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Nature of Contemporary Scholarly Publishing

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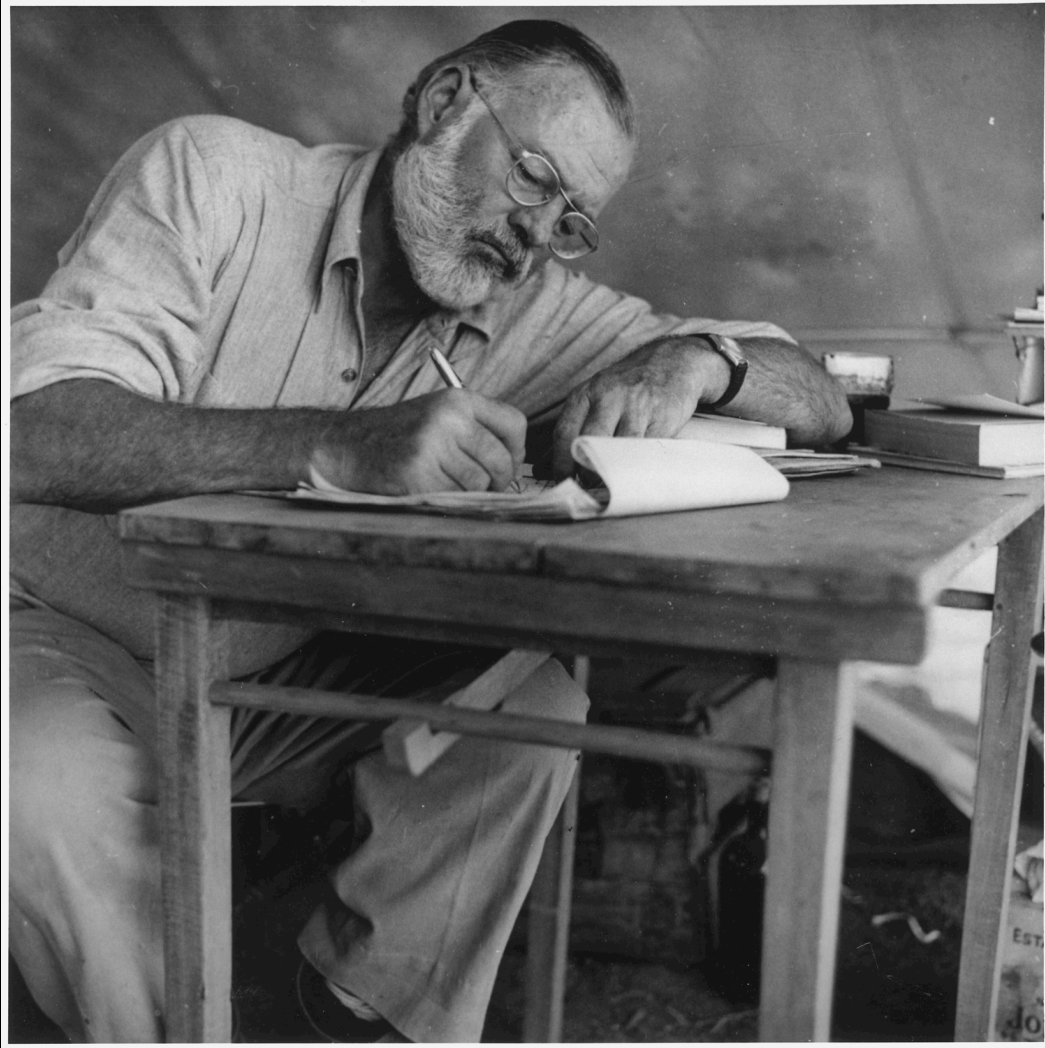
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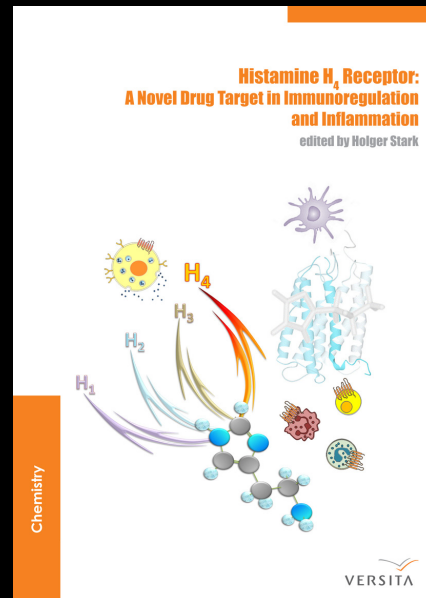
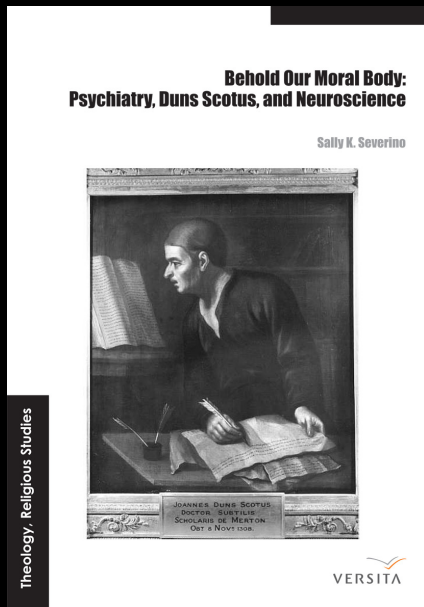
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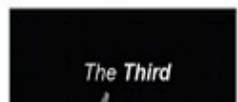
