## **COMMUNICATE YOUR RESEARCH:**

### REACHING DIVERSE AUDIENCES WITH IMPACT

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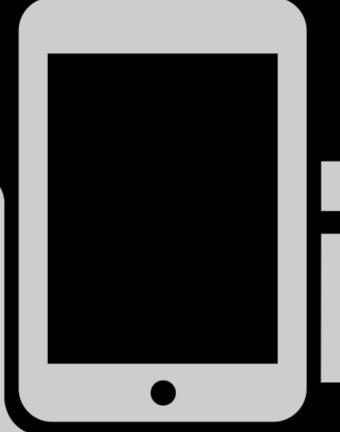
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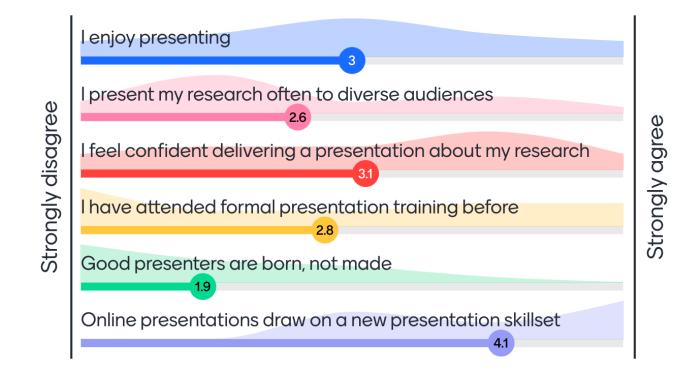


# Quick poll

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# To what extent do you agree with the following statements?



## WHY IS IT SO IMPORTANT TO BE ABLE TO PRESENT YOUR RESEARCH?

## Who is the best presenter you know?

## What is it that makes them so good?







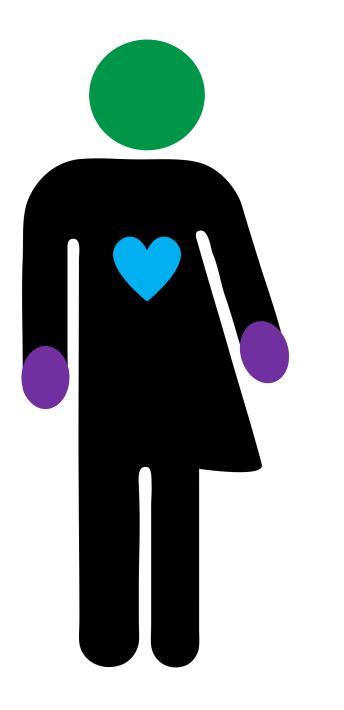
#### Best presenters

What are the qualities that make your presenter so good?

Projection and eye contact :   The speak to the whole audience :   Confidence :	Ability to communicate ideas in simple terms The person in question is articulate, uses symbols that people are able to associate with and through that he is able to engage the audience.	* Clarity He is clear with whatever topic he is presenting about.	Calm & Articulate
They present so naturally, it comes easy simplicity	Good communication skills <sup>2</sup> He is eloquent and speaks in an introspective manner to show that he has not necessarily crammed his presentation but that every word is well thought out.	Experience in the topic and in presenting	Coherence Clarity of thought and logical presentation of ideas Mark Zeidguest
Eloquence : He bring his taught to the audience in a comprehensive manner The warmth and passion in presentation	Reeping focus and good tempo - not too fast but not too slow Respecting the audience Using illustrations and examples, not just staying on conceptual and theoretical level Speaking in a clear voice and using language that is not too specific	Humor : The presenter blends humor with	Subject matter knowledge



- 1. My research is about....
- 2. The problem I'm trying to solve is...
- 3. It is important that I solve this because...
- 4. One interesting thing I've discovered is...
- 5. I hope one day that my research will...



