

## Abstract

The present article examined how creativity and psychological functioning interacted with each other. Previous research suggested that some psychological traits such as internal locus of control, open to experience, and healthy perceived mental health status were positively related with creativity. The present study invited 80 Hong Kong university students to participate the experiment. Results did not consistent with previous research in which external locus of control was related to originality. In addition, number of siblings correlated significantly with elaboration. Further study was recommended to explore the possible effects of family background, relationships between siblings and other psychological traits on creativity.