# **Building online profiles**

Personalising the process

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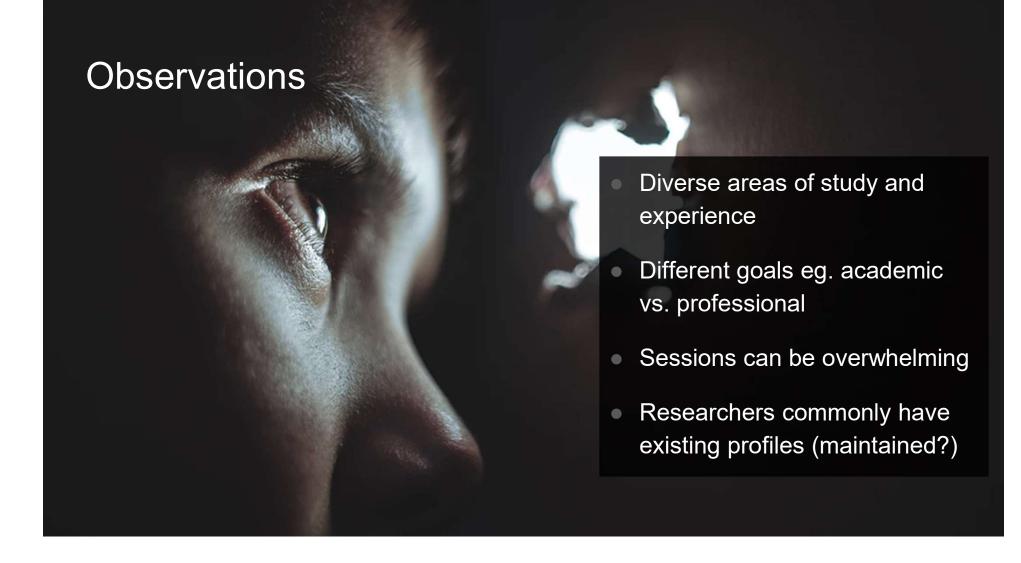
# Background

Graduate researcher support at Monash:

- Complete a minimum of 120 hours of professional development
- Monash Library runs 21 sessions within this program
- 'Building an online research profile' runs twice a year since 2017

# Building an online research profile

- Identifiers
- Academic profiles and social networks
- Describing yourself and your research
- Altmetrics



### Past feedback

*"I would like a focus on commercial as well as academia."* 

"Could we sit in groups that suit our level."

"This session overlaps with Maximise your Research Impact."



### Our challenge

How to ensure **meaningful** and **personalised** outcomes for a diverse cohort?



# Getting active

- 1. Assess a researcher in your field
- 2. Think about the goals for your research
- 3. Set up an ORCiD / other
- 4. Audit what you already have
- 5. Create a realistic plan for your online profile

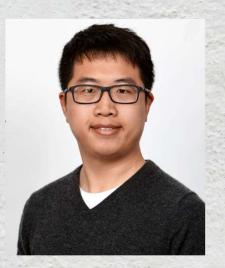
# Examples



#### **Professor Anita Heiss**

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#### **Professor Di Cook**

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### Examples



#### Emi Tanaka 🌾 @statsgen

### Following

stats academic USyd, Monash University from Jan 2020 | statistical modeling | front end dev | plant breeding | genetics | **#rstats #statsed #dataviz** | she/her



### Hugh Shanahan @HughShanahan

Following

A Bioinformatician working at Royal Holloway increasingly obsessed with how data gets shared. Co-chair of CODATA-RDA schools which is my happy thing.

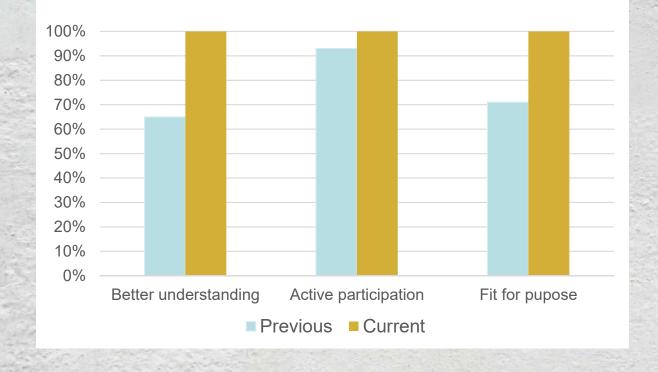


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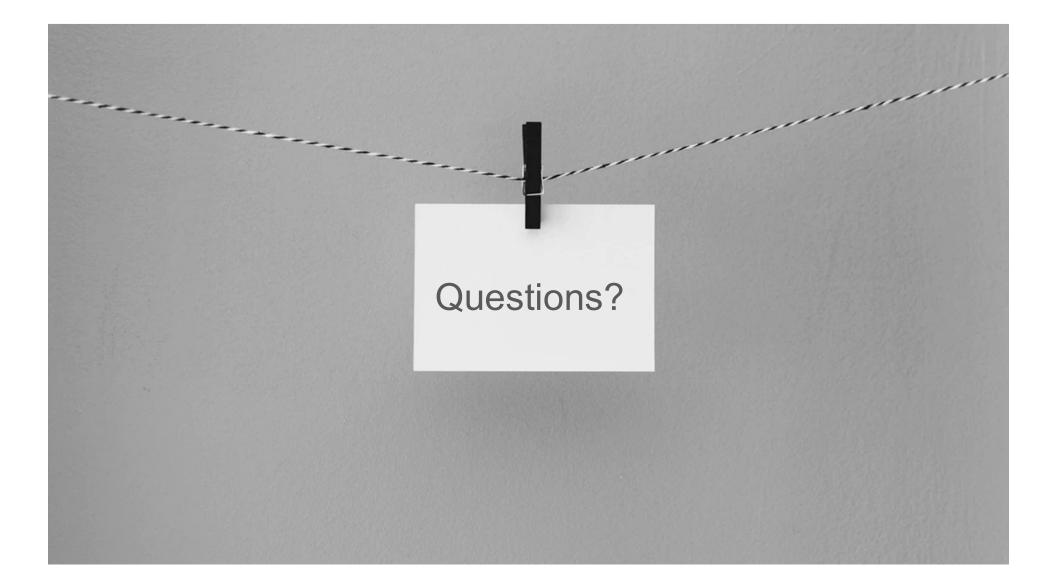
Historian of Asia, Japan and the world. Trauma, theology, religious studies. Monash. Opinions mine. I acknowledge Wurundjeri people: trad owners of land I'm on.

### **Current feedback**



### **Reflection and future directions**

- Importance of a clear narrative
- Importance of relatable examples
- Interest in personal websites
- Avenues for further support



More information on examples given

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Di Cook @ dicook.org

Ben Eltham @ en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Ben\_Eltham

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