Audience & purpose Brainstorm & select

Structure



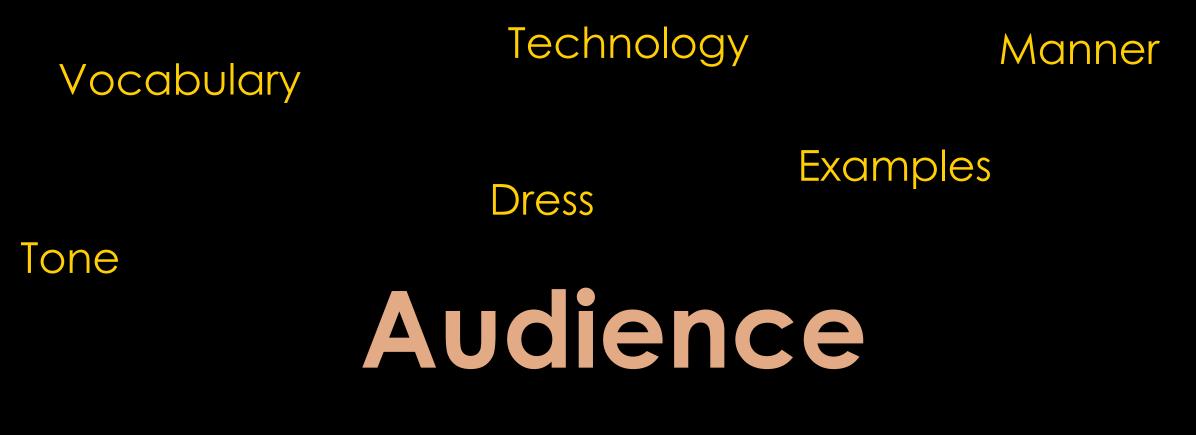
### **ANALYSE YOUR AUDIENCE**









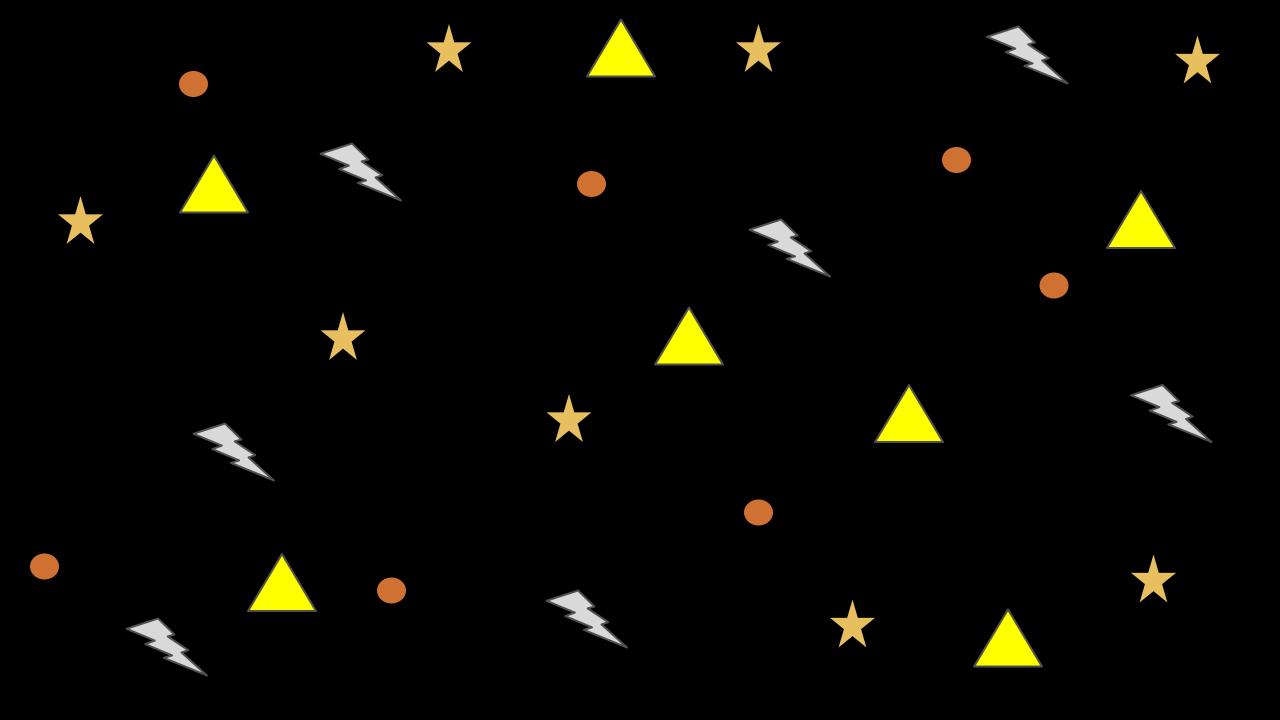


