



# Wrapping up #MDLS16

AKA: The highest-pressure talk EVER

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# Agenda

- ▶ Emerged themes  
(via session facilitators, my notes, and Twitter)
  - ▶ Table talk
  - ▶ A congregation of practice
  - ▶ Move and breathe
  - ▶ Write to reflect
  - ▶ The end
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# #MDLS16 on Twitter

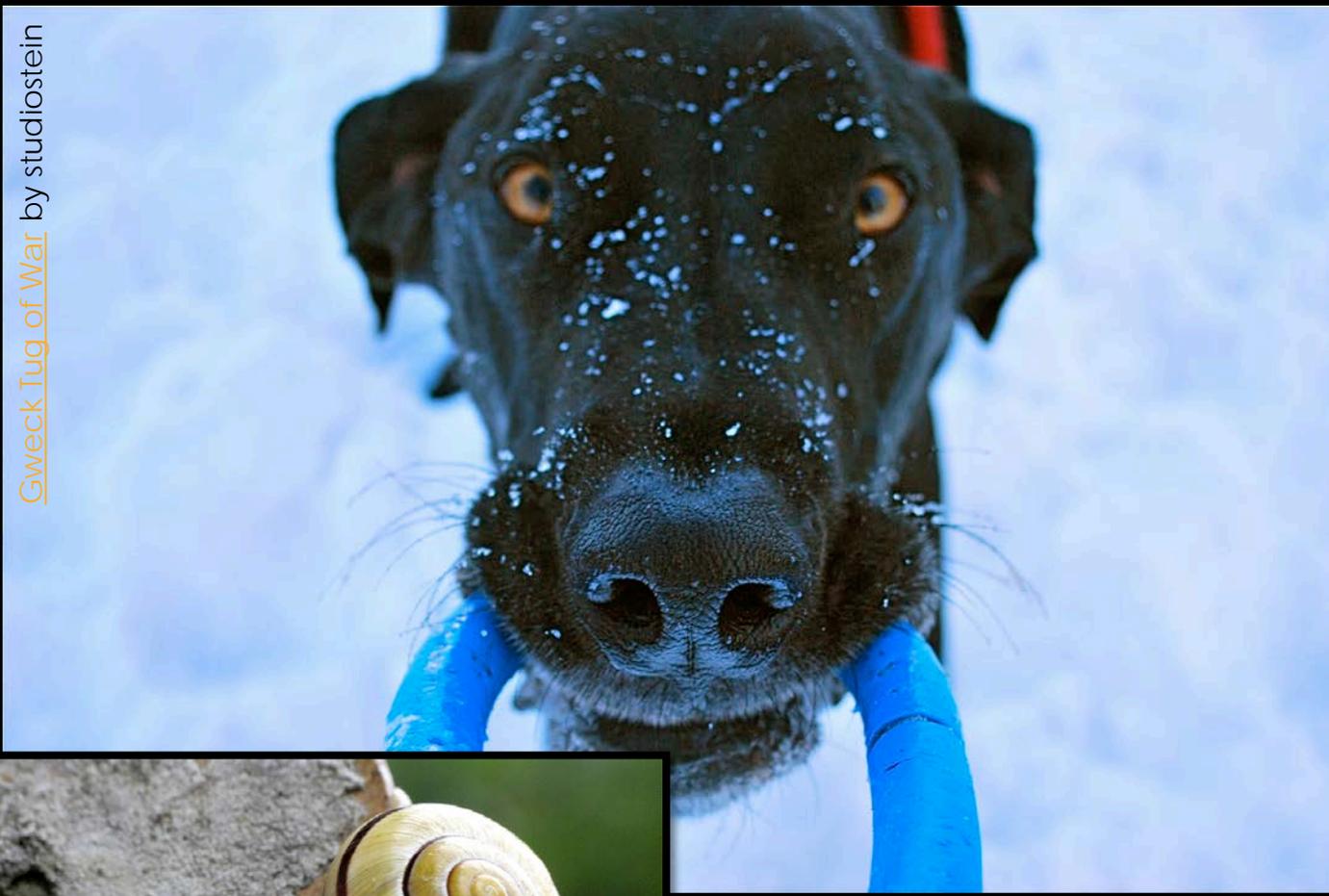
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# DAY 1



