

Forms of Acculturation

Individual graphs represent personal networks of 45 alters of immigrants from Africa, East-Europe, South America, and the Caribbean to Spain or the US.

Their aggregate class structures are shown in the four corners, and personal networks are placed using multidimensional scaling of pairwise similarity and degree of cluster membership.

In addition to relations between individual networks, the diagram indicates the distribution of four basic forms of acculturation, where only the small cluster labeled "integration" is not exactly as predicted by Berry (Applied Psychology, 1997).



