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A Value Argument Against Incompatibilism

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Incompatibilism is the view that free will is incompatible with determinism. If an action is free, then it is not determined and vice-versa. However, given facts about both human psychology and the value of free will, incompatibilism is false. This is because we would want to be free but we would not want to be indeterminated, and hence freedom can't require indeterminism.



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