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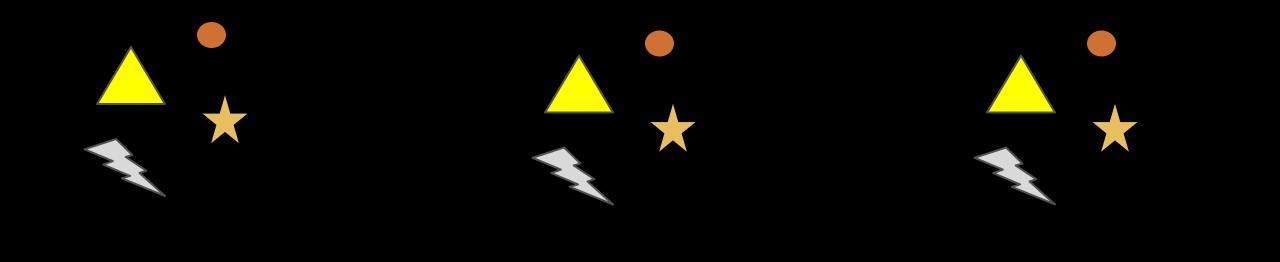
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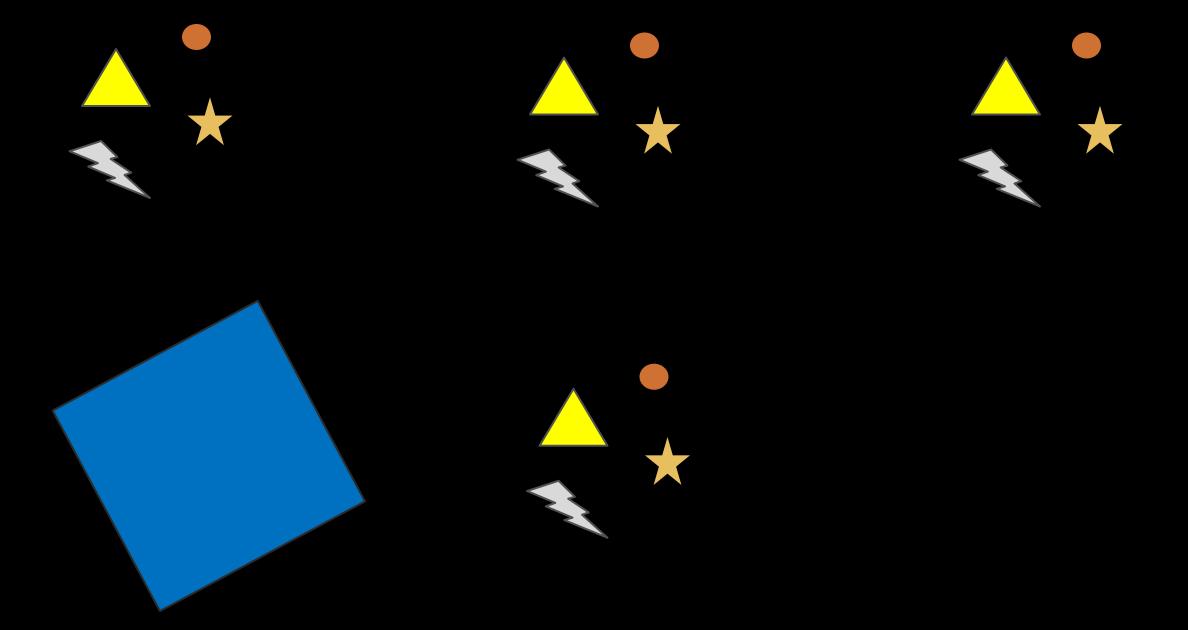


