

A new era of large-scale replication and collaboration?



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Where science is *not* self-correcting

False positive zones

- researcher degrees of freedom high (*p-hacking*)
- victory declared whenever null hypothesis is rejected, where *size of effect, plausibility* considered unimportant.

The newer the domain, the more cutting-edge the tech

#AcademicNoir

"This one's Psych Science.
1998. Put your money on 'will
replicate'?"

"What, you think I was born
yesterday?"

"Fine," muttered the bookie.



Well, Mr. Hacker, your luck is about to run out.

Down at the journals, they're running a new game. They call it 'preregistration'.



Open Science Framework

Badges to Acknowledge Open Practices

<https://osf.io/tvyxz/wiki/home/>



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100% P-hacking Free



Here, check our numbers.



<https://osf.io/tvyxz/wiki/home/>

Here's how you can replicate our result.

Research Report:

Alin Coman and Jessica N. Berry

Infectious Cognition: Risk Perception Affects Socially Shared Retrieval-Induced Forgetting of Medical Information

Psychological Science 0956797615609438, first published on October 26, 2015

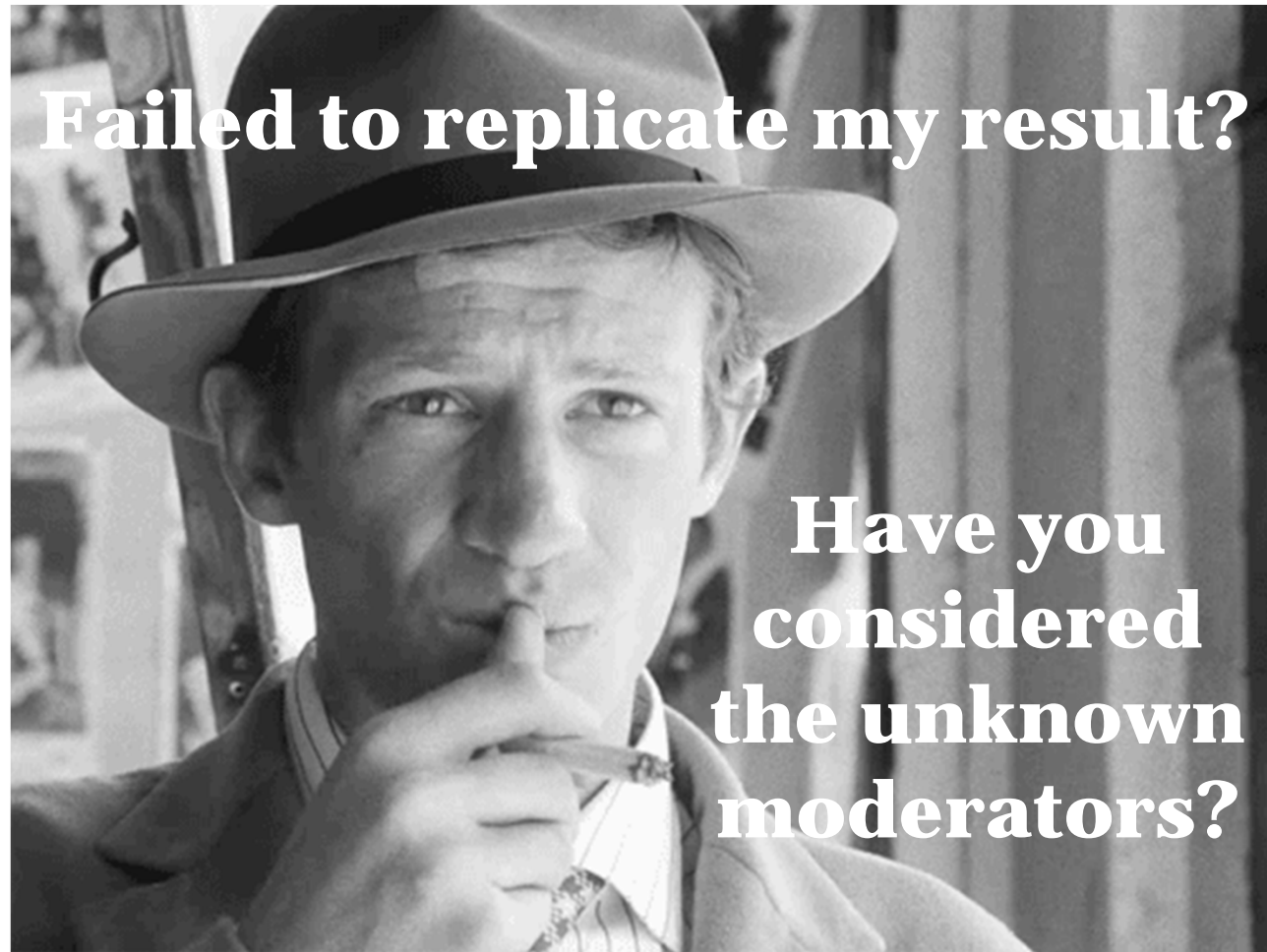
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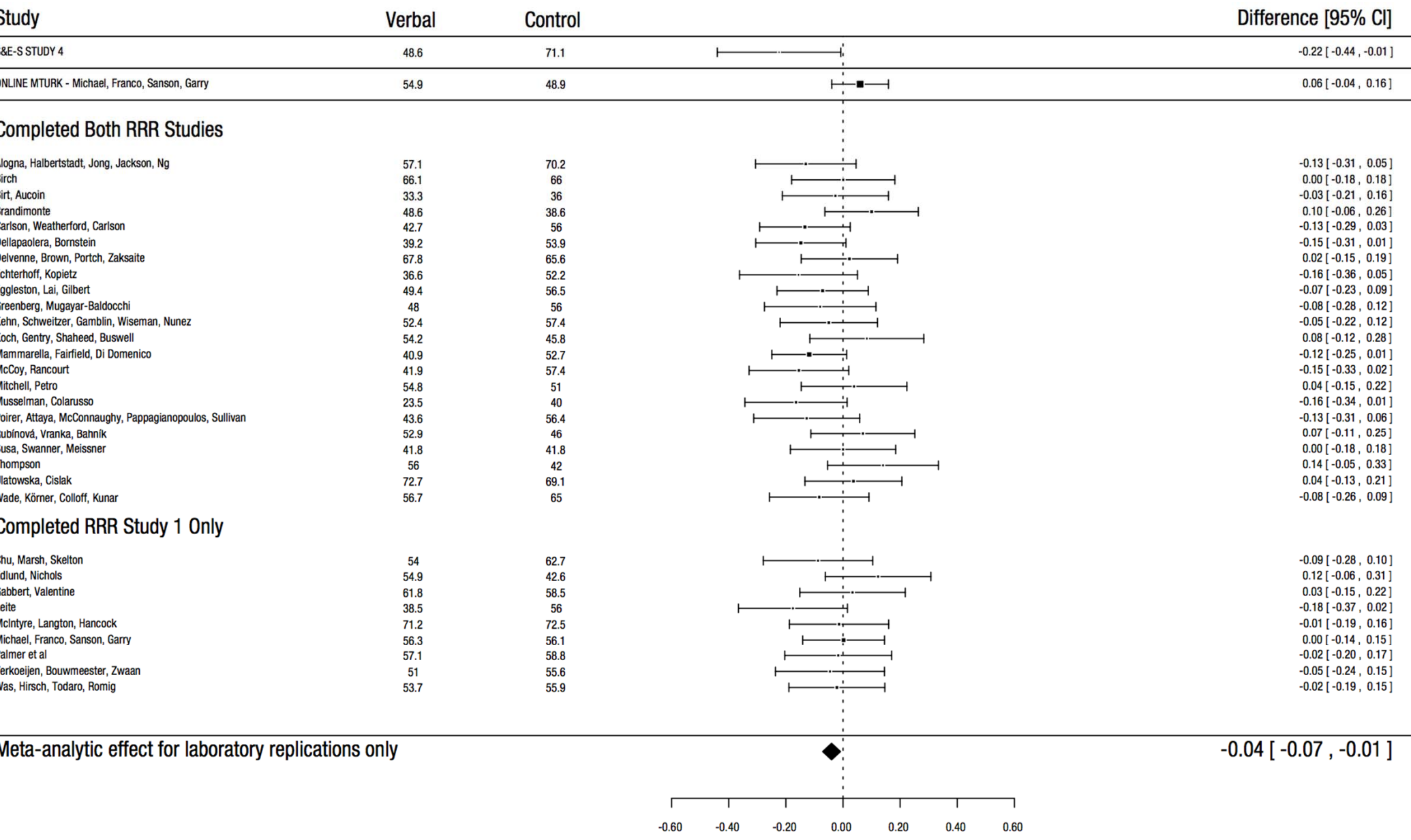
Failed to replicate my result?

