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Author: John E. Exner Jr., PhD I stumbled over the book "The Rorschach" here on .com. Dr. Exner is the executive director of the Rorschach Workshop, which he founded in 1968, and Curator of the Rorschach Archives and museum in Bern, Switzerland. He is past president of the International Rorschach Society. Dr. Exner starts out by sketching out the
history and development of the Rorschach; the origin of the test and Rorschach’s work. From there he guides us through the development of the Rorschach test itself, the concept of projection and projective techniques as well as the comprehensive system. He winds up the first chapter with focusing on controversy, criticism and decisions. Part two is a natural continuation of chapter one, guiding the reader through administration and scoring of the Rorschach test. Next follow coding and criteria, discussed of no less than 33 pages: the form determinant, the movement determinant, active-passive superscripts, chromatic color determination, achromatic color determination. The form dimension response, pair and reflection response and the blend response. Dr. Exner winds up the second chapter by putting search light on interscorer agreement and references. In Part three Dr. Exner bores into the Nature of the Test, by exposing Rorschach’s Concept of the Method and the Rorschach as a Decision-Making Task. The book continues with the Range of Potential Responses, flowed by The Response Process, The Input Process and The Classification Process.

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