Placing the First Five Generations of Linguists

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Today's themes

- A study in rupture and continuity
  The mind sciences: linguistics, philosophy, psychology, logic
  - continuity and rupture within disciplines
    - intellectual: often remains tacit and implicit
    - generational: natural forces leading to generational rupture
    - filial: advisor-student
  - across disciplines
    - Cross-fertilization: moles sneaking under the fences
    - Splitting of disciplines: psychology/philosophy; logic/philosophy;
  - geographically and politically
    - Americans going to Germany to study science until 1914
    - Europeans coming to the US around 1933
- Themes
  - Two Kinds of Not-Knowing: simple vs. meaningful
  - Jehovah and Noah
  - Cause and effect, teleology, and the meaning of the computer
  - Science anxiety as a way of life
  - Goal: intellectual liberation, both early and late

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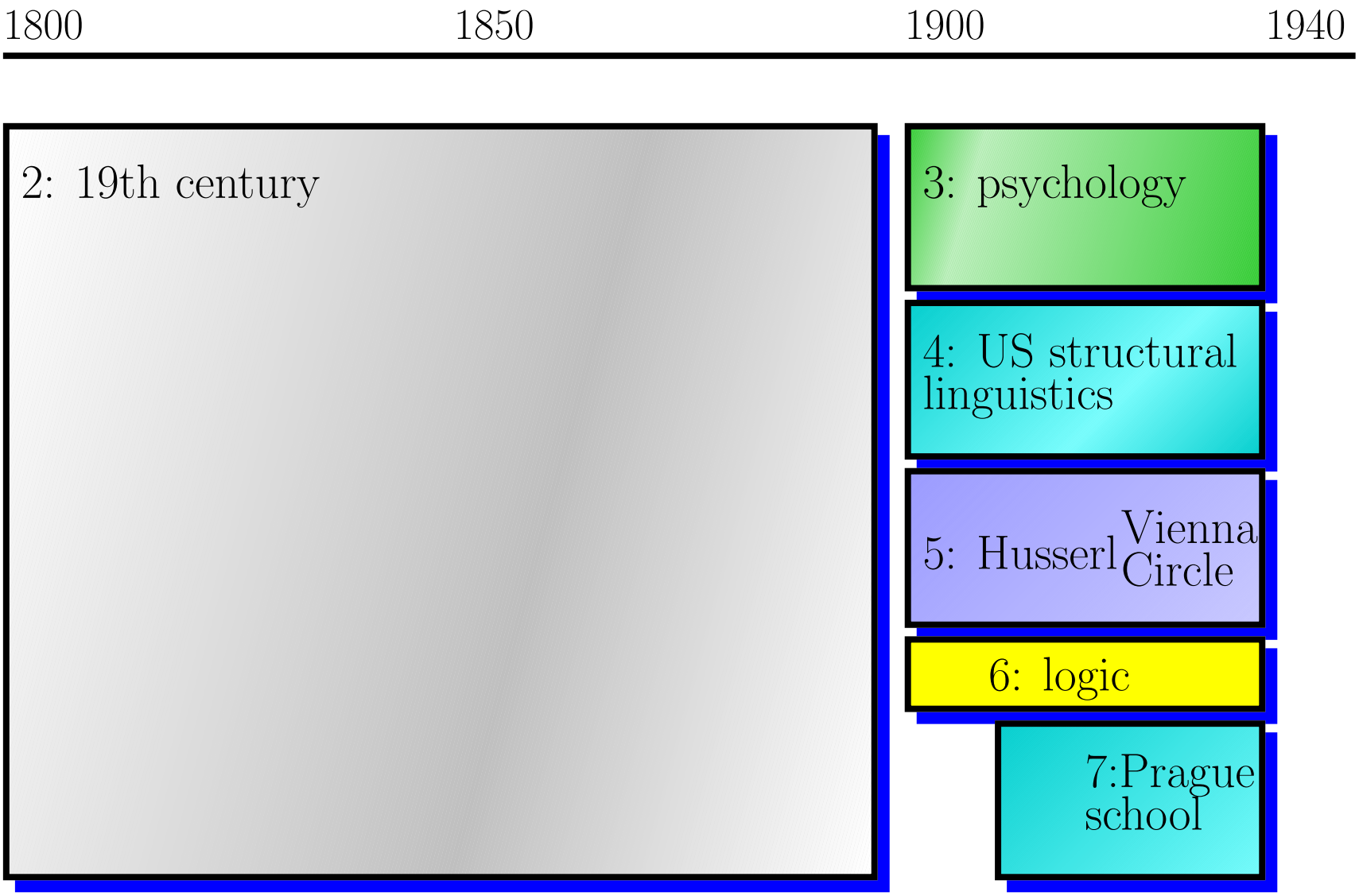
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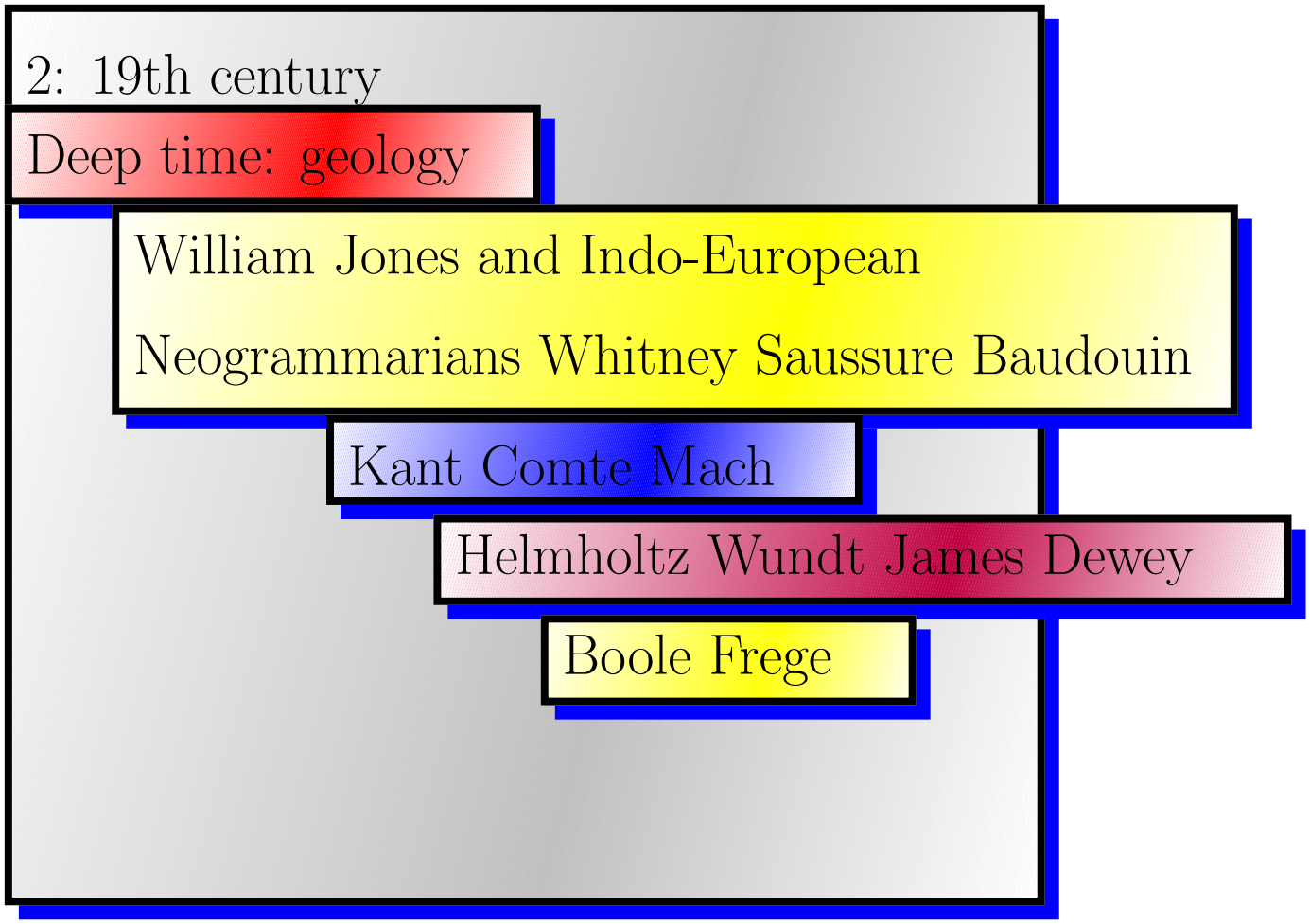

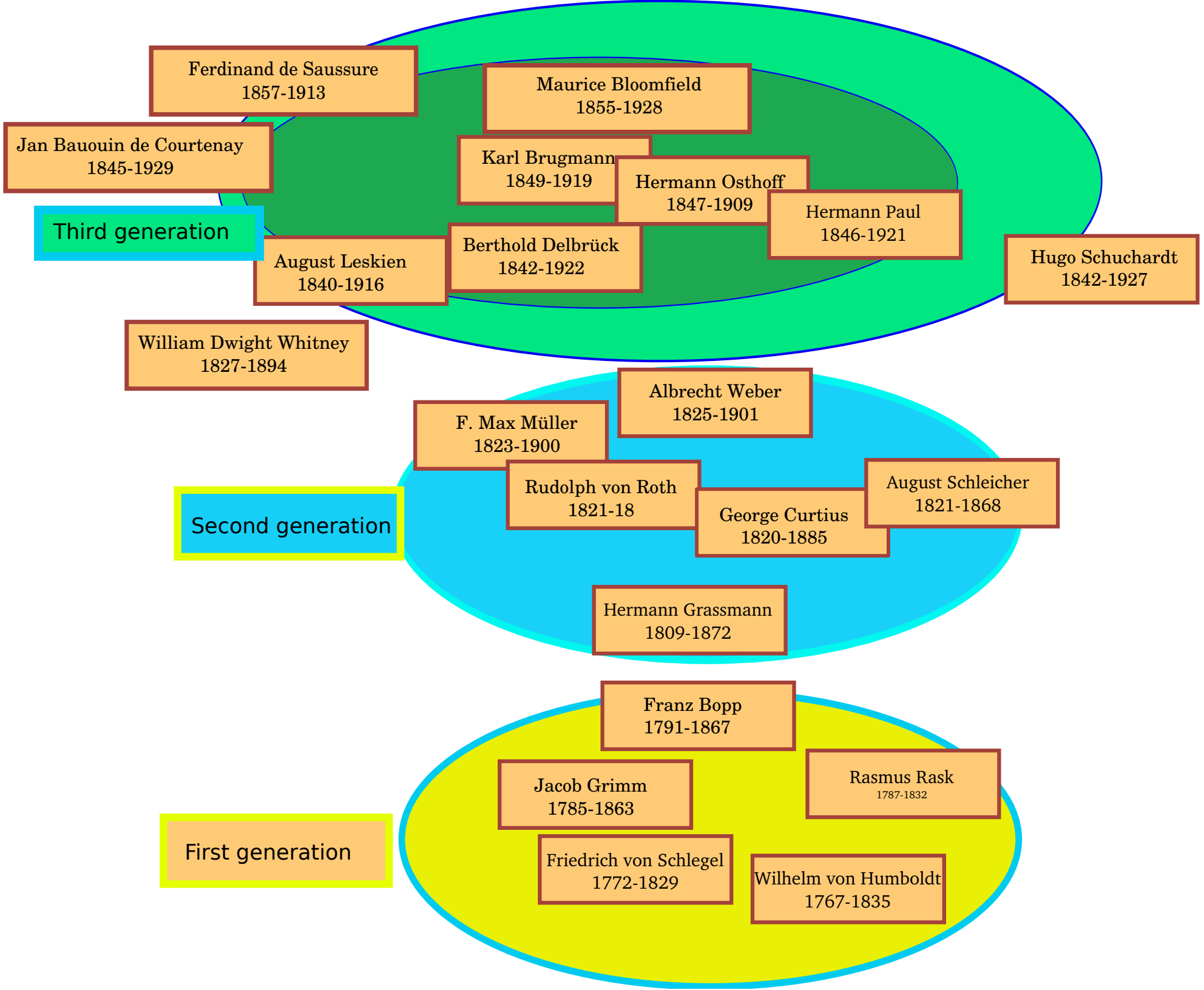