**Have you
considered
the unknown
moderators?**



Any one of us alone, he'll say we messed up. But if we all run the replication together, we can show the big guy we're right.

Meta-analysis forest plot



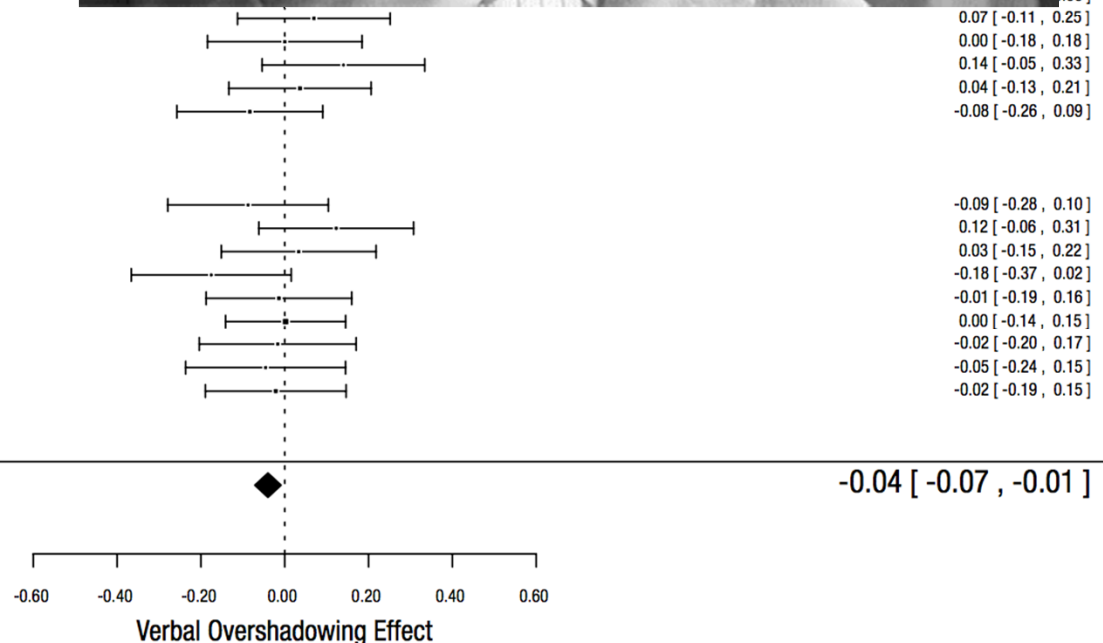
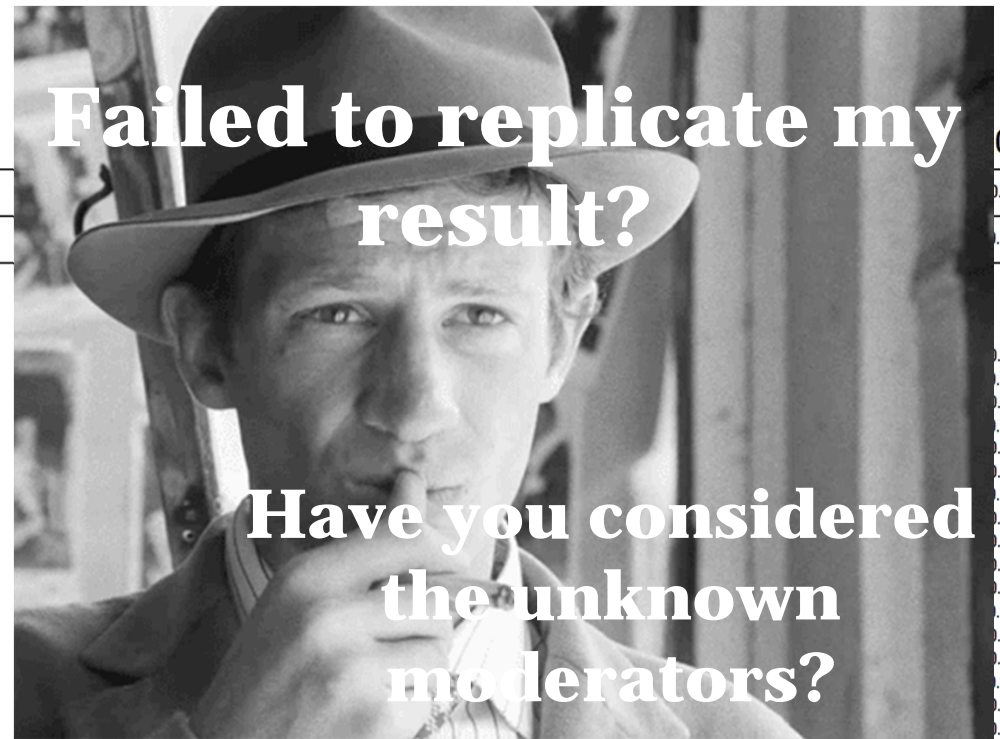
You messed up!



