

# Quels flux de recherche pour une science ouverte? Les petits ruisseaux font les grandes données

The background of the slide features a complex, glowing blue network of lines and nodes, resembling a digital or scientific visualization of data flow. It has a central bright area on the left and more scattered nodes and connections on the right.

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« While the open access movement generally focuses on the final output, we think there are also substantial benefits to an **open research process**. »

(Beaulieu-Jones and Greene 2017)

# Ouvrir ne suffit pas

Science ouverte en action  
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Données brutes  
+ Métadonnées  
+ Code pour analyser les données  
(Rouder 2016)

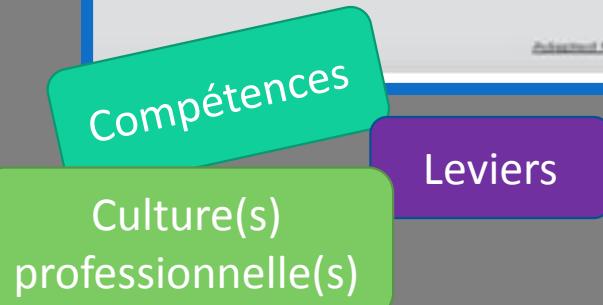
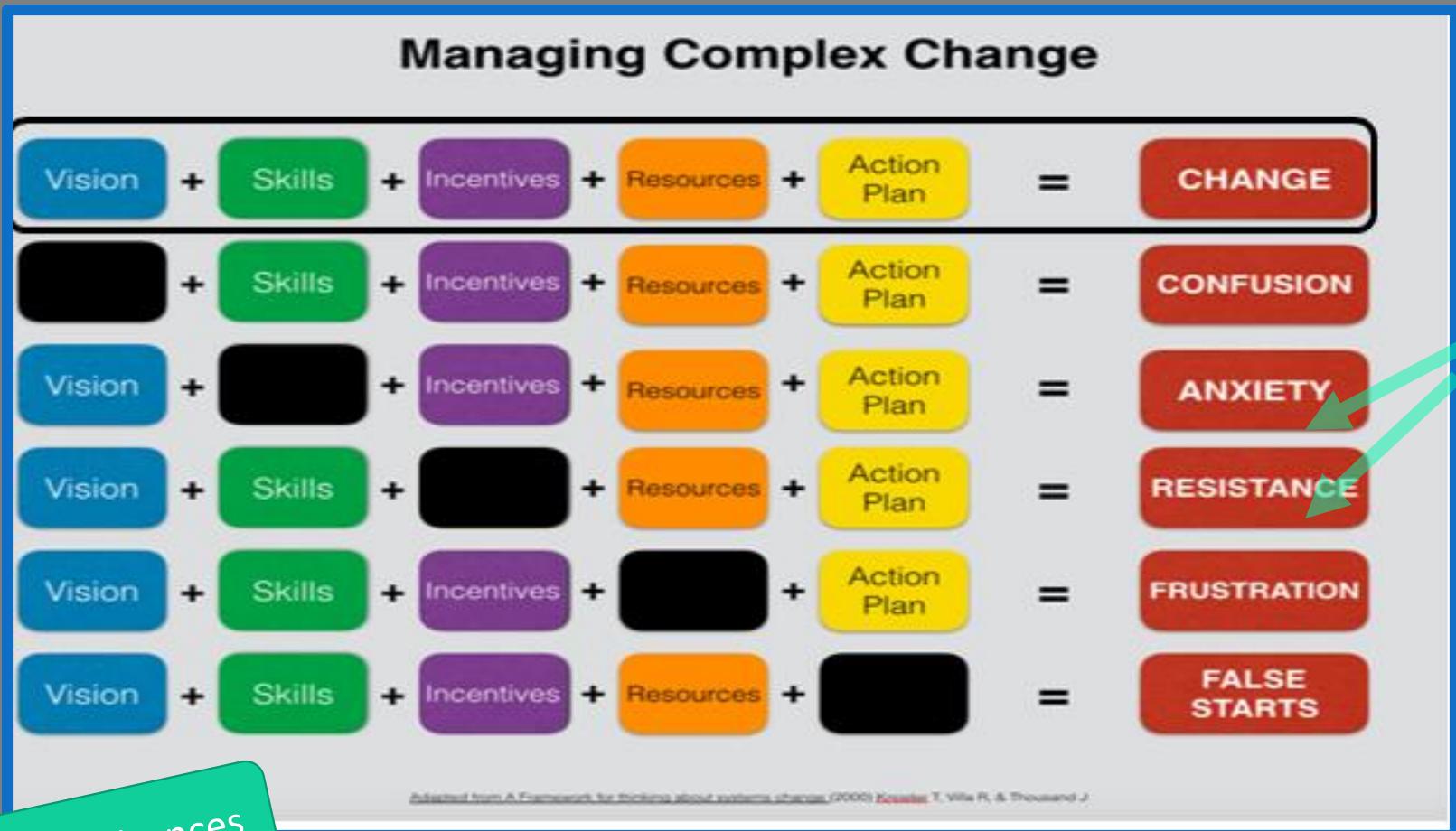
« Certainly, if the code is not available, accusations that the science cannot be trusted are easy to make.  
**But in reality, releasing the code makes little difference**, as all but the simplest codes are impenetrable to non-experts. »  
(Easterbrook 2014)

