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In brain studies, such a need of merging the atomist and dynamical views has been stressed since the forties by Karl Lashley who, based on observations in his laboratory, recognized that "nerve impulses are transmitted [...] from cell to cell through definite intercellular connections. Yet, all behavior seems to be determined by masses of excitation [...] within general fields of activity, without regard to particular nerve cells".

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