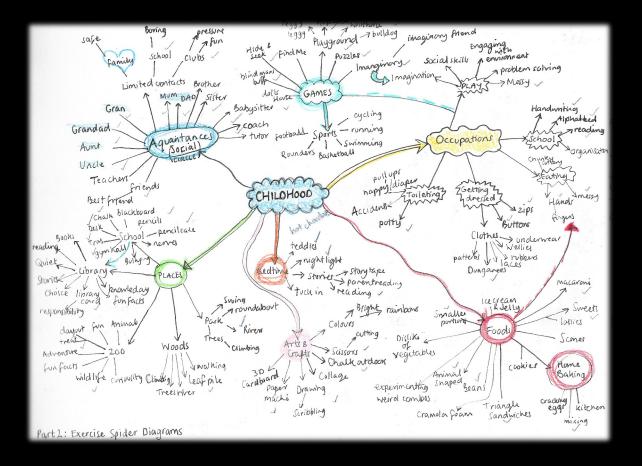


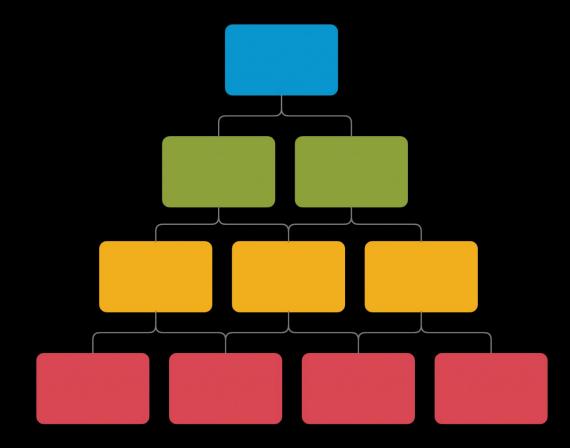


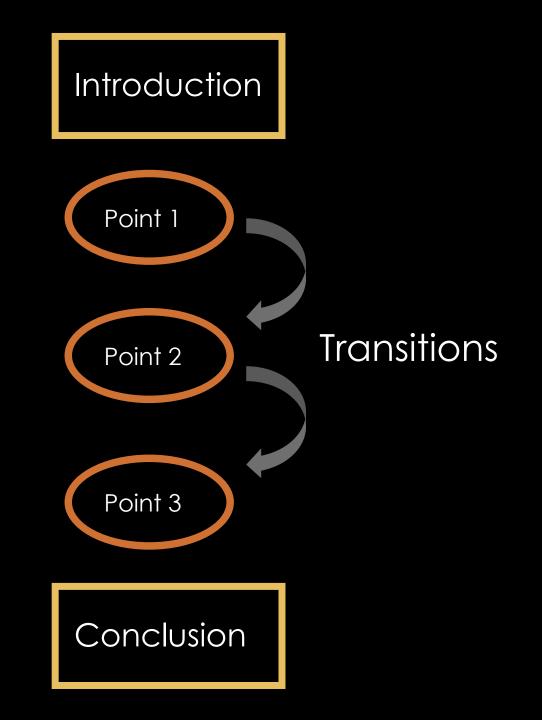
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#### WORDS/PHRASES

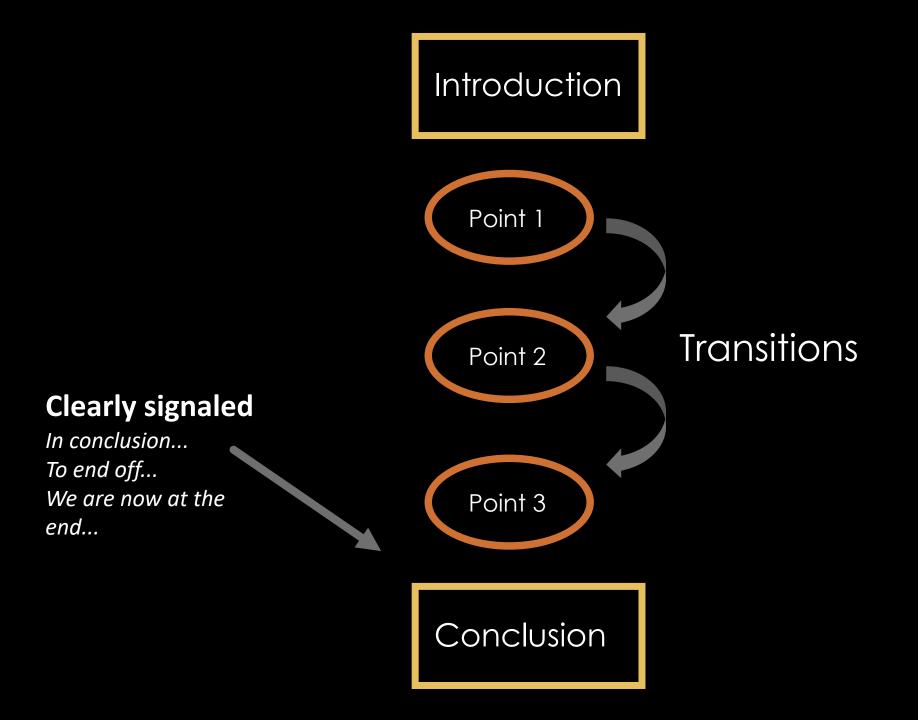
The next reason factor to consider is... In contrast, another way to approach it is... Finally...

