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Teller and the neuroscience of magic

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Submitted: Apr 27, 2009 - Writing in Wired, Jonah Lehrer talks to Teller (of Penn and Teller fame) about his contribution to a recent paper on the neurology of magic. Fascinating reading -- magic as applied neuroscience.

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