« Of the 56 articles that were then deemed potentially reproducible, we randomly chose 22 to attempt replication, and all but **1 of the 22 provided enough information that we were able to reproduce their computational findings**

(given sufficient resources and a willingness write some code). » (Stodden, Seiler, and Ma 2018)

Des outils inadaptés?  
Ex. notebooks (Rule, Tabard, and Hollan 2018)

# Vision / Skills/ Incentives / Resources / Action Plan



Adapted from a Framework for thinking about systems changes (Knoster, Villa, Thousand, 2000)  
(Mendez 2019)

# Compétences numériques à l'ère de l'hégémonie des données

L'acquisition des compétences : paradoxe #1

Challenges de la « data driven research »

Ecosystèmes numériques de recherche

Paradoxe #1 :  
ce qui est  
considéré  
comme  
essentiel n'est  
pas l'objet  
d'un  
apprentissage

### *Une approche empirique du numérique*

(Rule, Tabard, and Hollan 2018 ; Wilson et al. 2017)

- 2 postures (contradictoires) sur le numérique  
#FormationBingo #AntinomieFlavour
- Place et impacts de l'**informel**

→ Des données conçues sans perspective sur le long terme (Lowndes et al. 2017) :

- Ni pour soi
- Ni pour les autres

# Challenges de la « data driven research » (Kingsley, 2016)

Evolution des **volumes** de données à traiter

Evolution de la **nature** des données :

- Traitement et qualité des données (Leonelli 2018)

Focus sur le recours aux **méthodes statistiques** (Leek 2014)

→ Analyse de données comme **processus exploratoire et itératif** : compétences et “**métacompétences**” ; la donnée et son contexte

« A related set of issues is tied to **a general lack of methodological standardization**: while many laboratories use similar methods, **the precise setups vary**, and there are few independent estimates of reliability or validity across laboratories [...].» (Frank et al., 2017, p. 423)

# Ecosystèmes numériques de recherche

## *Une objectivation problématique des traitements numériques (Plesser 2018 ; Randall and Welser 2018)*

- Utilisation au long cours (Wilson et al. 2014)
- La « tyrannie du choix » (Renata Salecl) ; ex. R et Python
- Des gouvernances hétérogènes --> question technique ET culturelle
- Le problème des **logiciels propriétaires** (Vihinen 2015)

« Scientific communication relies on evidence that cannot be entirely included in publications,

**but the rise of computational science has added a new layer of inaccessibility.**

Although it is now accepted that data should be made available on request, the current regulations regarding the availability of software are inconsistent. » (Ince et al., 2012)

# Quelles incitations en faveur d'une recherche plus transparente?

Formes éditoriales émergentes et système  
d'évaluation : paradoxe #2

Défis techniques et culturels

Reproductibilité, répétabilité. Au-delà de la  
terminologie

## Paradoxe #2 :

Ce qui est considéré comme la clé de voûte d'une recherche transparente n'est pas une activité récompensée

« Our culture prizes innovation above all else »  
(Kovačević 2007)



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Suivre

Elsevier editor Spada acknowledging that null results are not even considered for Addictive Behaviors, seemingly not realizing how problematic that is. Offering a lower prestige alternative journal doesn't make that right.