#### QUESTIONS

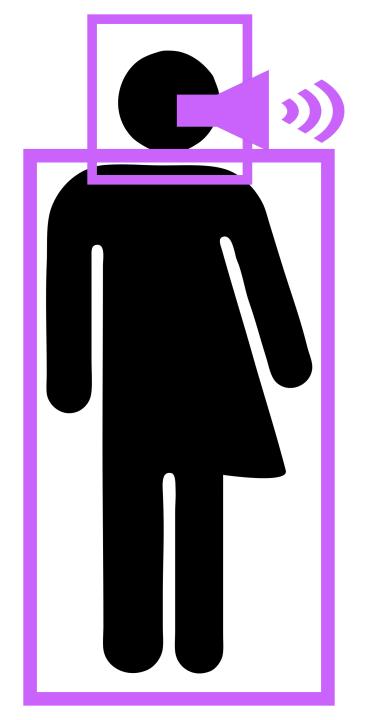
So what are some ways to recruit participants? How can we carry out this experiment in a different way?

#### SENTENCES

The results were inconclusive. Therefore, we needed to... This brought the planning stages to a conclusion. Next, we had to think about...

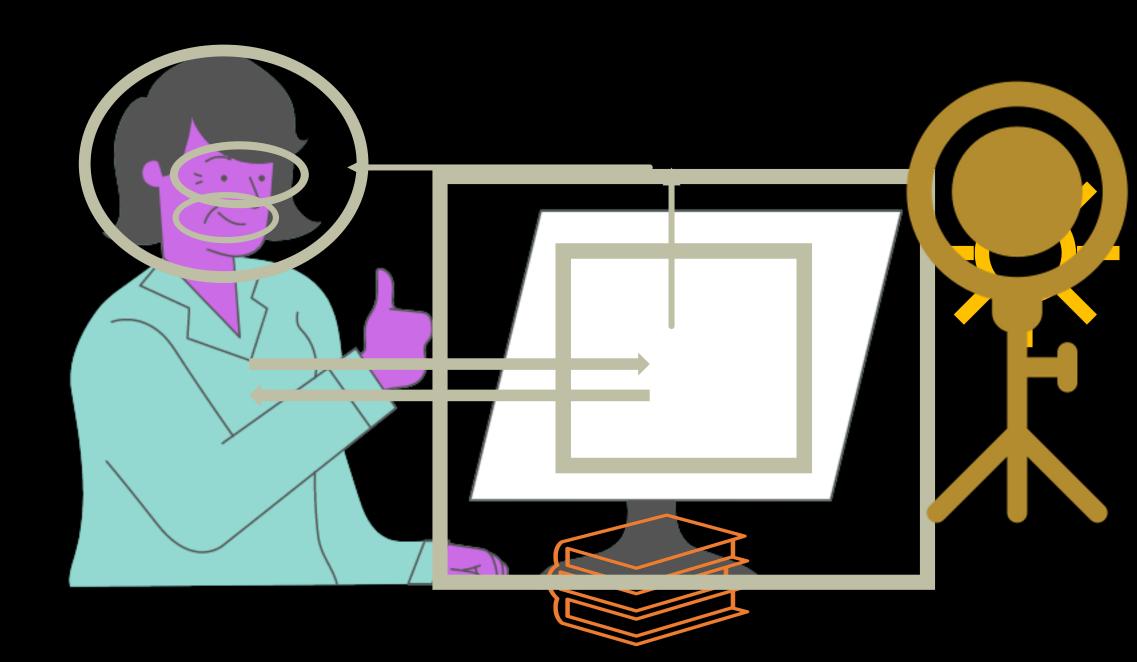








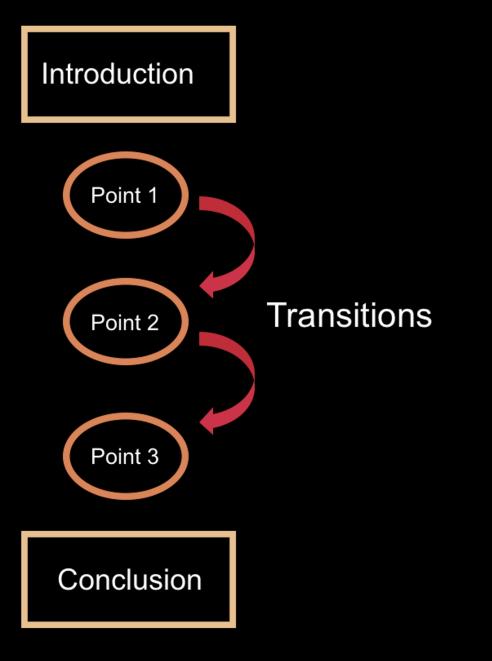
# Audiences want you to succeed Time will pass You're a bit player in other people's movie

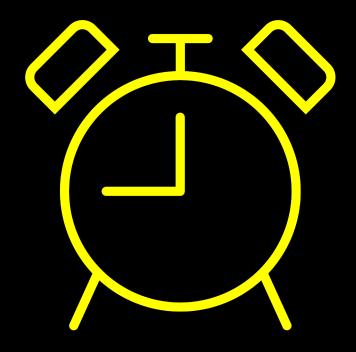


## **3-MINUTE PRESENTATIONS**

Present your research to ONE of the following audiences:

