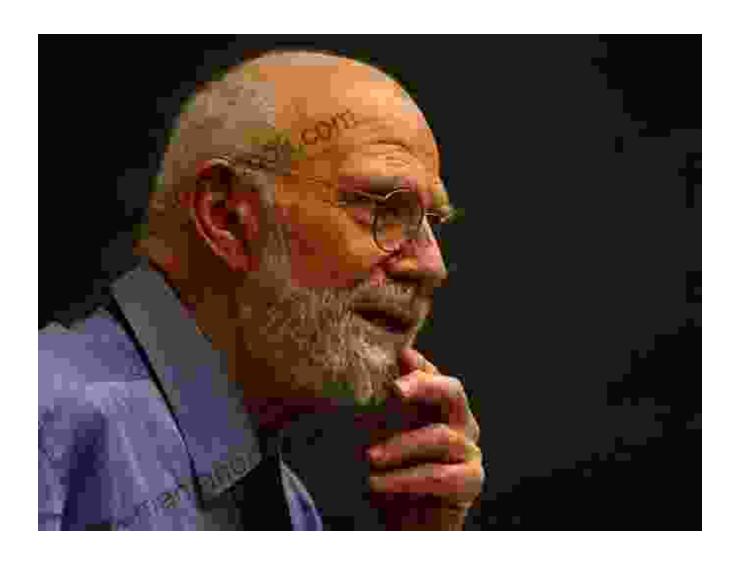
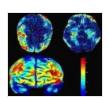
# Case Study: Oliver Sacks, MD: A Neurological Pioneer and Bestselling Author



Oliver Sacks, MD, was a world-renowned neurologist, author, and professor of neurology. He was best known for his books, which explored the human condition through the lens of neurological disorders.



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Sacks was born in London, England in 1933. He attended Queen's College, Oxford, where he studied medicine. After graduating from medical school, Sacks moved to the United States, where he completed his residency in neurology at Mount Sinai Hospital in New York City.

In 1966, Sacks published his first book, Migraine. The book was a critical and commercial success, and it established Sacks as a leading authority on the subject of migraines.

Sacks continued to write books about neurology throughout his career. His most famous books include Awakenings, The Man Who Mistook His Wife for a Hat, and An Anthropologist on Mars.

Sacks's books have been translated into more than 40 languages and have sold more than 10 million copies worldwide. His work has been praised for its clarity, compassion, and humanity.

Sacks died in New York City in 2015 at the age of 82. He is survived by his wife, Kate Edgar.

#### **Sacks's Contributions to Neurology**

Sacks was a pioneer in the field of neurology. He was one of the first doctors to recognize the importance of the patient's subjective experience in understanding neurological disorders.

Sacks's work has had a profound impact on the way that neurologists think about and treat patients. He has helped to humanize the field of neurology and to make it more accessible to patients and their families.

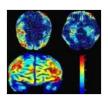
#### **Sacks's Literary Legacy**

Sacks was a gifted writer. His books are beautifully written and accessible to a wide audience. Sacks's books have helped to raise awareness of neurological disorders and to reduce the stigma associated with them.

Sacks's work has also inspired other writers. His books have been adapted into films, plays, and operas. Sacks's work has also been the subject of numerous academic studies.

Oliver Sacks was a brilliant neurologist and author. His work has had a profound impact on the field of neurology and on the way that we think about the human condition.

Sacks's legacy will continue to inspire generations of neurologists, writers, and patients.



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