Greenberg, Mugayar-Baldocchi	48	56
Kehn, Schweitzer, Gambin, Wiseman, Nunez	52.4	57.4
Koch, Gentry, Shaheed, Buswell	54.2	45.8
Mammarella, Fairfield, Di Domenico	40.9	52.7
McCoy, Rancourt	41.9	57.4
Mitchell, Petro	54.8	51
Musselman, Colarusso	23.5	40
Poirer, Attaya, McConaughy, Pappagianopoulos, Sullivan	43.6	56.4
Rubínová, Vranka, Bahník	52.9	46
Susa, Swanner, Meissner	41.8	41.8
Thompson	56	42
Ulatowska, Cislak	72.7	69.1
Wade, Körner, Colloff, Kunar	56.7	65

Completed RRR Study 1 Only

Chu, Marsh, Skelton	54	62.7
Edlund, Nichols	54.9	42.6
Gabbert, Valentine	61.8	58.5
Leite	38.5	56
McIntyre, Langton, Hancock	71.2	72.5
Michael, Franco, Sanson, Garry	56.3	56.1
Palmer et al	57.1	58.8
Verkoeijen, Bouwmeester, Zwaan	51	55.6
Was, Hirsch, Todaro, Romig	53.7	55.9





Registered Replication Reports

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Replication Proposal and Review Form

The first section of this form asks for a complete description of the original study and the proposed protocol for replicating that study. The sections after that address the procedures and mechanics of conducting the replication.

<http://bizlab.unsw.edu.au/website/conference-2015.php>

RRR—Hart & Albarracin (2011)

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Registered Replication Report

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This site includes the [application](#) used by those who joined this registered replication project (it's now underway so application...

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Participating Research Groups

The following groups are participating. Each of these laboratories has been approved to conduct an independent replication by following the approved protocol.

- [Anita Eerland, A. Sherrill, J. Magliano, R. Zwaan - Northern Illinois University; Open University; Erasmus University Rotterdam - USA and The Netherlands](#)
- [Michael Knepp; University of Mount Union](#)
- [Jason Prenoveau, Marianna Carlucci - Loyola University Maryland, USA](#)
- [Angela Birt - Mount Saint Vincent University, Canada](#)
- [Christopher Kurby - Grand Valley State University, USA](#)
- [Stephen Michael - Mercer University](#)
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- [Joseph Melcher - St. Cloud State University, USA](#)
- [Stephanie Berger - College of Mount Saint Vincent, New York, USA](#)
- [Christopher Poirier - Stonehill College, MA, USA](#)

The link provided with each group goes to that group's OSF project webpage for their replication study. However they may be private until shortly before the associated paper is published.