- 1. A potential **funder** who is considering sponsoring your research for a year.
- 2. A popular media **journalist** interested in your project.
- 3. A group of third-year **students** choosing their undergraduate research projects.





## What worked well in the presentation?

2. How did the presenter target their audience?



## What doesn't work?

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## Communicate your research

Reaching diverse audiences with impact

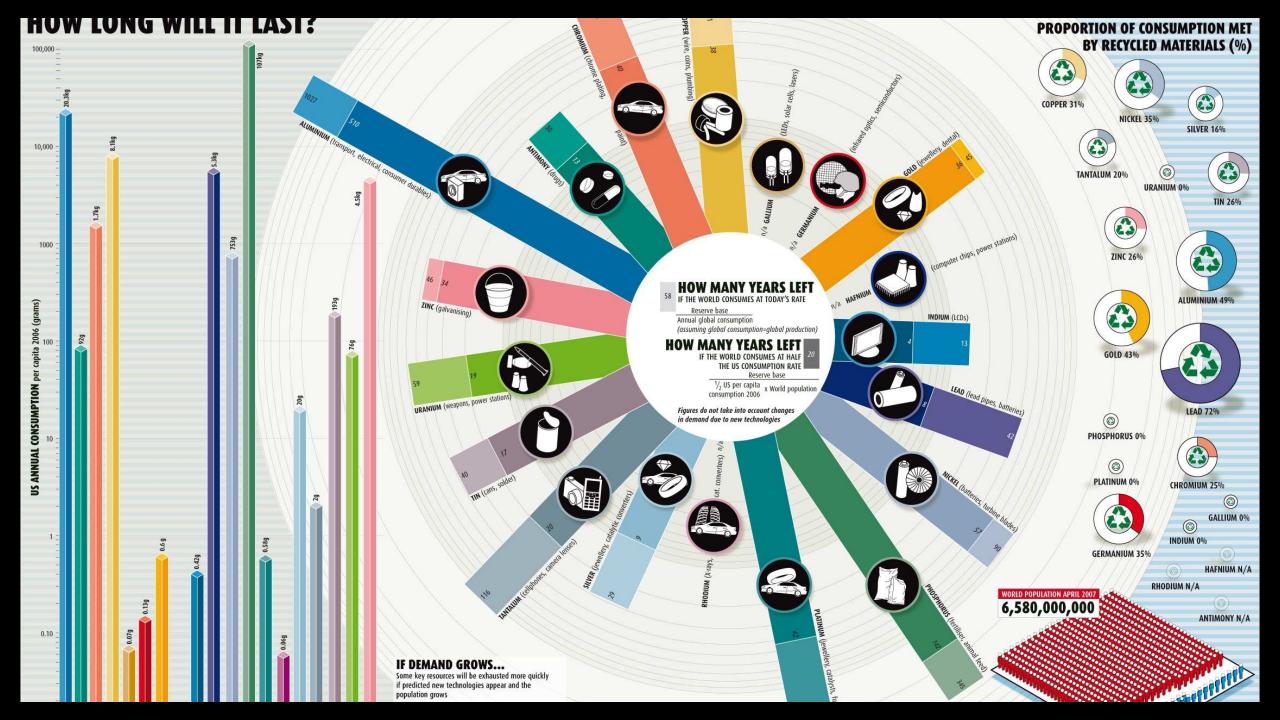
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# Communicate your research

