

- **Story C: The physical traits that define Man & Women in literature**  
<https://pudding.cool/2020/07/gendered-descriptions/>

### **Narrative Structure:**

- **Introduction:** The story starts with frustration over a gendered description in "The Wise Man's Fear" and introduces the idea of gendered portrayals in literature.
- **Body:** It examines stereotypical description of men and women across 2,000 books, revealing that men are described through strength (muscles, fists) and women through sensuality (soft thighs, long hair).
- **Conclusion:** It advocates for writers to create more complex, multidimensional characters, breaking away from stereotypes.

### **Visual Elements:**

- The article uses charts and graphics, such as heatmaps, to visualize patterns from the analyzed texts, showing how body parts and descriptive language are gendered.

### **User Interaction:**

- Users can explore the dataset by applying filters, interact with charts, and compare descriptions between genders.

### **Story Evaluation:**

- **Enhanced Understanding:** The narrative, paired with data, and drawings describe the data acquisition and processing in an easy way, which needs little technical understanding, it also makes complex gender patterns in literature easier to grasp.
- **Increased Engagement:** Interactive charts and clickable data points keep users engaged. There was a small quiz in the beginning, which enhances the point she was trying to make. The scrolling through the website is a smooth experience and feeds the users information in smaller packages.
- **Improved Decision-Making:** Helps readers rethink gender portrayal in writing, though there are no direct decisions for users to make.
- **Personalization:** Users can focus on different aspects of the dataset by applying filters and parts of the analysis that interest them most. There are options to switch between the gender of authors.
- **Narrative Structure:** Clear and coherent, guiding readers through the problem, evidence, and call for change.
- **Visual Elements:** Charts and visualizations fit well with the storytelling, making data accessible. Words highlighted in the text will have a blooming effect on the charts
- **User Interaction:** Interactions are fitting, allowing for easy exploration of the data.