

Research Seminar

A narrative template for a 30–50 minute scientific talk

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Why should we care?

- ▶ Start from the broad scientific motivation.
- ▶ Narrow to a specific unresolved question.
- ▶ Preview the answer without giving away every detail.

What we did

Observations / data

- ▶ Source
- ▶ Selection
- ▶ Quality

Analysis

- ▶ Method
- ▶ Assumptions
- ▶ Validation

What we learned

Result

Lead with one sentence that is supported by the figure you will place here.

Open questions

- ▶ What remains uncertain?
- ▶ Which alternative explanation survives?
- ▶ What observation would discriminate between models?