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Preregistration
Large-scale replication
Open data
Open protocol and code

Can we do this bottom-up



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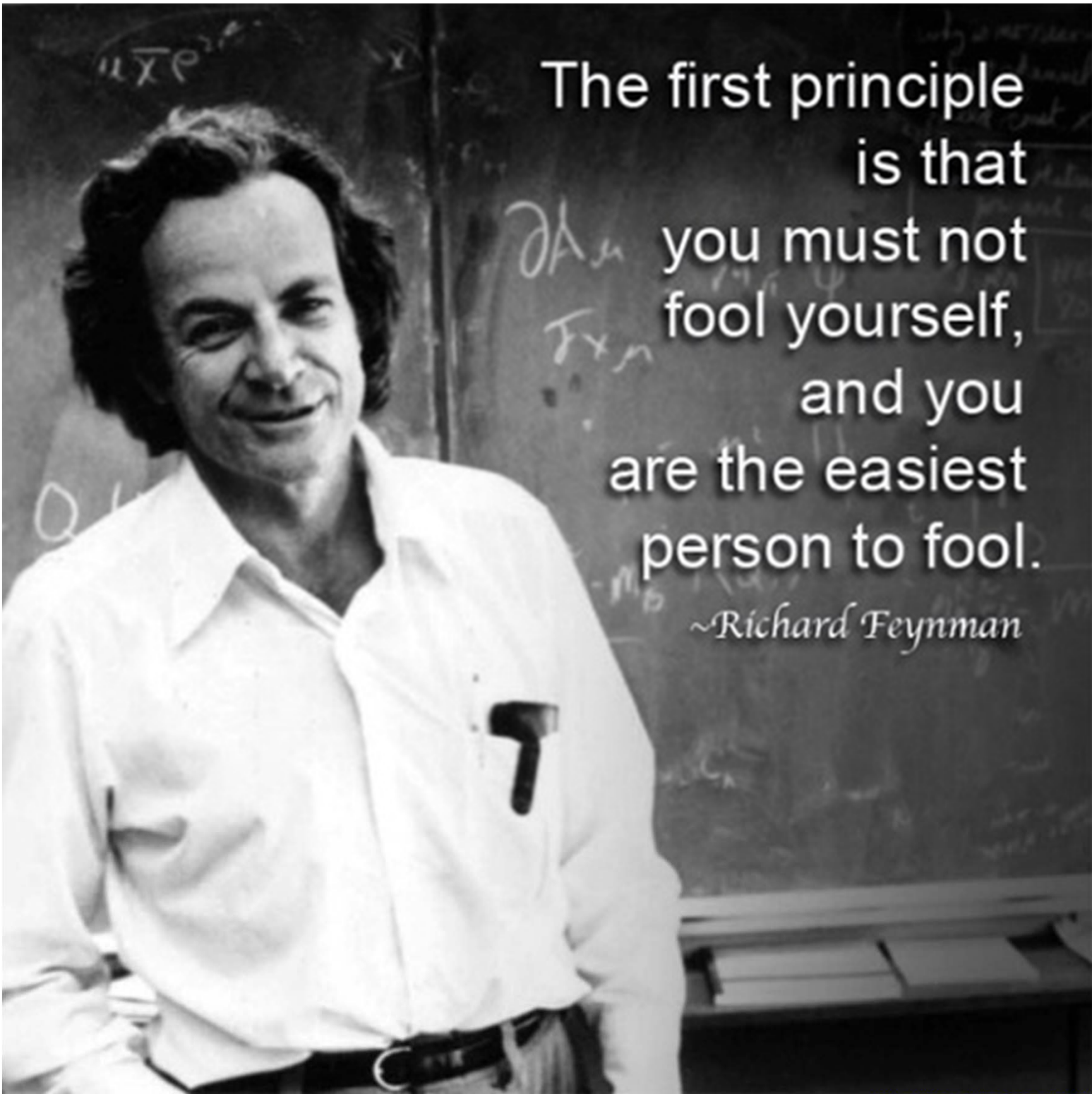


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The first principle
is that
you must not
fool yourself,
and you
are the easiest
person to fool.