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- There are many ways to consider successful presentation skills.
- One of the ways is to see it as the extent to which people follow through on your content.
- In this situation, if people take positive action following your presentation, you can see that it was successful.
- Another way to understand success in a presentation is through how much people remember it.
- If you ask people a week later what your central message is and they are able to respond, then you have done well.
- You can also think of success as your own personal feelings after the presentation.
- Do you feel good? If so, you can assume your presentation is successful











What does work?





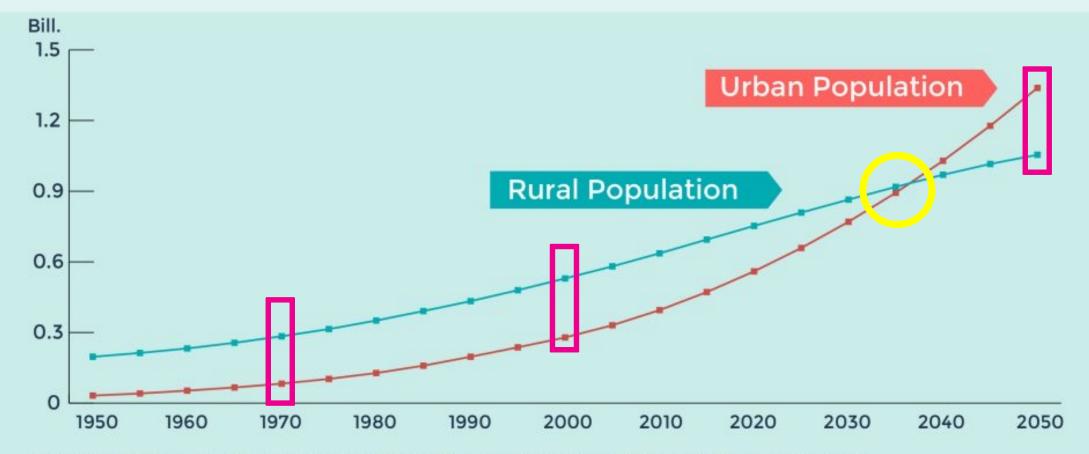