[Traduire le Tweet](#)



Professor M. M. Spada said:

*"Articles that may not traditionally be considered by Addictive Behaviors, including negative/null data papers, studies using smaller samples and cross-sectional designs, replication studies, cross-cultural research, and case reports will be welcome by its sister journal Addictive Behaviors Reports."*

Editor-in-Chief  
Professor M. M. Spada  
London South Bank University

« We also found that gross inconsistencies are more prevalent in p-values reported as significant than in p-values reported as nonsignificant. This could suggest a **systematic bias favoring significant results**, potentially leading to **an excess of false positives in the literature.** »  
(Nuijten et al., 2016)

# Des défis techniques ET culturels

- Consignes aux auteurs floues (Vasilevsky et al. 2017)
- Un outillage éditorial inadapté (Allison et al. 2016) :
  - Technique
  - Méthodologiquement: rétraction, auto-rétraction
- « File drawer effect » (Randall and Welser 2018)
- Effet Protée (Ioannidis and Trikalinos 2005)

# Reproductibilité, répétabilité : « lost in translation »

Impacts des enjeux  
terminologiques

ture: authors either, *A*—make no distinction between the words *reproduce* and *replicate*, or *B*—use them distinctly. If *B*, then they are commonly divided in two camps. In a spectrum of concerns that starts at a minimum standard of “same data+same methods=same results,” to “new data and/or new methods in an independent study=same findings,” group 1 calls the minimum standard *reproduce*, while group 2 calls it *replicate*. *A* includes King (1995). *B1* corresponds to the Claerbout/Donoho/Peng convention, while *B2* agrees with Drummond (2009) and the ACM terminology. Table 2 classifies into these groups all the references cited above, and more.

Table 1: Catalogue of terminologies in the literature, with Google Scholar citations (checked Jan. 20, 2018).

<i>A</i>	<i>B1</i>	<i>B2</i>
King (1995), 527	Peng et al. (2006), 177	Drummond (2009), 135
JCGM (2008), 32	Gentleman and Temple Lang (2007), 216	Casadevall and Fang (2010), 58
Dewald et al. (1986), 506	Laine et al. (2007), 134	Stodden (2011), 30
Pesaran (2003), 12	Vandewalle et al. (2009), 266	Davison (2012), 80
McCullough et al. (2008), 93	LeVeque (2009), 32	Loscalzo (2012), 31
Garijo et al. (2013), 52	Hyndman (2010), 20	LeVeque et al. (2012), 74
Open Science Collaboration (2012), 300	Jasny et al. (2011), 180	Crook et al. (2013), 16
Open Science Collaboration (2015), 1573	Peng (2011), 552	Cooper et al. (2015), 26
Stodden (2015), 19	Koenker and Zeileis (2009), 58	Cartwright (1991), 81
Duvendack et al. (2017), 13	Delescluse et al. (2012), 22	Pellizzari et al. (2017)
Lejaeghere et al. (2016), 199	Sandve et al. (2013), 227	FASEB (2016)
Coudert (2017), 3	Stodden et al. (2014), 119	
	Topalidou et al. (2015), 14	
	Iqbal et al. (2016), 67	
	Kafkafi et al. (2016), 2	
	Stevens (2017), 1	
	Kitzes et al. (2017), 10	
	Benureau and Rougier (2017), 1	
	Bollen et al. (2015), 12	
	Broman et al. (2017), 4	

(Barba 2018)

# Vers un nouvel ethos? Quelques éléments culturels

Transparence et autorité : paradoxe #3

Science ouverte et liberté scientifique

# Paradoxe #3 : la transparence est un idéal scientifique, mais l'argument d'autorité demeure prédominant

« The credibility of **scientific claims** is rooted in the evidence supporting them, which includes the **methodology** applied, the **data** acquired, and the **process of methodology implementation, data analysis** and **outcome interpretation**. [...]»

However, without transparency, claims only achieve **credibility** based on trust in the confidence or authority of the originator.

**Transparency is superior to trust.**

[...] Transparency is a scientific ideal, and adding 'open' should therefore be redundant.