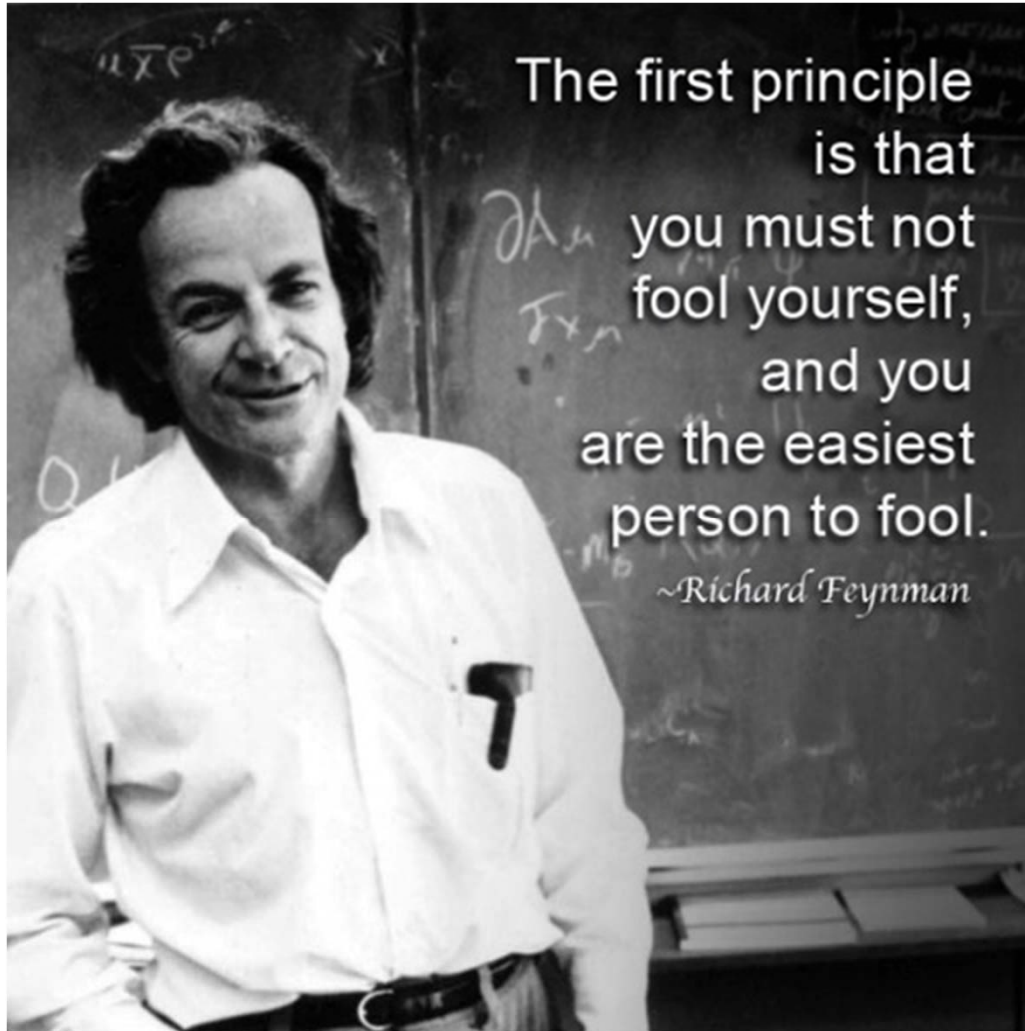
~Richard Feynman

s at Perspectives on Psychological Science, open science



**“No data, no paper. And make th
alright? I don’t want a bunch of p
stinkin’ summaries**





HOW SCIENTISTS FOOL THEMSELVES — AND HOW THEY CAN STOP

Humans are remarkably good at self-deception. But growing concern about reproducibility is driving many researchers to seek ways to fight their own worst instincts.

COGNITIVE FALLACIES IN RESEARCH



HYPOTHESIS MYOPIA

Collecting evidence to support a hypothesis, not looking for evidence against it, and ignoring other explanations.



TEXAS SHARPSHOOTER

Seizing on random patterns in the data and mistaking them for interesting findings.



ASYMMETRIC ATTENTION

Rigorously checking unexpected results, but giving expected ones a free pass.



JUST-SO STORYTELLING

Finding stories after the fact to rationalize whatever the results turn out to be.

DEBIASING TECHNIQUES



DEVIL'S ADVOCACY

Explicitly consider alternative hypotheses — then test them out head-to-head.



PRE-COMMITMENT

Publicly declare a data collection and analysis plan before starting the study.



TEAM OF RIVALS

Invite your academic adversaries to collaborate with you on a study.



BLIND DATA ANALYSIS

Analyse data that look real but are not exactly what you collected — and then lift the blind.

How open science wins

Cultural change

- Early adopters
- Researcher training
- Advocacy, lobbying
- Journals strengthen sharing policies

Tech work at grassroots

- Altmetrics
- Streamlining repositories
- Software for reproducible research

Research funders ramp up requirement that code, data be posted