the Bruno Klopfer Award (1977) for lifetime contributions to personality assessment.

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