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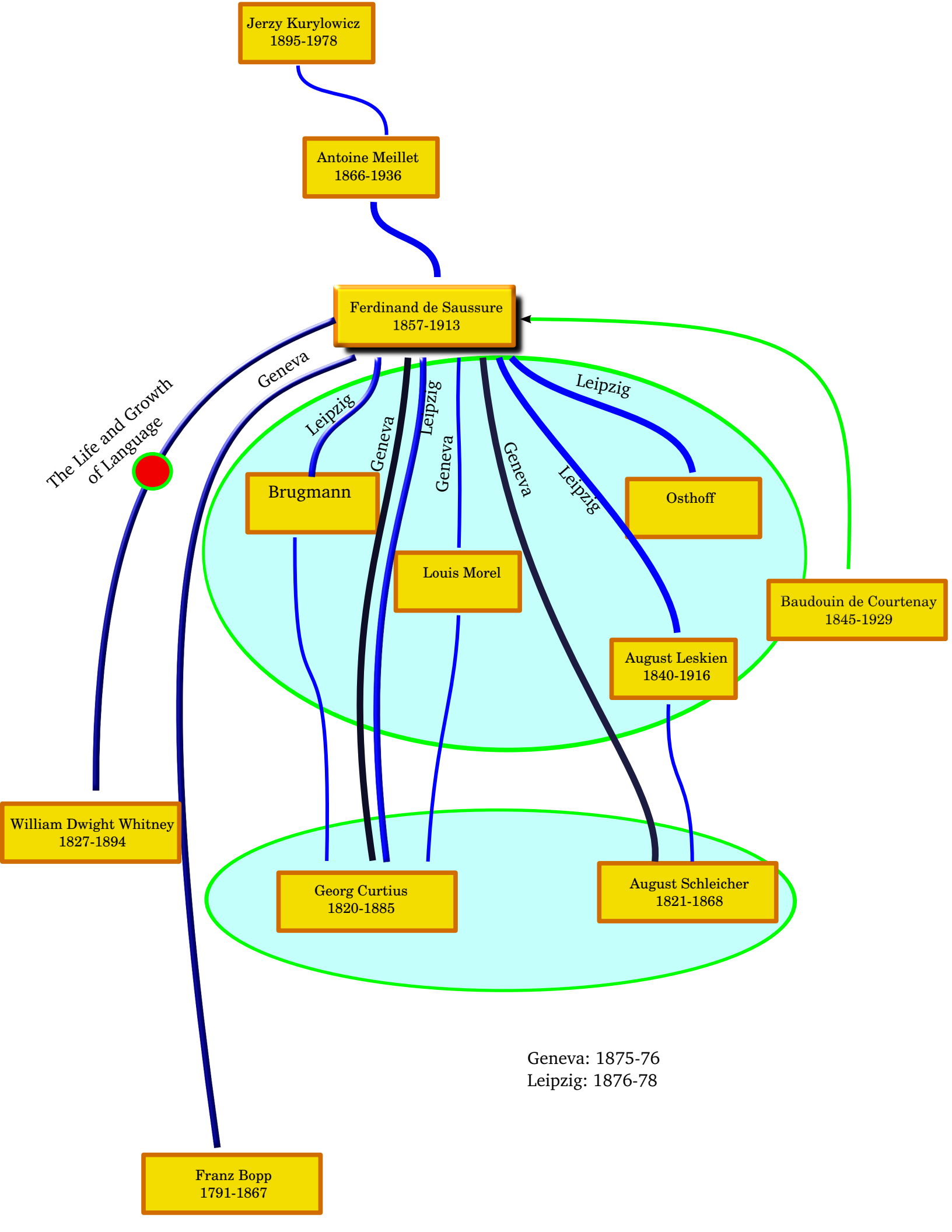
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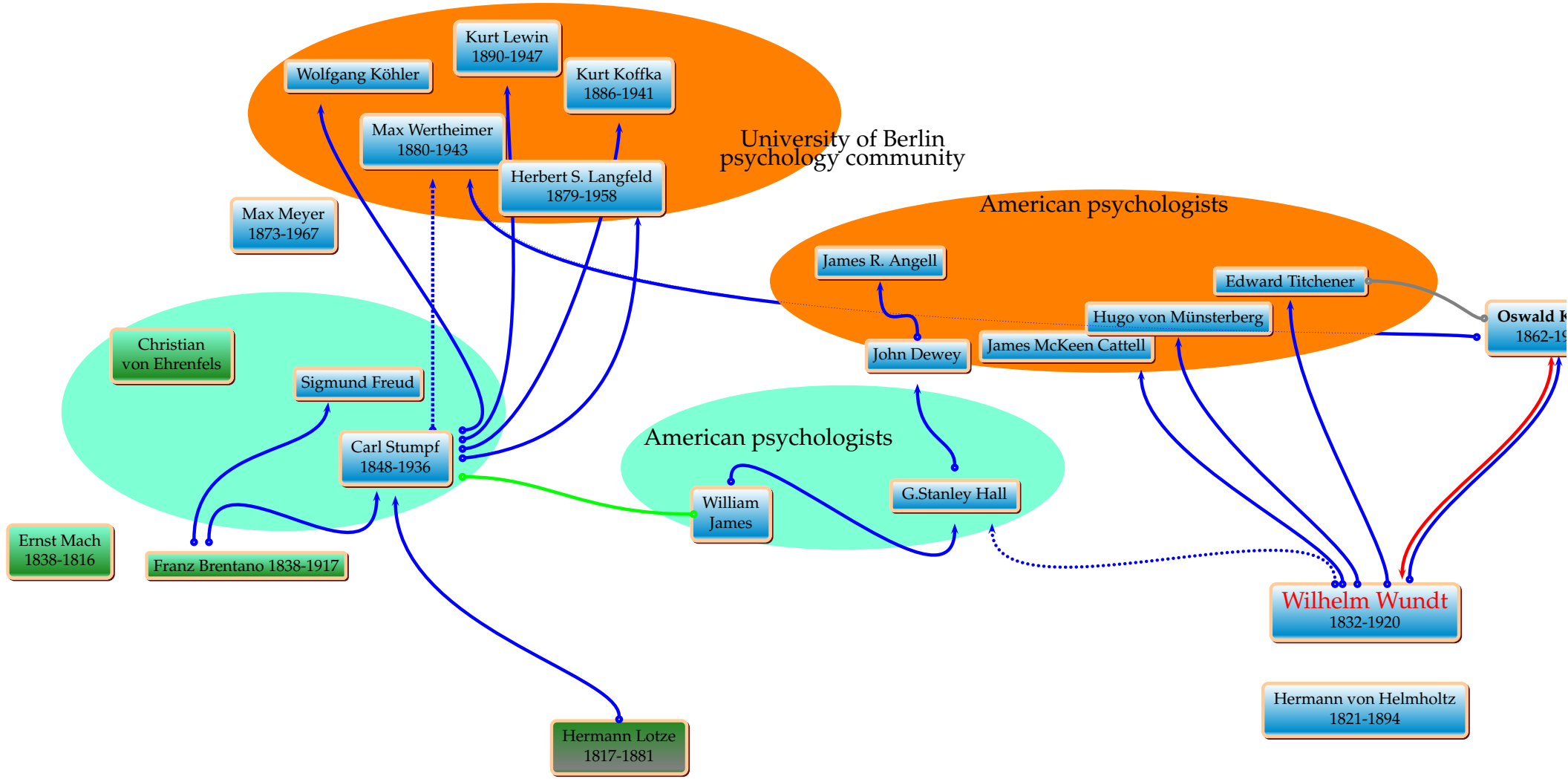
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American psychologists
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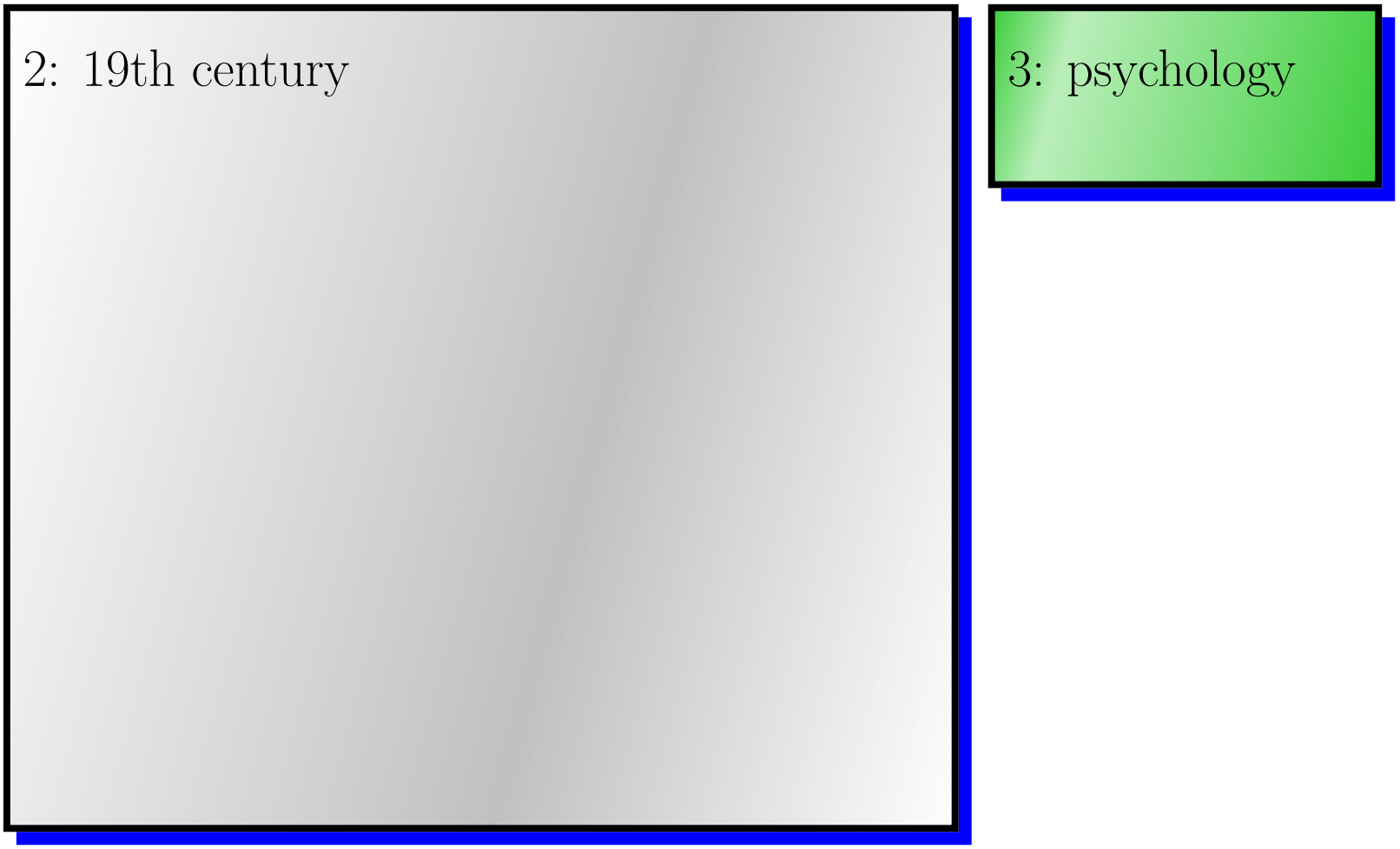

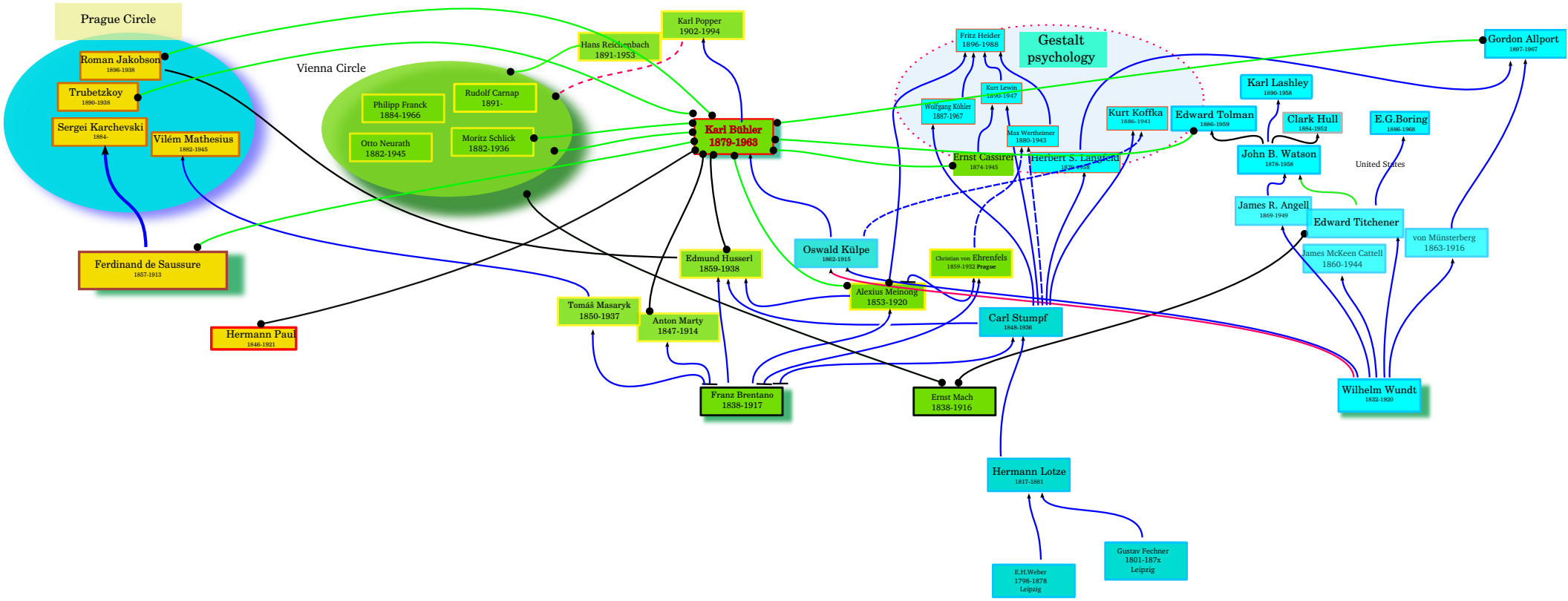
