

Ernst von GLASERFELD

Ernst von Glaserfeld was an Emeritus Professor of Psychology at the University of Georgia, a research associate at the Scientific Reasoning Research Institute, and an adjunct professor in the Department of Psychology at the University of Massachusetts. He was also a member of the Board of Trustees of the American Society of Cybernetics and the Scientific Board of the Instituto Piaget.

Von Glaserfeld coined the term radical constructivism and was a proponent of the “Ecology of Mind.” He was also the creator of the first symbols of the lexigram, a device used in the field of animal language.

Von Glaserfeld received the McCulloch Memorial Award from the American Society of Cybernetics in 1991. He received an honorary doctorate of the University of Klagenfurt in 1997 and from the University of Innsbruck in 2008. He also received a Reconnaissance du Mérite scientifique from the University of Quebec in 2002. In 2005 he was awarded The Wiener Gold Medal of the American Society for Cybernetics and the Gregory Bateson-award of the Heidelberg Institute for Systemic Research. In 2007 he was awarded the Austrian Cross of Honour for Science and Art and the journal *Constructivist Foundations* honored him on his 90th birthday with a Festschrift Glasersfeld. He was presented with an Honorary Medal of the City of Vienna in 2009.

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