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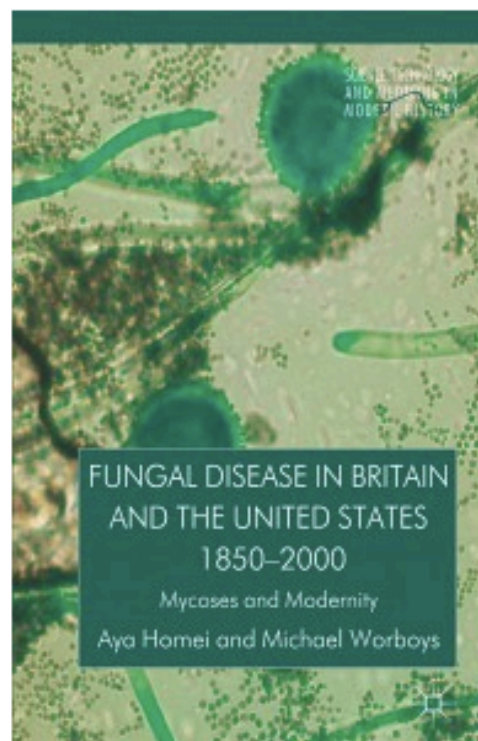
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The monograph is a history-of-medicine study, *Fungal Disease in Britain and the United States, 1850-2000*, by Aya Homei and Michael Worboys. Digital copies of the book can be [downloaded](#) free