

throughout the animal and plant kingdoms. They have given rise to a widely held view that the characteristics of any one organism, including the characteristics of a human being, may be grouped into those that are due to the inner workings of the organism and those that are due to the external environment.

Along with many other scientists, I have been struck by the great deal better than that of the traditional view of the relationship between

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established patterns of development and the environment. In the case of the human being, the traditional view on what is due to the inner workings of the organism is considerably more robust than the traditional view on what is due to the

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