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List of Publications by Year in descending order

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1	Linguistic styles: Language use as an individual difference.. Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, 1999, 77, 1296-1312.	2.8	1,271
2	Positive affect and the experience of meaning in life.. Journal of Personality and Social Psychology, 2006, 90, 179-196.	2.8	857
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19	The Science of Meaning in Life. <i>Annual Review of Psychology</i> , 2021, 72, 561-584.	17.7	146
20	Positive mood and social relatedness as information about meaning in life. <i>Journal of Positive Psychology</i> , 2009, 4, 471-482.	4.0	132
21	Lost and Found Possible Selves, Subjective Well-Being, and Ego Development in Divorced Women. <i>Journal of Personality</i> , 2004, 72, 603-632.	3.2	130
22	The Hard Road to the Good Life: The Happy, Mature Person. <i>Journal of Humanistic Psychology</i> , 2001, 41, 51-72.	2.1	129
23	Encounters With Objective Coherence and the Experience of Meaning in Life. <i>Psychological Science</i> , 2013, 24, 991-998.	3.3	129
24	Beyond the Search for Meaning. <i>Current Directions in Psychological Science</i> , 2016, 25, 211-216.	5.3	117
25	Meaning in life and seeing the big picture: Positive affect and global focus. <i>Cognition and Emotion</i> , 2007, 21, 1577-1584.	2.0	107
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27	Wishes, Motives, Goals, and Personal Memories: Relations of Measures of Human Motivation. <i>Journal of Personality</i> , 1995, 63, 985-1007.	3.2	105
28	Effects of (very) brief writing on health: The two-minute miracle. <i>British Journal of Health Psychology</i> , 2008, 13, 9-14.	3.5	105
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30	Religious commitment and positive mood as information about meaning in life. <i>Journal of Research in Personality</i> , 2008, 42, 43-57.	1.7	96
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35	Work and the good life: How work contributes to meaning in life. <i>Research in Organizational Behavior</i> , 2017, 37, 59-82.	1.2	81
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46	How would the self be remembered? Evidence for posthumous self-verification. <i>Journal of Research in Personality</i> , 2016, 61, 1-10.	1.7	55
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49	Title is missing!. <i>International Journal of Rehabilitation and Health</i> , 2000, 5, 17-30.	0.2	50
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60	Meaning: Ubiquitous and effortless.. , 2012, , 129-144.		32
61	Positive affect, intuition and referential thinking. <i>Personality and Individual Differences</i> , 2009, 46, 719-724.	2.9	29
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65	“Releasing the beast within”: Authenticity, well-being, and the Dark Tetrad. <i>Personality and Individual Differences</i> , 2019, 137, 115-125.	2.9	25
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70	Processing fluency, positive affect, and judgments of meaning in life. <i>Journal of Positive Psychology</i> , 2013, 8, 135-139.	4.0	18
71	Socrates's Dissatisfaction, a Happiness Arms Race, and the Trouble with Eudaimonic Well-Being. <i>International Handbooks of Quality-of-life</i> , 2016, , 523-529.	0.5	18
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94	Testing cognitive and interpersonal asymmetry vs. symmetry among voters in the 2020 Presidential primaries. <i>Journal of Social and Political Psychology</i> , 2021, 9, 592-607.	1.1	2
95	A Dinosaur Comments on the Coming Apocalypse: Does Anybody Else See That Asteroid?. <i>Psychological Inquiry</i> , 2012, 23, 274-276.	0.9	1
96	You Had Us at â€œHumans Do Not Have a General Need for Cognitive Consistencyâ€• <i>Psychological Inquiry</i> , 2018, 29, 94-96.	0.9	0
97	Claiming the role of positive psychology in the fight against prejudice. <i>Journal of Positive Psychology</i> , 0, , 1-14.	4.0	0