







Writeup

- Proposition: blacks are systematically targeted for police misconduct.
 - Deceptive Technique: I changed the color palette for the heatmap to make the difference between the values of black complainants and other ethnicities more extreme.
- Counter-Proposition: blacks are not systematically targeted for police misconduct.
 - Deceptive Technique: I hand-picked a precinct with a low proportion of misconduct allegations against blacks to make the counter-proposition look plausible.
 - Deceptive Technique: I changed the color palette for the heatmap to make the difference between the values of non-black complainants and other ethnicities more extreme.
- I'm leaning towards the first set of visuals because they tell a more compelling story and underscore a systematic problem in the NYC Police Department.