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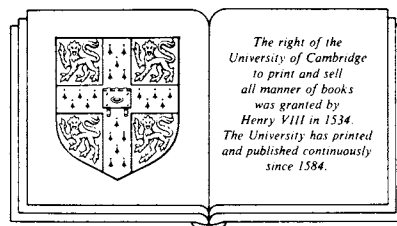
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PREFACE

Teaching in Cambridge proved to be refreshing and stimulated my wish to write a new version of my earlier book, *Das menschliche Gehirn* (Hippokrates Verlag Stuttgart, 1968), drawing upon my experience and accumulated teaching material. This new book attempts, as did an earlier one (*Experimental Neurology*, Clarendon Press, Oxford, 1961), a combination of morphological data with physiological and neurological studies.

Being primarily a morphologist rooted in the concept of the evolution of structure I have placed the emphasis on structural organisation, but functional aspects, experimental research and clinical findings have been incorporated, broadening the interest for clinical students and for students of neurobiology.

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