

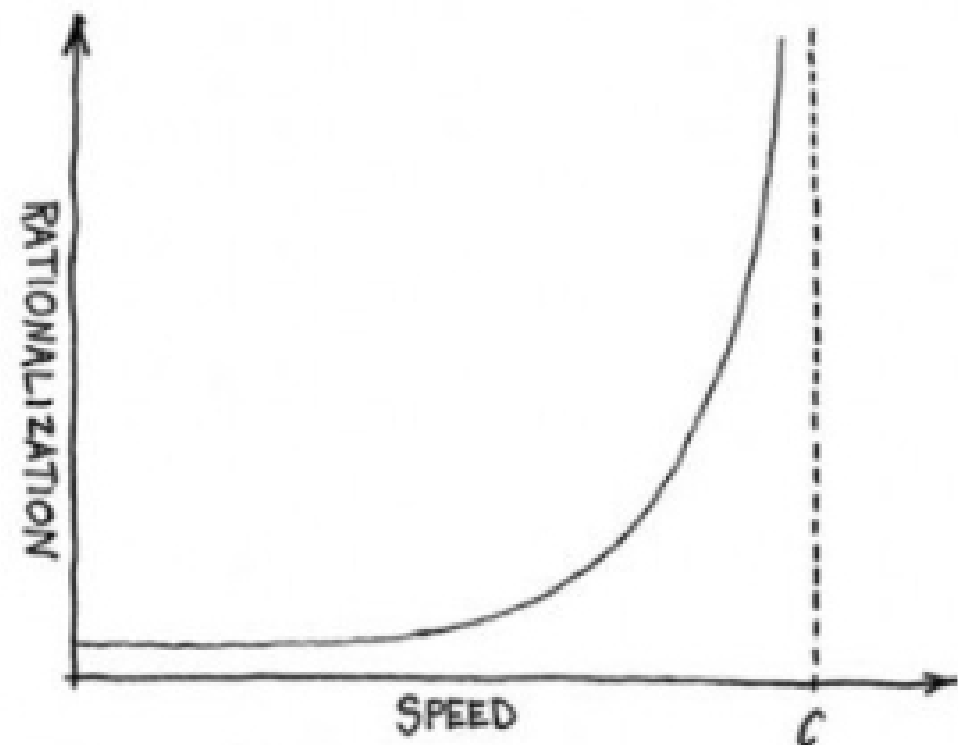
Chapter 7:

Early U.S. Psychology and the Emergence of Functionalism and Applied Psychology

Moral & Mental Philosophy

- Psychology in the United States
- Harvard, etc. (1636) modeled after British universities:
 - main purpose was training of clergy.
 - 8 Universities established by 1776
 - John Locke's work (1690) big

MORAL RELATIVITY



RELATED TO MORAL RELATIVISM, IT STATES THAT ETHICS BECOME SUBJECTIVE ONLY WHEN YOU APPROACH THE SPEED OF LIGHT. THAT IS, IT'S OK TO BE SELF-SERVING, STEAL, AND MURDER AS LONG AS YOU'RE GOING REALLY, REALLY FAST.

(NOTE: THIS IS WHY RAP SOUNDS BETTER ON THE HIGHWAY AT 90 MPH)

Scottish Faculty Psychology (1776-1880)

- 182 Universities: lots of immigration from Scotland
- Blend of Scottish Associationism and Commonsense philosophy (“Realism”):
 - Rejected skepticism of Empiricists
 - Rejected “blank mind” in favor of innate powers called *faculties*
- Included study of mental faculties still studied today