from Palgrave Connect or retailers like Amazon.com, thanks to the Wellcome Trust's having stepped up to cover Palgrave's [publication](#)

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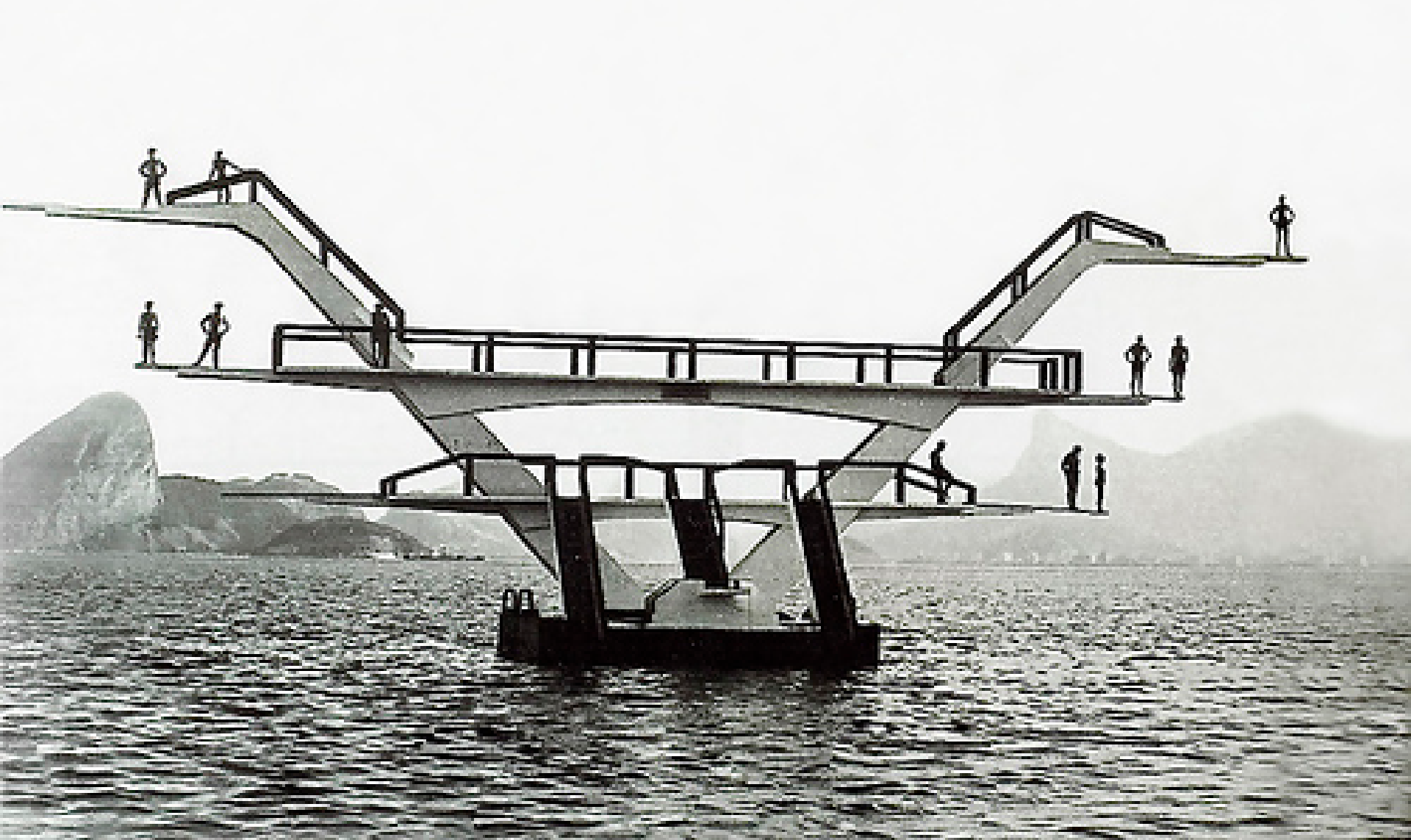
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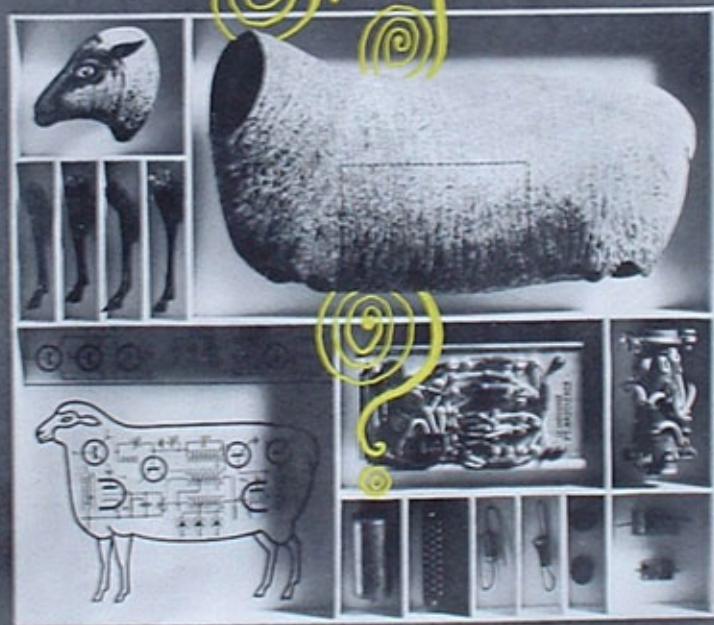




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