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Tomáš Masaryk
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Anton Marty
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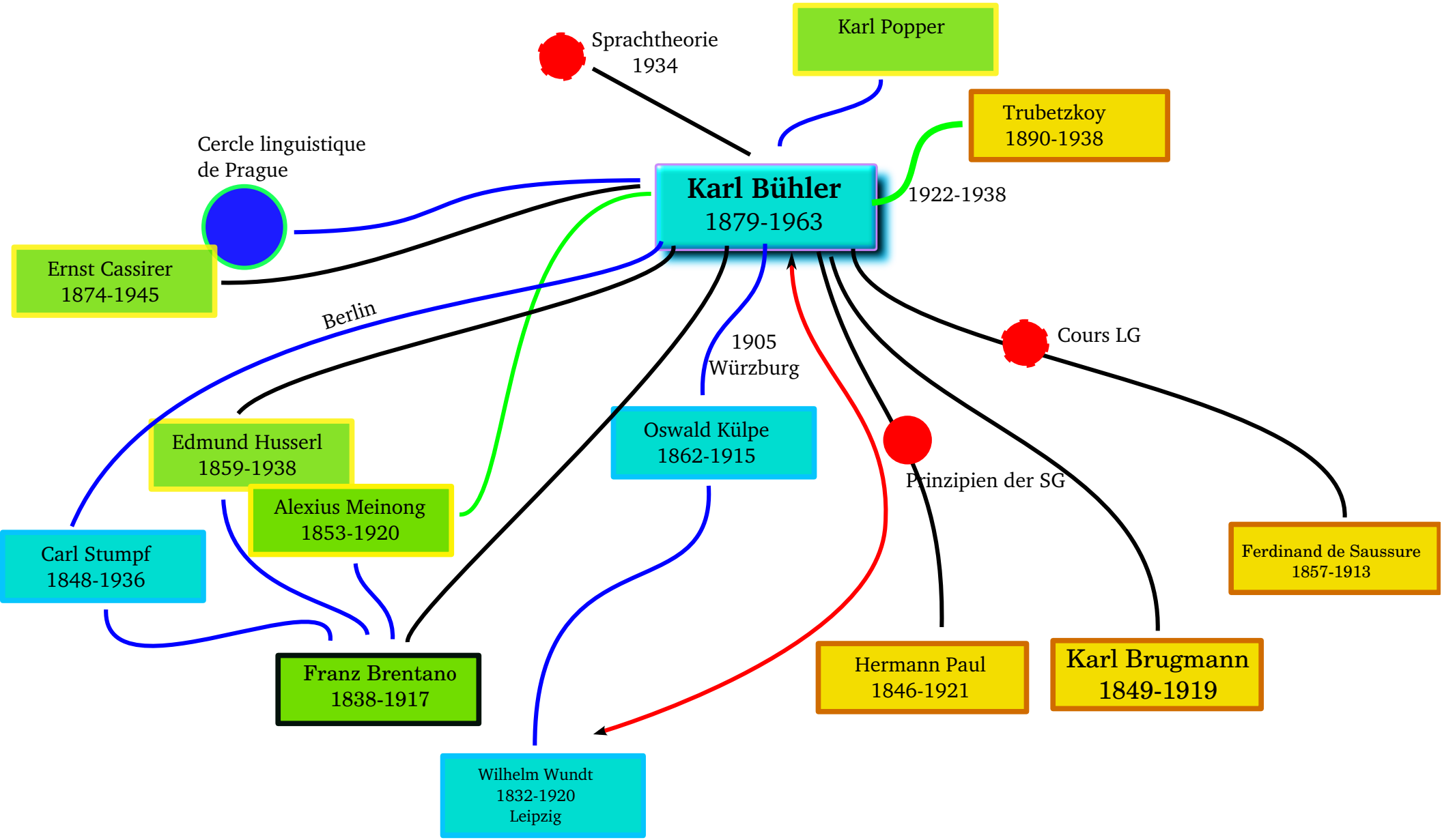
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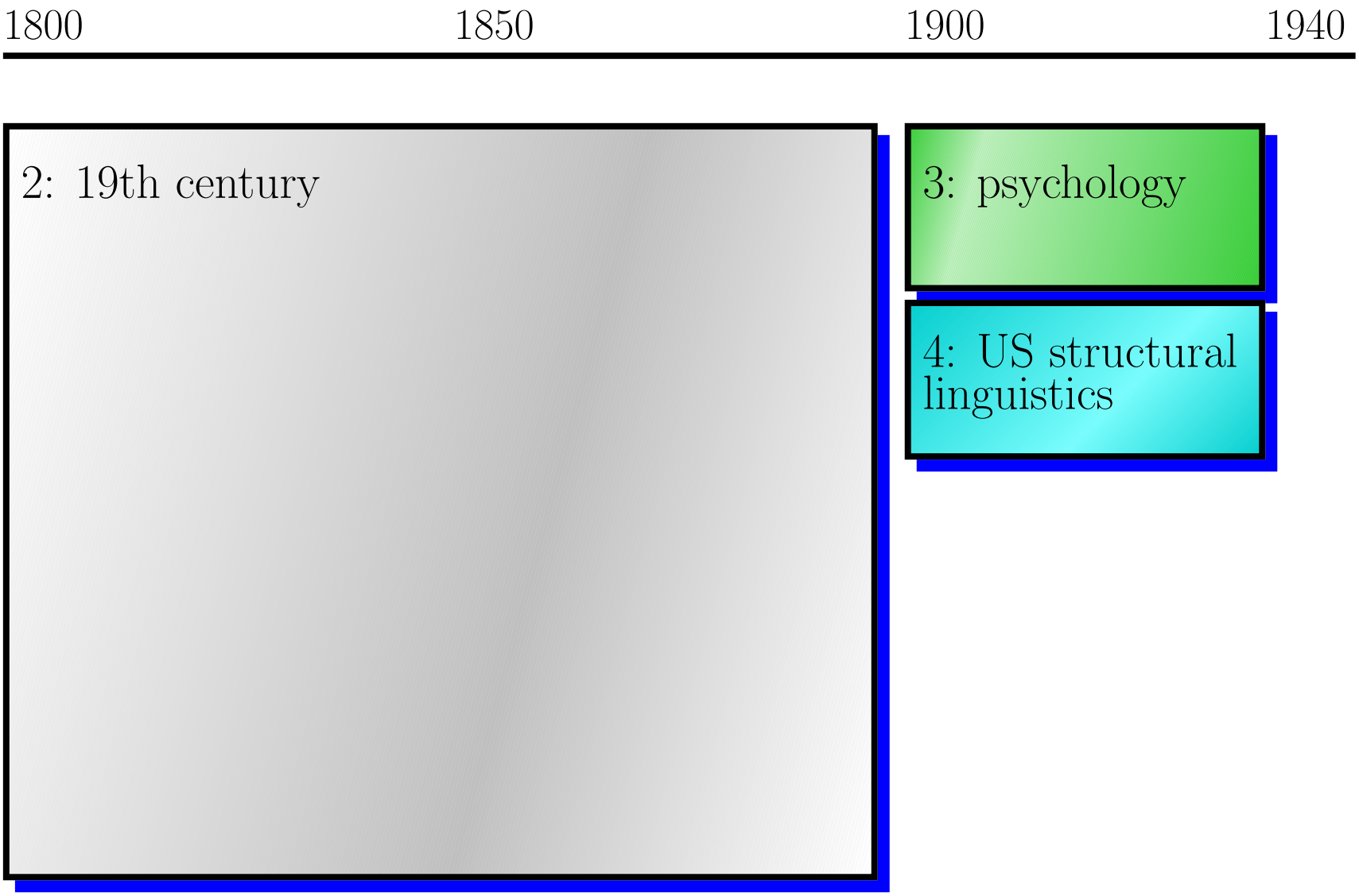
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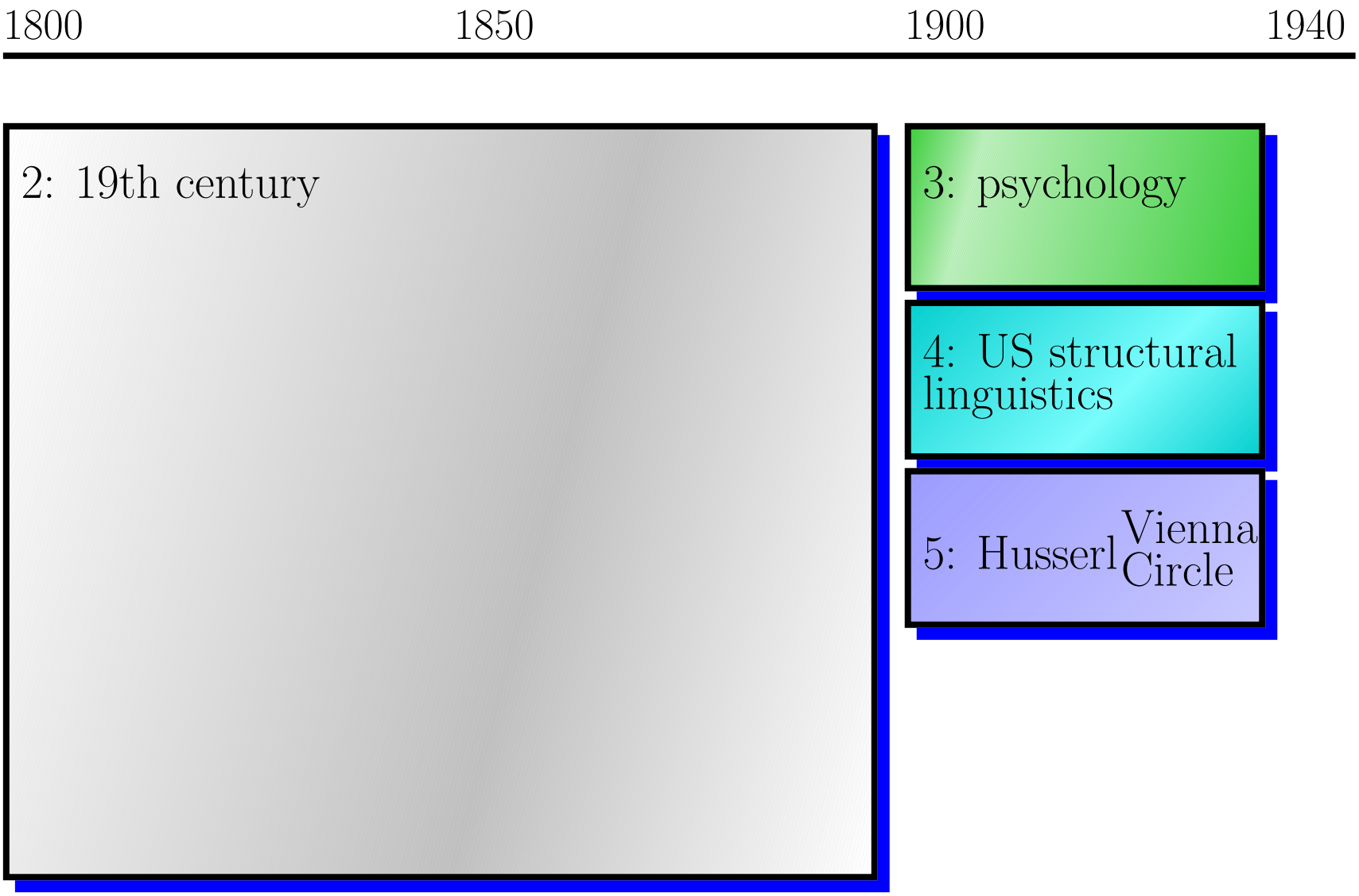