**In reality, science often lacks openness**  
[...].» (Munafò et al., 2017)

# La science ouverte, entrave à la liberté scientifique? (1/2)

*Un long chemin à parcourir ...*

- Accusations de « terrorisme scientifique » :
  - controverse **Statcheck**
  - perception de la **pré-registration** : Scott, Sophie. 2013. ‘Pre-registration would put science in chains’. Times Higher Education (THE). 25 July 2013.  
<https://www.timeshighereducation.com/fr/comment/opinion/pre-registration-would-put-science-in-chains/2005954.article>.
- Biais cognitifs : « **groupthink** » (Randall and Welser 2018) ; « **statistical rituals** » (Gigerenzer 2018)

# La science ouverte, entrave à la liberté scientifique? (2/2)

*... mais une évolution déjà en cours*

- Place de l'erreur et changement de perspective (Bishop 2018)
- « Adversarial collaboration » (Zwaan et al. 2017)

(Rohrer et al. 2018)

## Abstract



Scientific self-correction is often construed as an outcome of the activities of the community as a whole. In contrast, cases in which researchers publicly point out errors in their own studies are rare and deemed unusual. Here, we argue that such individual self-corrections would be beneficial for the scientific community. In an online project, we invited researchers to submit statements describing how they have lost confidence in a finding they had previously published. We discuss questions that the Loss-of-Confidence project raises and argue that cultural norms should be transformed so that they live up to the pursuit of self-correction. Researchers who are interested in joining this project are invited to submit their own statement via <https://lossofconfidence.com/>.

# Sélection d'initiatives pour une recherche plus ouverte et plus transparente

Liste non exhaustive de solutions et de projets  
(En savoir + : liens vers les sites inclus dans les logos)

# La place des méthodes et la prise de distance avec les outils :

retour aux bases des stats



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and [Adela Isvoraru](#)



La portabilité des environnements logiciels :

GNU Guix, un gestionnaire de paquets (pour une stratégie complète : Guix + Software Heritage)



## Reproducible genomics analysis pipelines with GNU Guix

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« Au-delà des conteneurs. Environnements logiciels reproductibles avec GNU Guix »

2018, [ludovic.courtes@inria.fr](mailto:ludovic.courtes@inria.fr) (développeur Guix)



Assurer la qualité des outils pour garantir celle des données :  
peer review de packages R ROpenSci

## Critères de revue

- Licence compatible avec l'*open-source initiative (OSI)*
- Documentation complète
- Haut taux de couverture de test
- Code lisible
- Utilisabilité

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# De nouveaux modèles éditoriaux : structure éditoriale ad hoc pour des études de réPLICATION

## The ReScience Journal

ABOUT READ WRITE EDIT BOARD FAQ

**Reproducible Science is good. Replicated Science is better.**

ReScience is a peer-reviewed journal that targets computational research and encourages the explicit [replication](#) of already published research, promoting new and open-source implementations in order to ensure that the original research is [reproducible](#).

To achieve this goal, the whole publishing chain is radically different from other traditional scientific journals. ReScience lives on [GitHub](#) where each new implementation of a computational study is made available together with comments, explanations and tests. Each submission takes the form of a pull request that is publicly reviewed and tested in order to guarantee that any researcher can re-use it. If you ever replicated computational results from the literature in your research, ReScience is the perfect place to publish your new implementation.

[ReScience. Mieux qu'une recherche reproduicible? une recherche répliquée \(Reproducible Science is good. Replicated Science is better\)](#)

[Nicolas Rougier](#), chercheur en neurosciences membre de l'équipe projet Mnemosyne

Une politique  
d'établissement :  
  
OS = critère de  
recrutement du  
dpt de  
psychologie de  
Münster

The **Faculty of Humanities, Social Sciences, and Theology** invites applications for a professorship in the **Department of Psychology**. We seek to appoint an expert who will develop an internationally visible research and teaching profile in the field of sensory sciences (sensation and perception, and physiology of perception). A particular focus may lie on processes of multisensory perception and communication, taking chemo-sensory processes into account. We welcome applications from individuals with an excellent track record in research and publications on multi-sensory perception and communication. A university degree in psychology or another relevant subject from the field of life sciences is a prerequisite.

The Department of Psychology encourages transparent and replicable research and pursues these objectives with open data, open material and pre-registration. Please state clearly in your application how you have followed these objectives in the past and how you intend to do so in the future.

