### Selling the Science

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### The Outreach





#### Sperm competition between related males



Smell-mediated response to relatedness

Socializing with less attractive friends



# Wildlife Conservation Research Unit

To achieve practical solutions to conservation problems through original scientific research.





### Research



### Education



#### Run Panther Run!



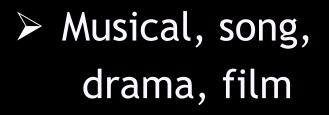
#### Cash, commons and conservation



Hit me with your best shot



### Outreach











#### Exponential increased in publication

#### Increasing specialisation

### Science Communication

More multidisciplinary



#### Elements of Science Communication







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#### Engage

Sell

Expand

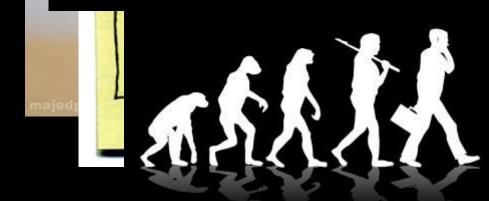


## Selling the appeal

#### **Bad Powerpoint:**



- First of all, I believe in Powerpoint. I think it's a great tool for focusing your audience's attention on a particular point. However, Powerpoint has now been used and abused by speakers for years. Far too many presenters rely on it as a crutch, cramming their slides full of text and then reading from them.
- My friend Guy Kawasaki has a 10/20/30 rule about Powerpoint slides. It states that a Powerpoint presentation should have no more than 10 slides, last no longer than 20 minutes, and have no text in less than a 30 point font. I think Guy's rule as written is a little extreme, but he has the right idea. In general, if your slides can stand alone, meaning someone could just read them instead of attending your presentation, then you have too much information on them.
- If I'm giving an hour long talk, I generally have about 15 slides, and they are highly visual with unique rather than stock images. If you must use bullets, please put dark text on a light background so that they are as easy as possible to read.



#### > A focus

#### Originality





## Engage & reinforce

Humour

Repetition

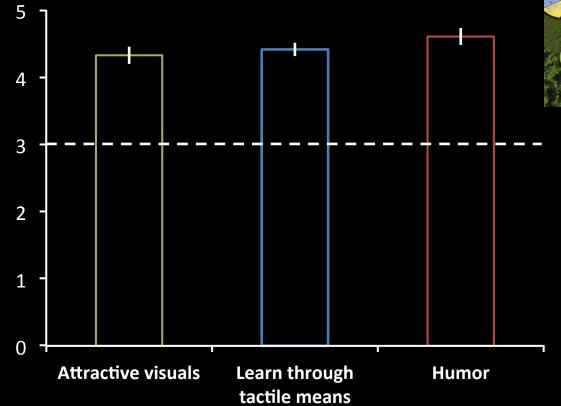


#### Appeal to the different senses



## The games we play

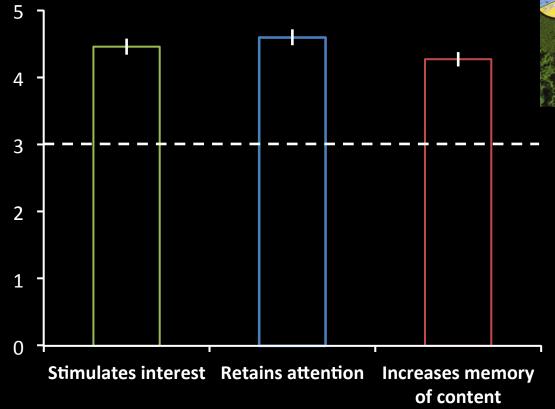






## The games we play





## Expanding beyond WILDCRI



Relating it on a personal level



## Dance your PhD Wildlife Conservation Research Unit

#### https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kqRR9n1SIXI



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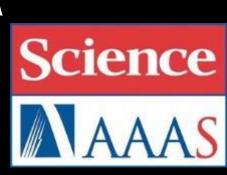
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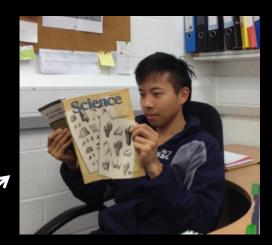
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