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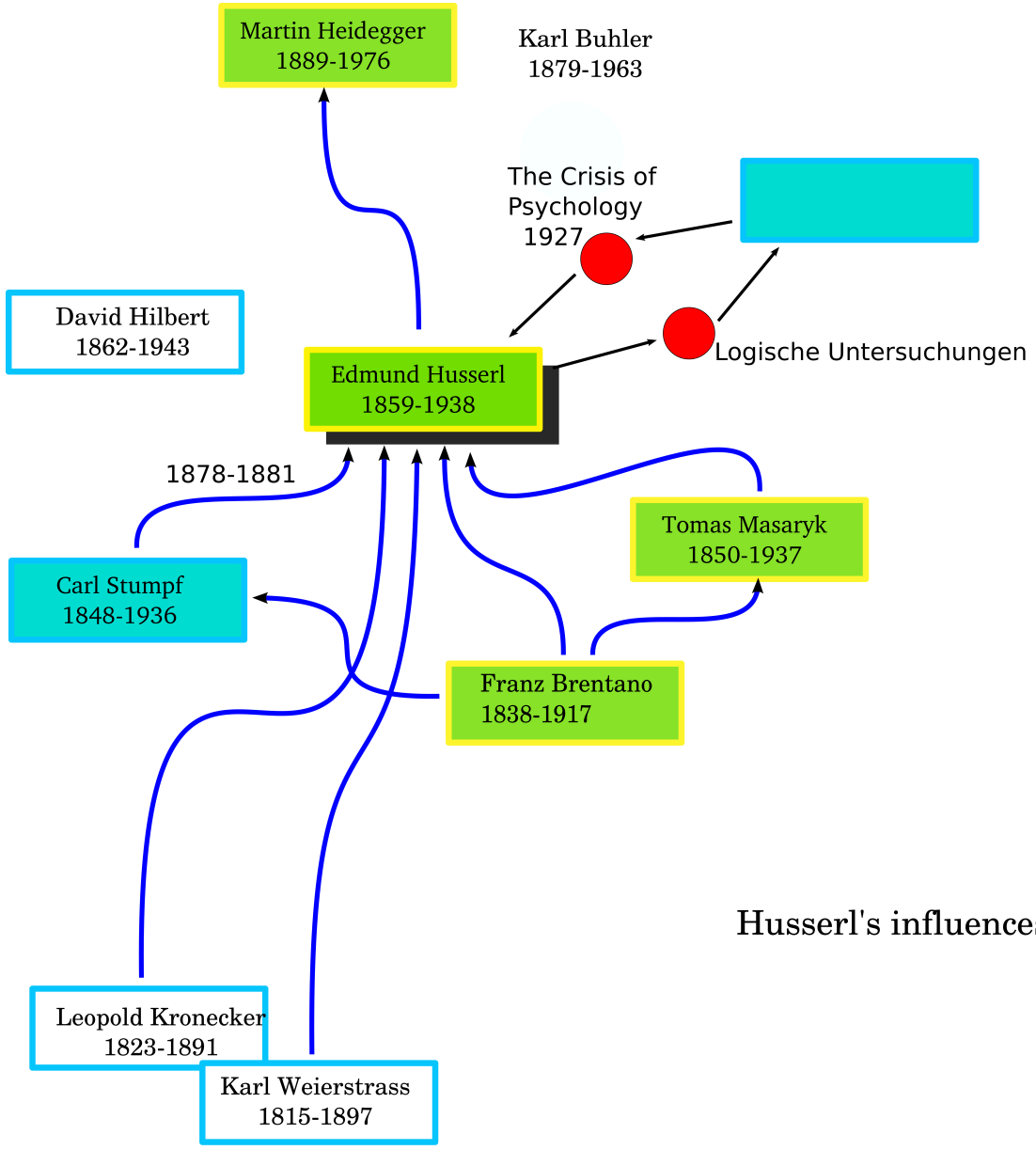

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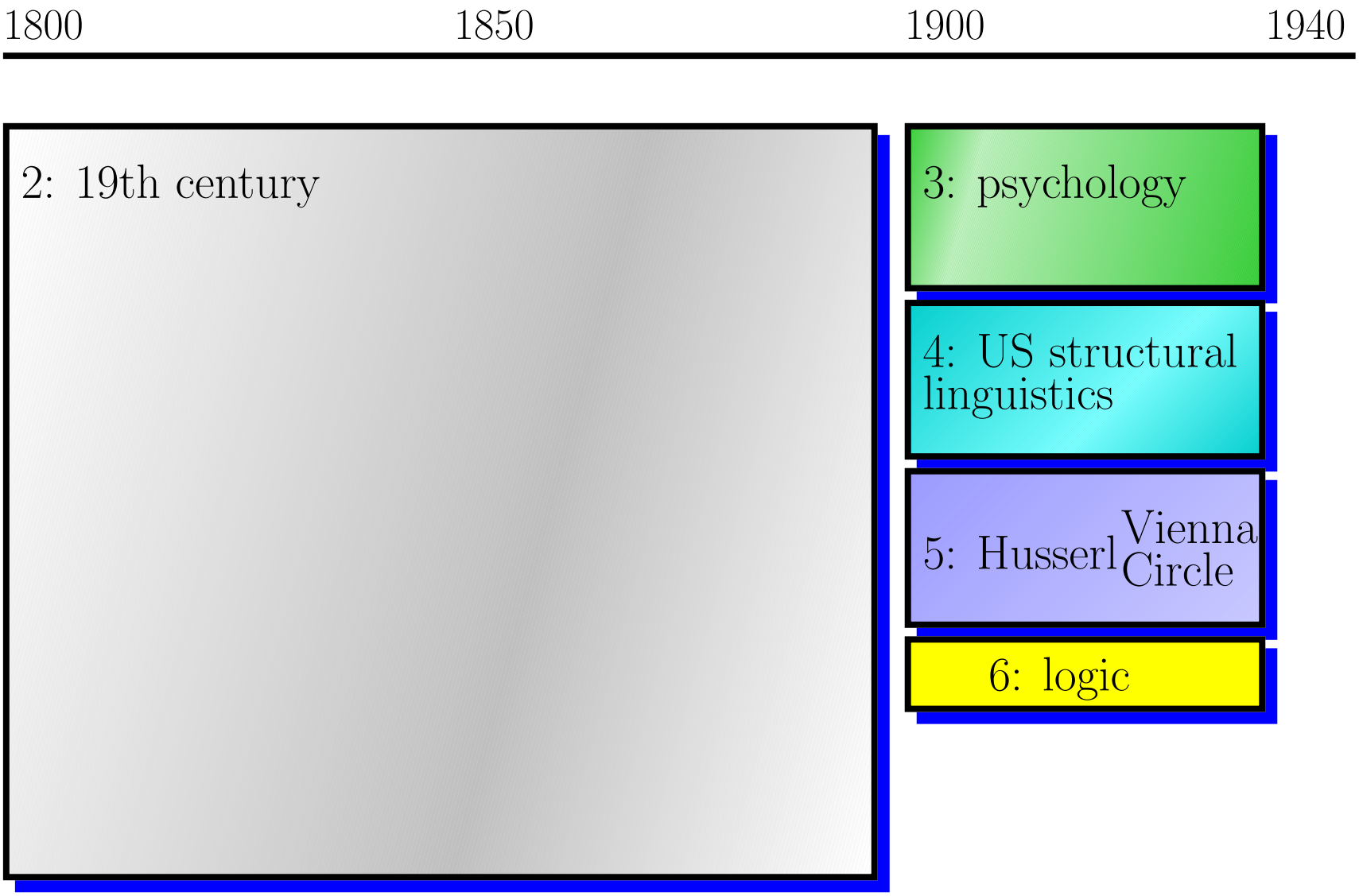
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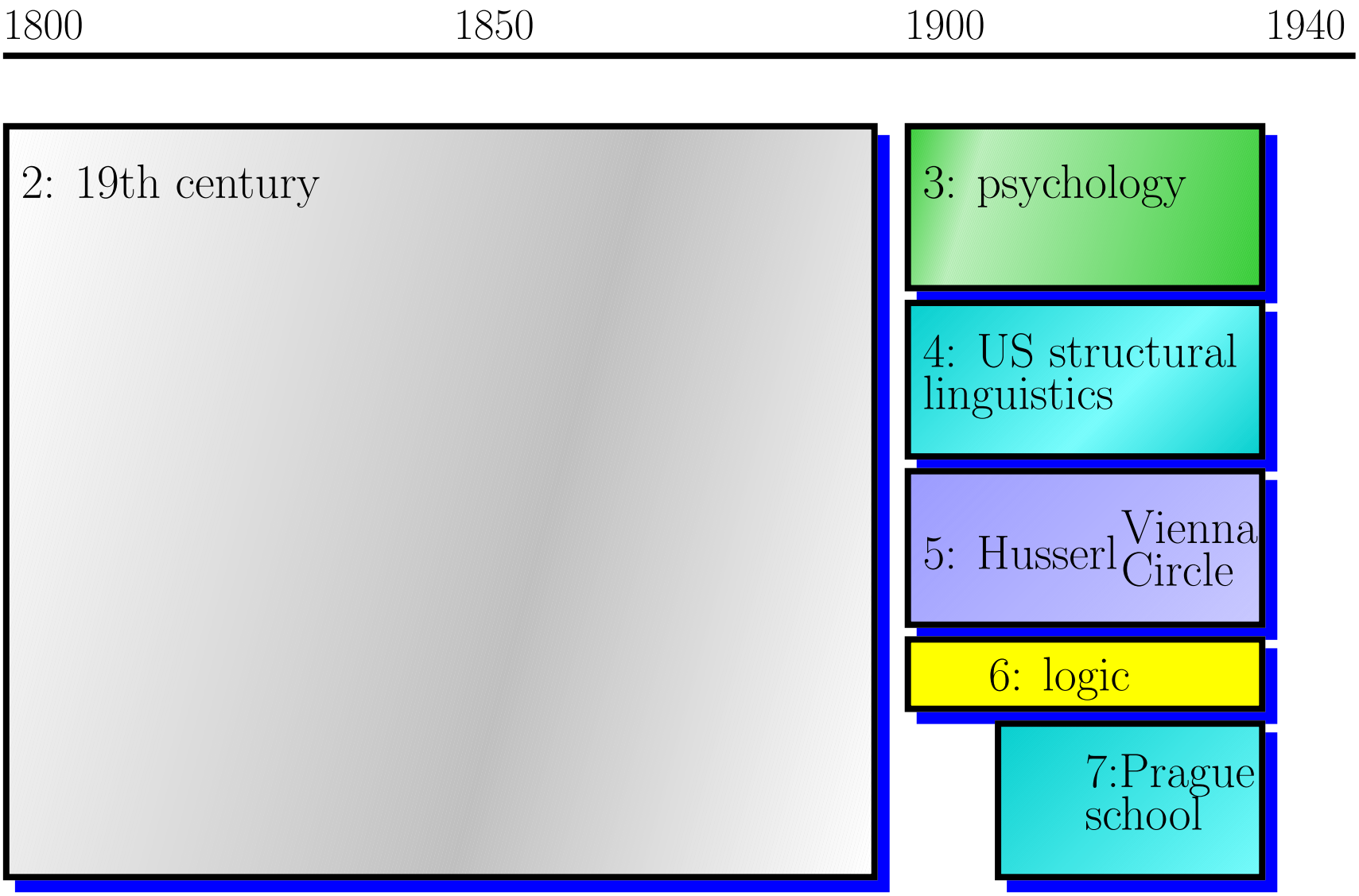
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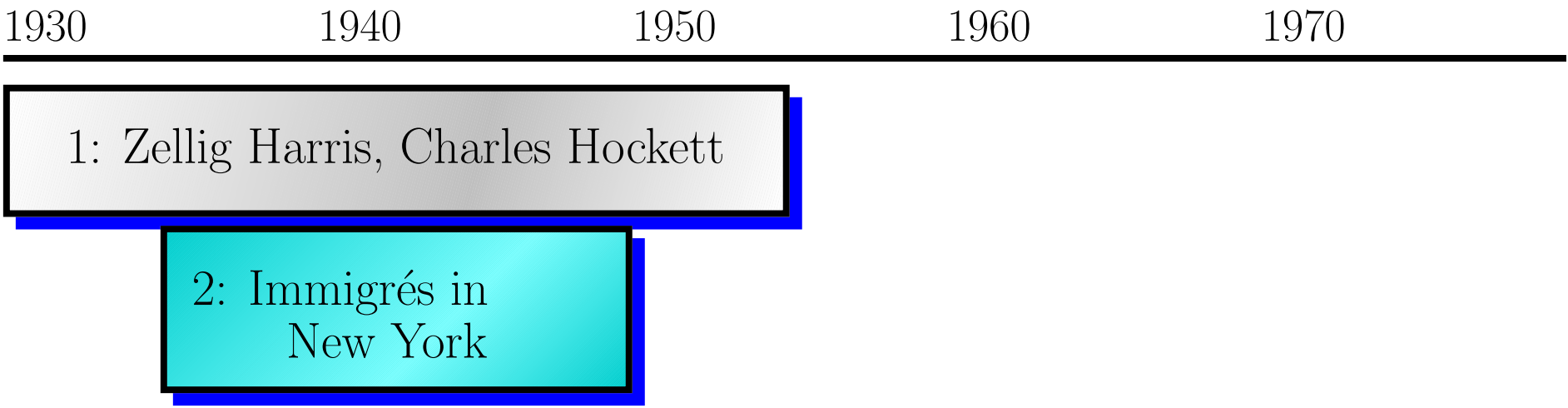