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DAY 1



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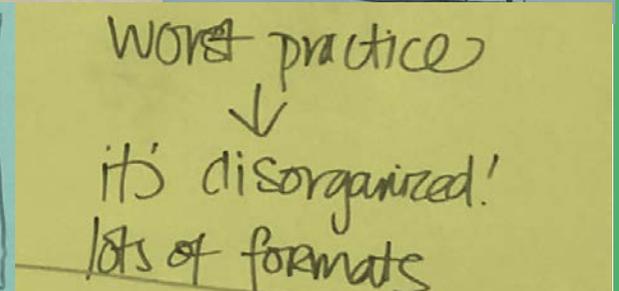
Keep your ~~data~~ office tidy...



Keep your office tidy by richardmscott

# DATA PERSONAS

- Once we got going, it got easier.
- No one is perfect.
- “We can help *people* solve problems.”
  - Common problems are still common.
- Goals / Frustrations are powerful motivators.
- Personas can help us understand different disciplines.



Data: Small, Simple  
Collection: Automated  
Processing: Semi-Automated  
Data: Highly Confidential



Anita Shotz, PhD  
Associate Professor  
Studying urban vs. rural vaccination rates  
State Health Dept. grant funded (no data stipulations)



What will get your  
analysis done

What you  
want to type

What R wants

**Plan your data flow** to match the **ingestion preferences** of your analysis and archiving needs.

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# DAY 2



[Matrix](#) by tulliodainese



*by Costel*  
[Lightning](#) by cost31



[Sharing](#) by ryanr



# Midwest Data Librarian Symposium

## Lightning Talks

*5 minutes - back-to-back - hold questions until the end*

01 Research Data is like a Harmful Algal Bloom /  
Scout Calvert (Michigan State U)

02 Data Services Strategic Planning /  
Kristin Briney (U Wisconsin-Milwaukee)

03 Bringing Data Management to Graduate  
Students / Marina Zhang (U Iowa)

04 Data Management for Business Students /  
Heather Howard (Purdue U)

05 Data goes to the Dogs! /  
Rebecca Orozco (U Kansas)

06 Open Curriculum for Open Data Training /  
Stephanie Wright (Mozilla Foundation)

07 OSF in a Classroom /  
Kiem Ta (Oklahoma State U)

08 Scholar@UC: Institutional Repository as  
research subject, teaching tool and data archive /  
Amy Koshoffer (U Cincinnati)

09 Partnering to Create Repository Infrastructure for  
Biodiversity Data / Robert McDonald (Indiana U)

10 Game On!: Managing Video Game Data /  
Rebekah Cummings (U Utah)

11 Tag Teaming Data Requests: Librarian  
Partnerships with the Open Access Button /  
Chealsye Bowley (Florida Gulf Coast U)

12 Love Your Data 2017 / Heather Coates (Indiana  
U-Purdue U-Indianapolis)



# Table Talk

5 min

- ▶ At your table:
    - ▶ Share your favorite moments of the symposium
    - ▶ Discuss your table's favorite moments
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“Let us then be up and doing\*”

\*but not just yet

--Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, “A Psalm of Life”

<https://www.poetryfoundation.org/poems-and-poets/poems/detail/44644>



>ERROR

>Memory full

>Reboot required



# A congregation of practice

Congregation?

BELIEF

Transparency

Accountability

Integrity

Equitable access to resources

Data discovery, reuse

Protection of research subjects

Responsible data practice is  
teachable and learnable

# Practice

"Practice isn't the thing you do once you're good. It's the thing you do that makes you good."

