Problems (and Possible Solutions) for the Recent Crisis in Psychological Research

There are recently many criticisms on whether we can still trust the psychological findings. To name a few, for instance, scientific misconduct of faking data, lack of reproducibility and replicability of findings, misuse of $p$ values, selection bias in publication. These issues, however, are not unique to psychology. Many disciplines also share many of these problems. In this talk, I will give an overview of these issues from a statistical point of view. Possible solutions will also be presented and discussed.

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