Contents

Introduction: Whac-a-Mole Myths	X1
Sex, Gender, Sex/Gender or Gender/Sex:	
A note on sex and gender	XX
Part One	
Chapter 1: Inside Her Pretty Little Head – The hunt	
begins	3
Chapter 2: Her Raging Hormones	25
Chapter 3: The Rise of Psychobabble	45
Chapter 4: Brain Myths, Neurotrash and Neurosexism	72
Part Two	
Chapter 5: The Twenty-First-Century Brain	103
Chapter 6: Your Social Brain	120
Part Three	
Chapter 7: Baby Matters - To begin at the beginning	
(or even a bit before)	145
Chapter 8: Let's Hear It for the Babies	169
Chapter 9: The Gendered Waters in Which We Swim -	
The pink and blue tsunami	198
Part Four	
Chapter 10: Sex and Science	235
Chapter 11: Science and the Brain	262
Chapter 12: Good Girls Don't	282

Chapter 13: Inside Her Pretty Little Head –	
A twenty-first-century update	309
Chapter 14: Mars, Venus or Earth? - Have we been	
wrong about sex all along?	327
Conclusion: Raising Dauntless Daughters	
(and Sympathetic Sons)	346
Acknowledgements	359
Notes	363
Index	413
THUEX	413