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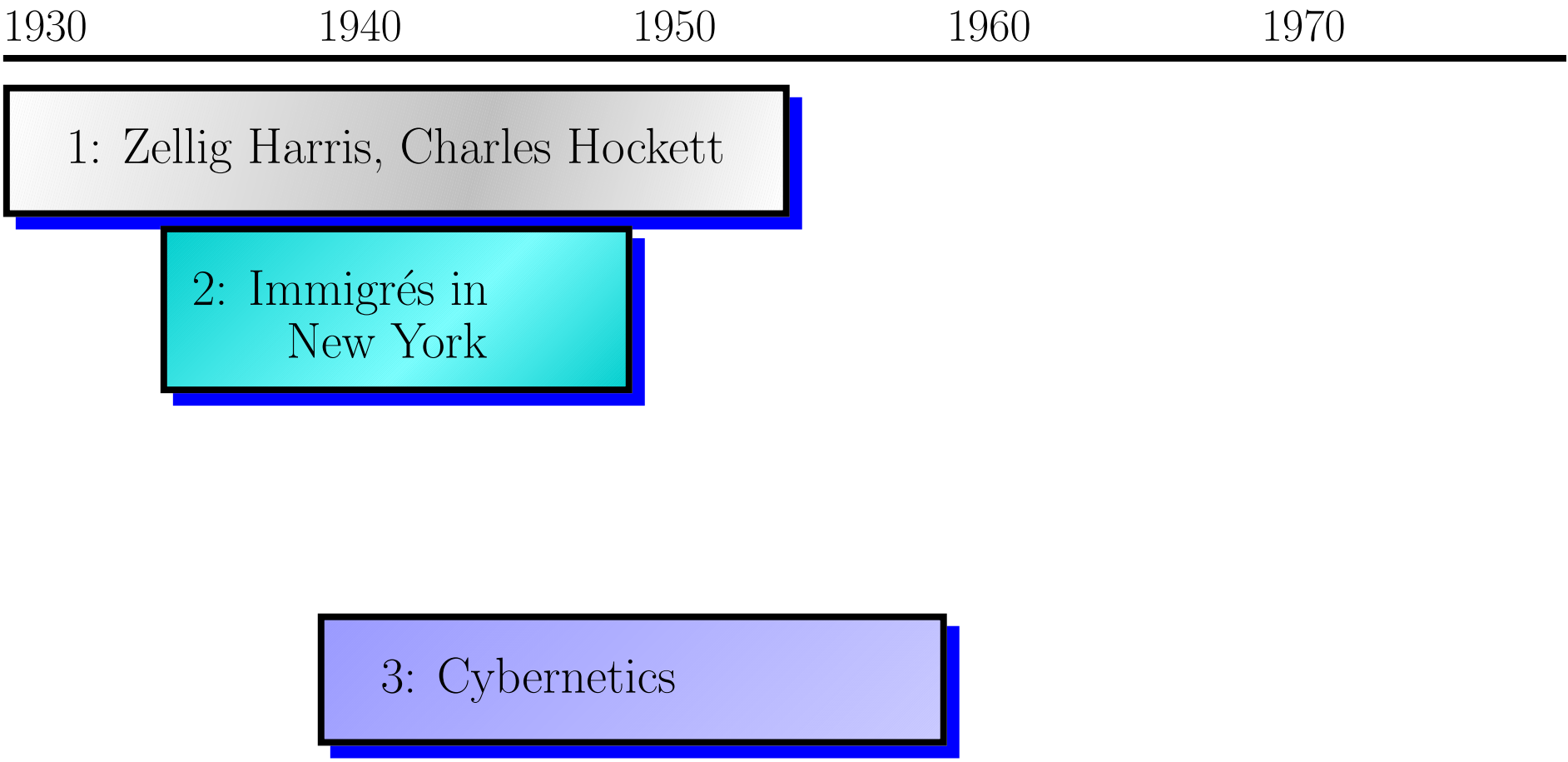
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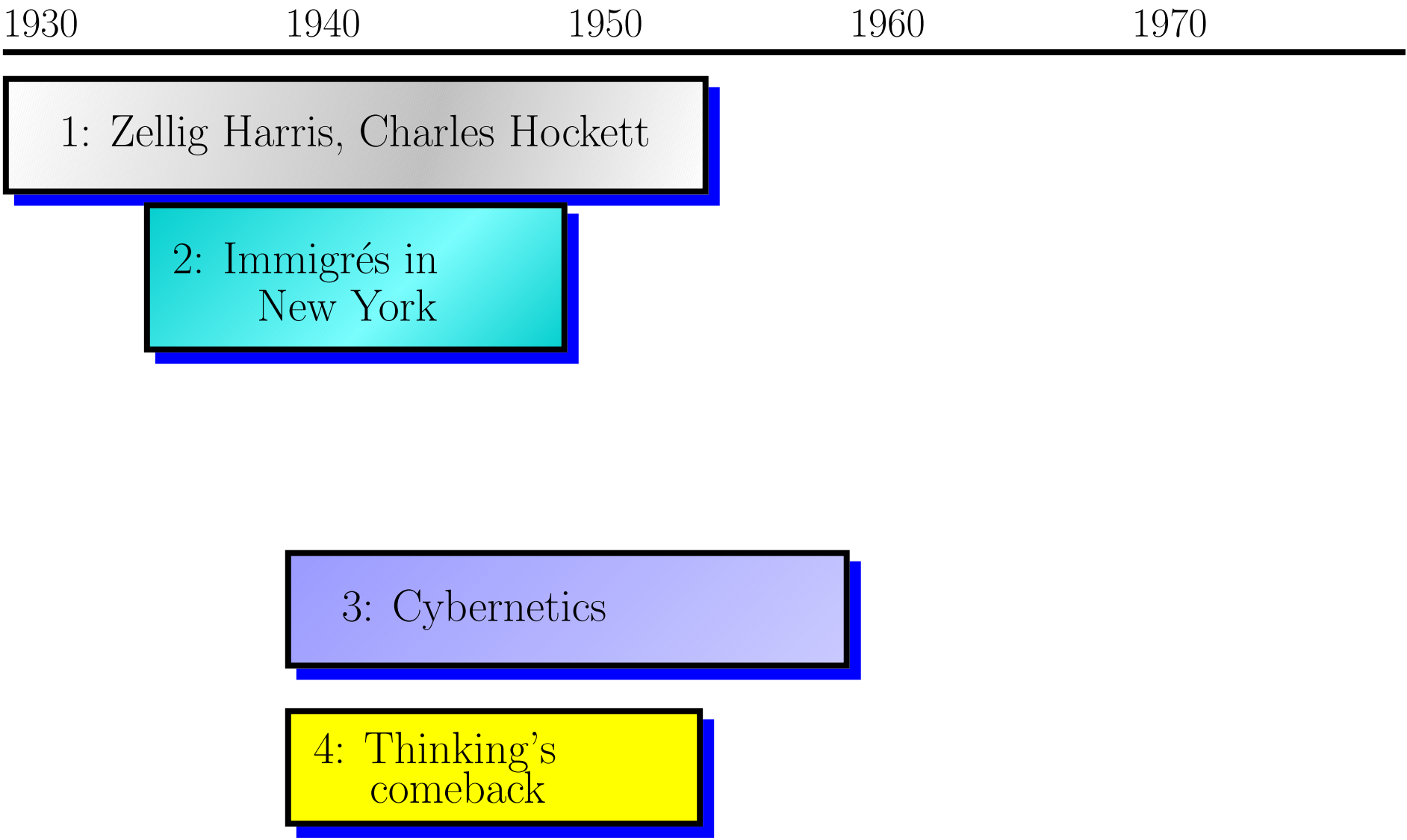
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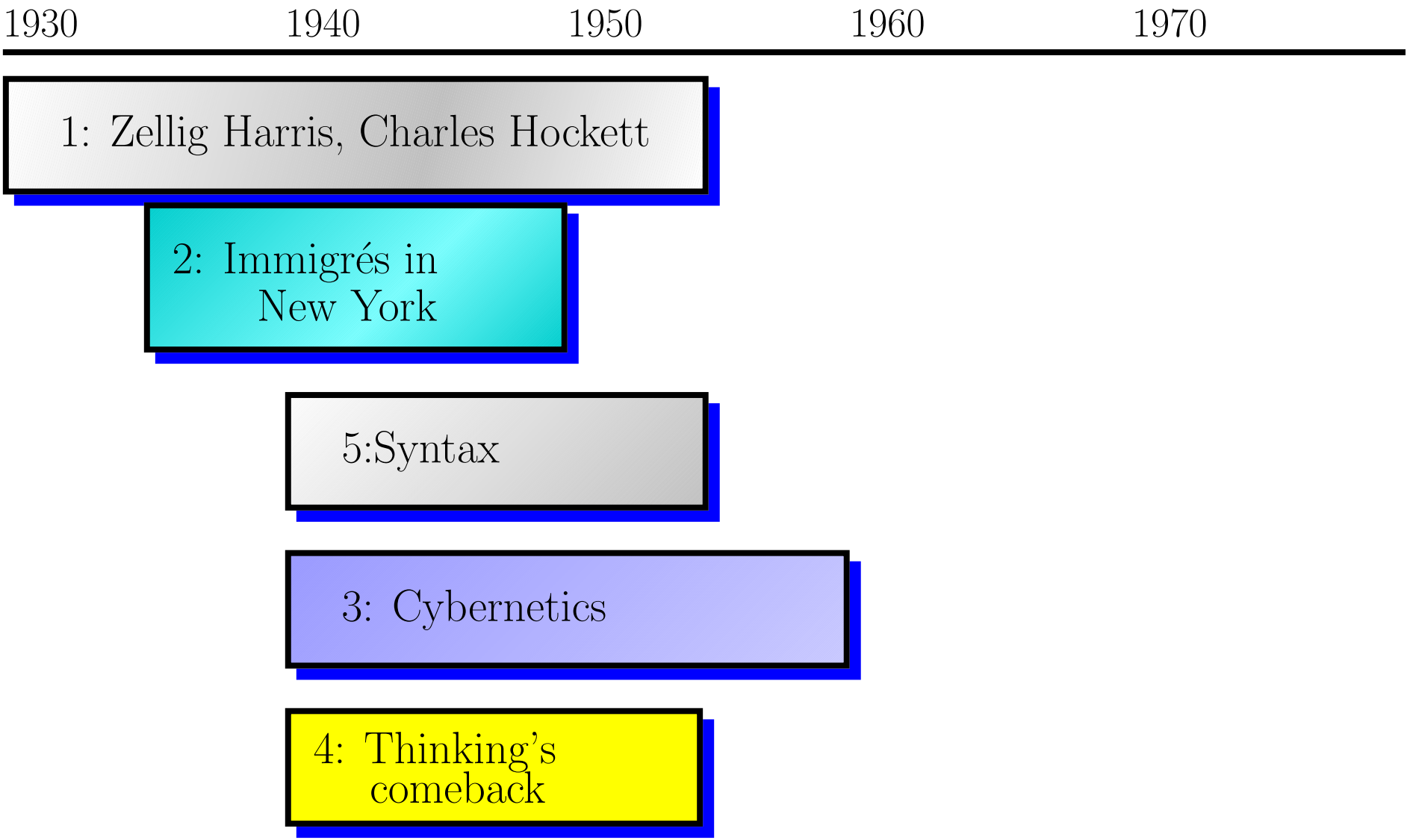
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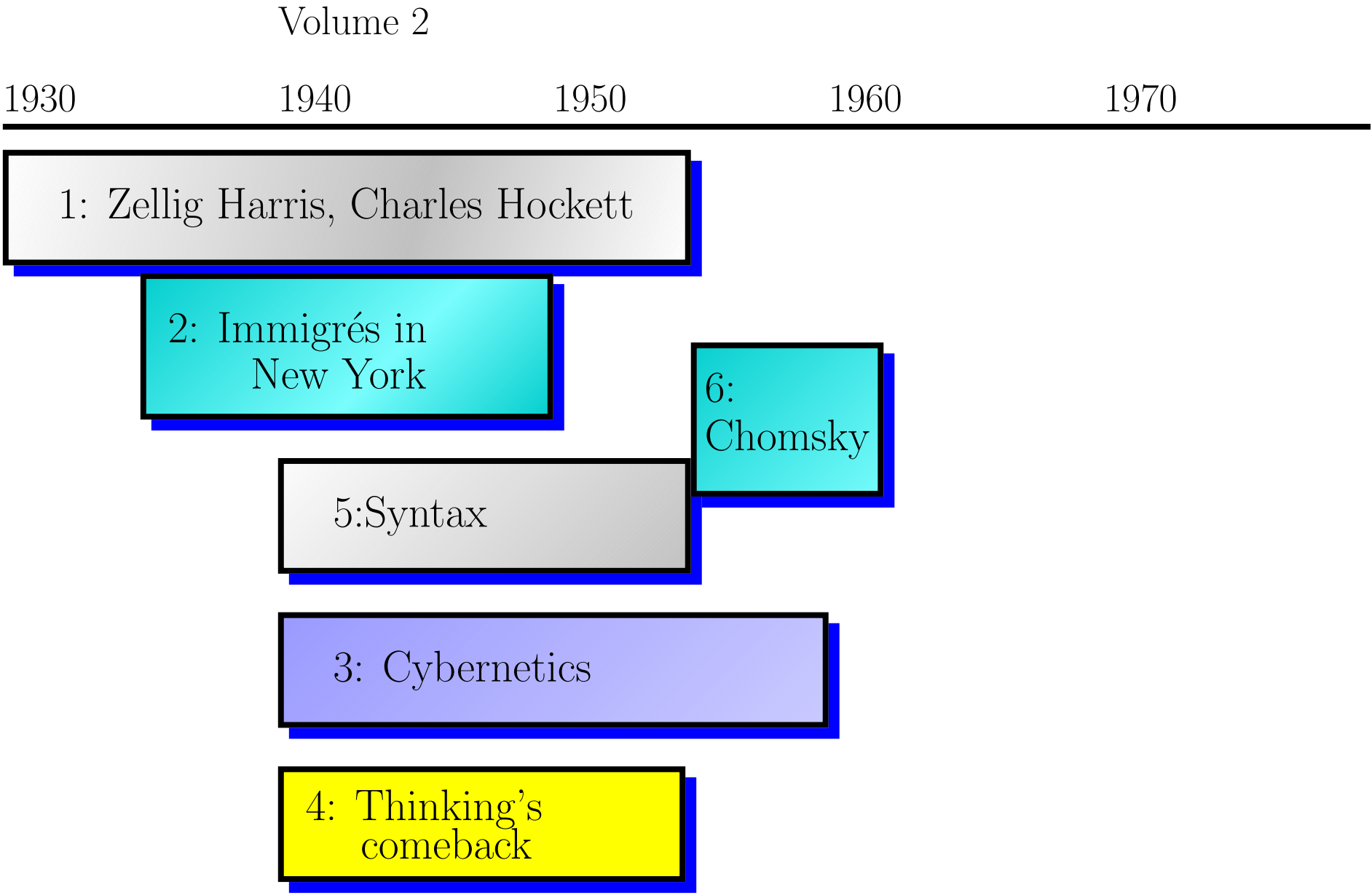
