QUOTES

- “My name is Sherlock Holmes. It is my job to know what other people don’t know.” Sherlock Holmes

- “I never guess. It is a shocking habit – destructive to the logical faculty.” Sherlock Holmes

- “‘Data! Data! Data!’ he cried impatiently. ‘I can’t make bricks without clay.’” (Sherlock Holmes)

- Education never ends, Watson. It is a series of lessons with the greatest for the last.” » Sherlock Holmes – The Red Circle

- “It is a capital mistake to theorize before one has data. Insensibily one begins to twist facts to suit theories, instead of theories to suit facts.” Sherlock Holmes

- “The world is full of obvious things which nobody by any chance ever observes.” » Sherlock Holmes – The Hound of the Baskervilles
UPCOMING DEPARTMENT MEETINGS

- None, but remember to attend Andrew Allen’s seminar on February 26, noon!

INTERESTING READS (good things to “Read, read read!”)

- Yale Center for Biomedical Data Science is about ‘positive impact’.

NIH NEWS

- Instructions for Training Programs with Human Subjects
  - For training (T) grant applications that include human subjects, NIH corrected the instructions to clarify that you are not required to include the PHS Human Subjects and Clinical Trials Information form. It is still required for D43 (link is external) and K12 (link is external).
  - According to NIH’s January 18, 2018 Guide notice (link is external), you must still answer the human subjects questions on the R&R Other Project Information Form (link is external), and you may include additional information on trainee involvement with human subjects in your PHS 398 Research Training Program Plan (link is external) form.

- Does an application have to be strong in all review criteria to fare well?
  - No. Reviewers assess the overall impact/priority score directly; it is not the product of an algorithm involving the core review criteria. See How NIH Review Criteria Affect Your Score for details.

- What kinds of projects are suitable for a small research grant (R03)?
  - A small research grant is suitable to fund the following example project types:
    - Pilot or feasibility studies
    - Secondary analysis of existing data
    - Small, self-contained research projects
    - Development of research methodology
    - Development of new research technology
  - Learn more at Small and Exploratory/Developmental Research Grants SOP.
CARTOONS SOURCES:

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