### Pexels

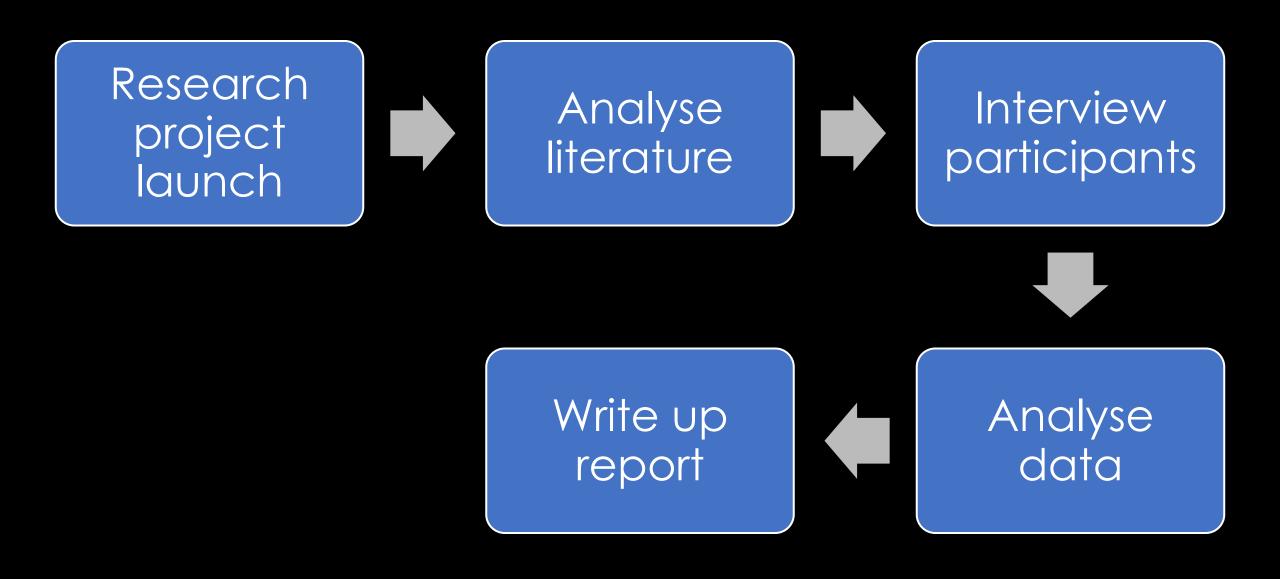
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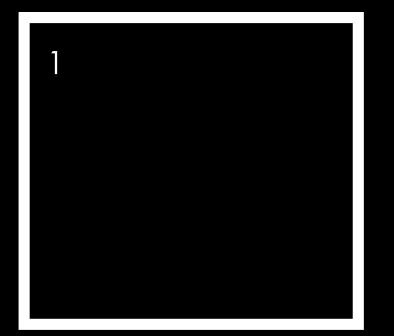
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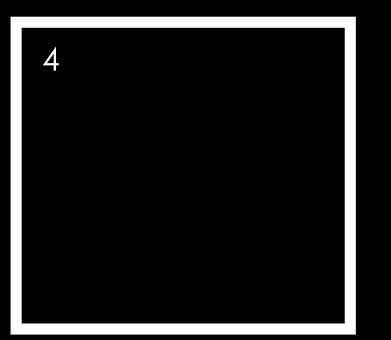
#### **Africa's Urban and Rural Population**

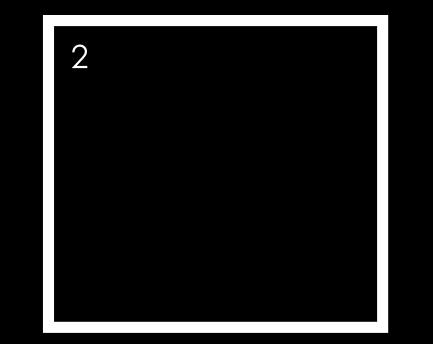


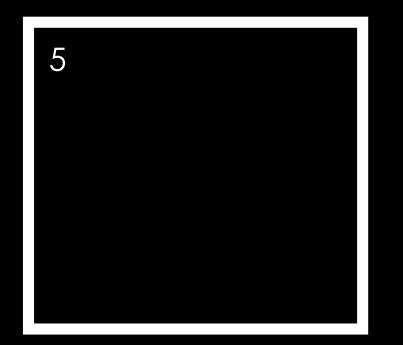
Source: United Nations, Department of Economic and Social Affairs, Population Division (2014). World Urbanization Prospects: The 2014 Revision, custom data acquired via website.

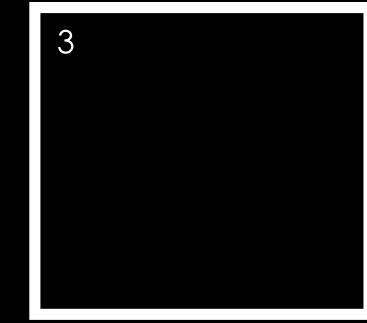














## **Session review**

### Great presenters

## Head, heart and hands

### 3 minute presentations

### Visual aids

What is one new idea about presentations that you will take away from this session?