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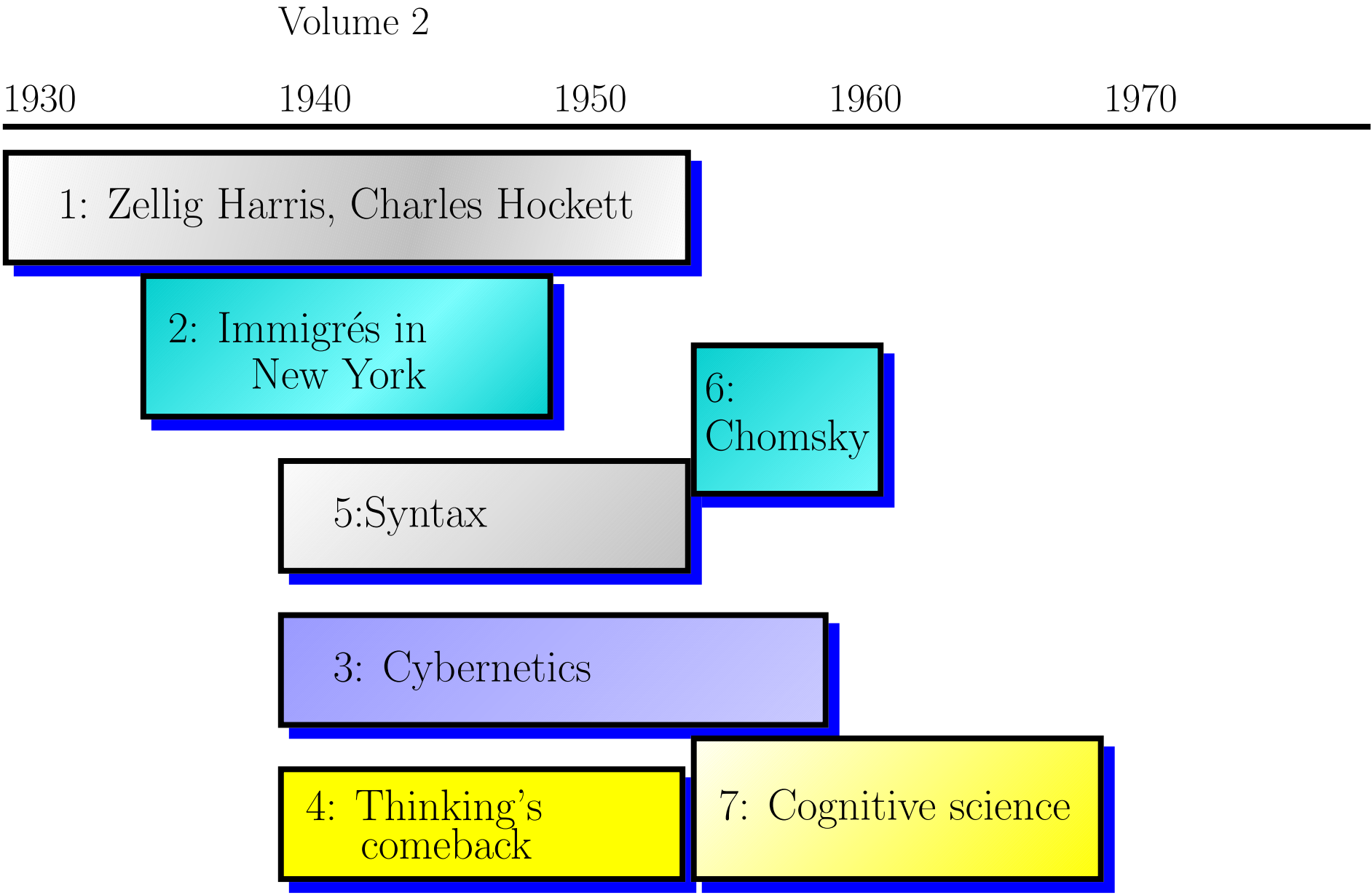
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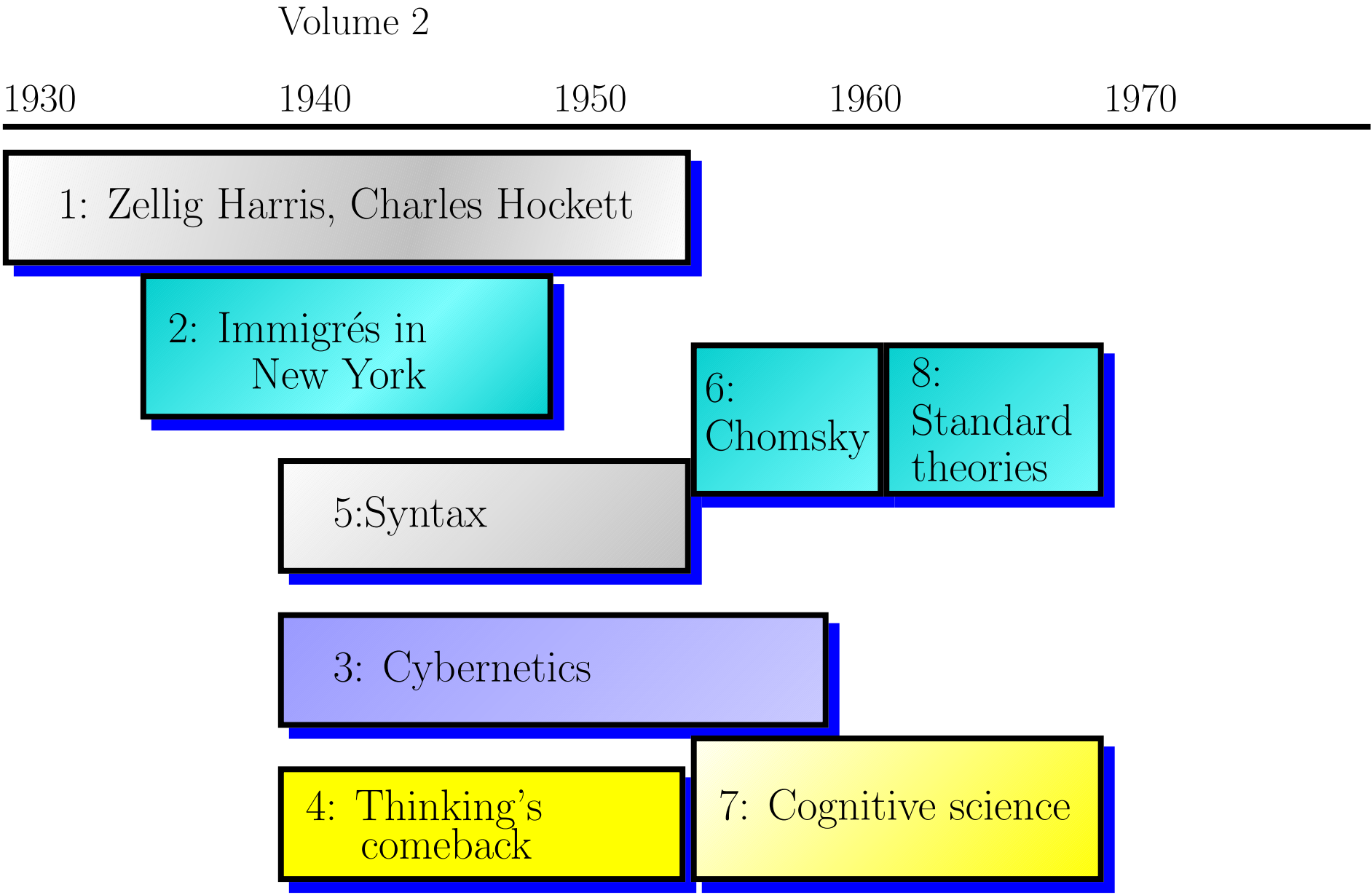
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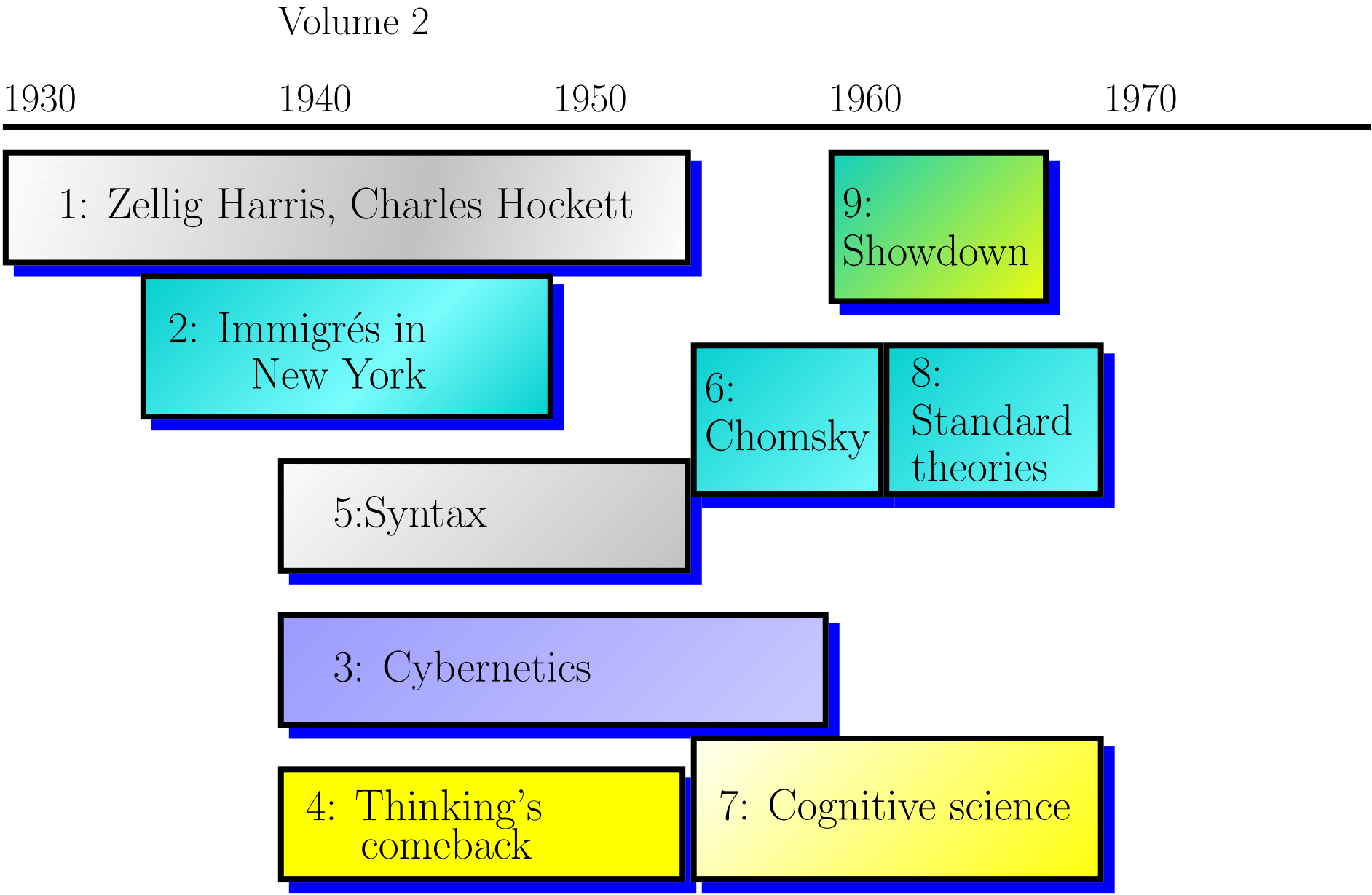
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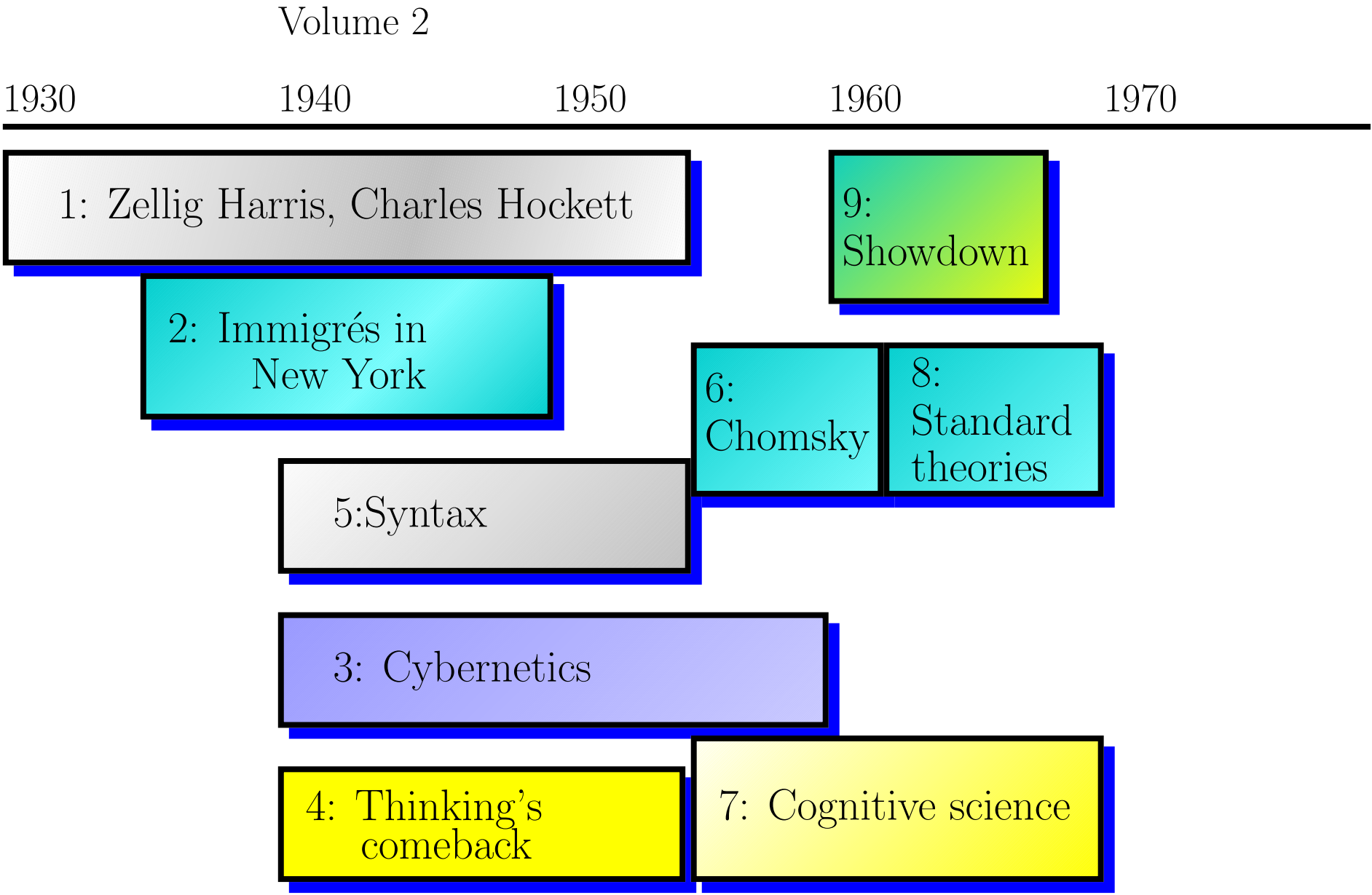
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