<https://osf.io/bm5ya/>

Une politique  
d'établissement :  
  
pour une  
approche  
transverses des  
questions de  
méthodes

Créer des départements dédiés aux questions de méthode :

- Épistémologie
- Théorie des systèmes complexes
- Théories qui sous-tendent les statistiques
- Méthodologie de data sharing
- Méthodologie de la réPLICATION
- Study design, experimental design ...

(Randall and Welser 2018)

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conçue par des  
chercheur.euse.s

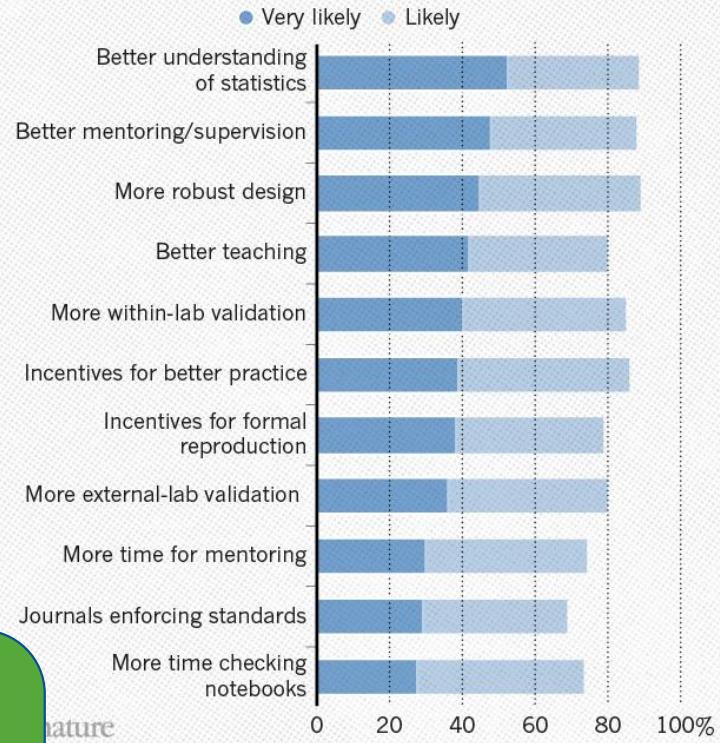
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Favoriser le travail  
collaboratif et les occasions  
d'échanges entre disciplines  
Aider les chercheur.euse.s à  
documenter leurs workflows

...

### WHAT FACTORS COULD BOOST REPRODUCIBILITY?

Respondents were positive about most proposed improvements  
but emphasized training in particular.



(Baker 2016)



Pour la route :  
un classique

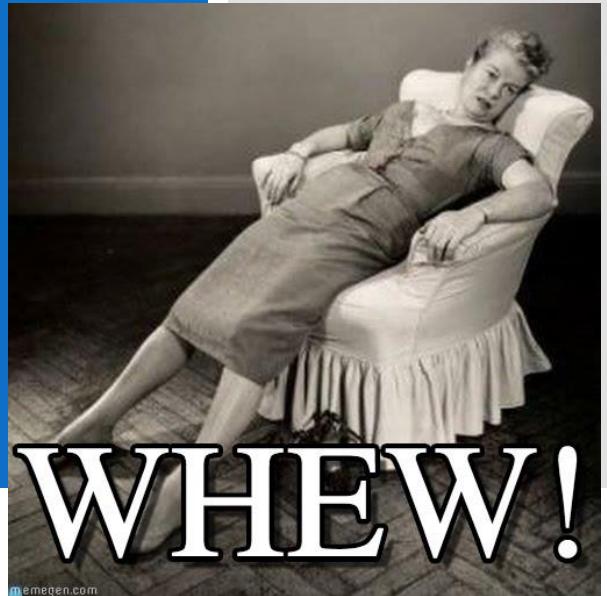
## Problem 1: Data Excuse Bingo

My data contains personal/sensitive information	My data is too complicated	People may misinterpret my data	My data is not very interesting
Commercial funder doesn't want to share it	We might want to use it in another paper	People will contact me to ask about stuff	Data Protection/ National Security
It's too big	People will see that my data is bad	I want to patent my discovery	It's not a priority and I'm busy
I don't know how	I'm not sure I own the data	Someone might steal/plagiarise it	My funder doesn't require it

Data Excuse Bingo created by @jenny\_molloy

Merci pour  
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