--Malcom Gladwell, *Outliers: The Story of Success*





Mind the Gap by henweb

belief

practice

priority, capacity, staffing, expertise, time, cooperation, tradition



# Discipline

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Cruelty and Kindness in Academia

Kelly J. Baker

<https://chroniclevitae.com/news/1572-cruelty-and-kindness-in-academia>

Academic Kindness Tumblr

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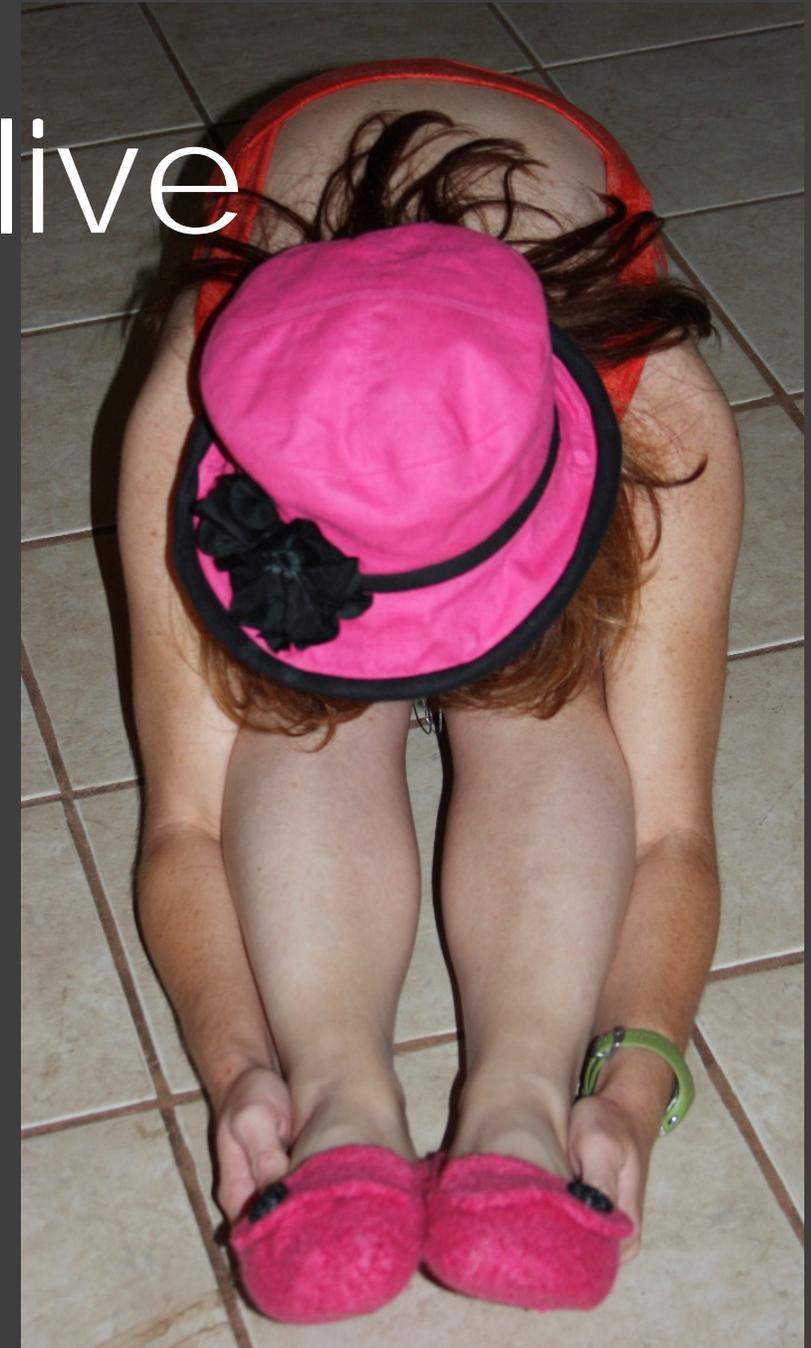
# Movement



# Skills to work and to live

- ▶ Do I have:
  - ▶ strength
  - ▶ speed
  - ▶ balance
  - ▶ flexibility
  - ▶ endurance
  - ▶ agility

- ▶ Can I:
  - ▶ listen
  - ▶ observe
  - ▶ move
  - ▶ be still



# Movement needs a coach





[Yoga Studio](#) by [mike\\_ortiz](#)

Let's stretch



# Write to reflect

7 min

- Choose one prompt for freewriting:
  - “A belief that is important to me is...”
  - “A gap between my belief and my practice is...”
  - “I respond to the idea of congregation in this way...”
  - “A discipline of movement that appeals to me is...because...”



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