

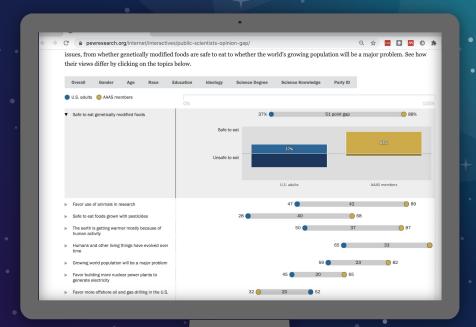






https://www.npr.org/2011/08/23/139852035/shrimp-on-a-treadmillthe-politics-of-silly-studies LET'S LOOK AT THE DATA

https://www.pewresearch.or g/internet/interactives/publi c-scientists-opinion-gap



DISCUSSION #1

The general public and scientists can differ in opinion on key issues.

- * Why does this gap in opinion exist?
- * How might this opinion gap directly impact scientists?
- Why is it important for scientists to communicate with the general public?

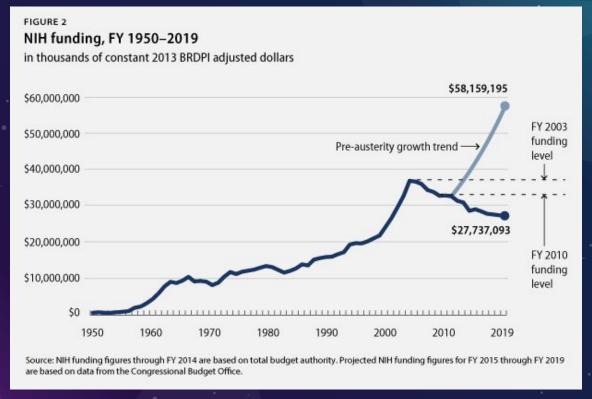
DISCUSSION #2

- What should the general public know about science?
- What does it mean to be scientifically literate?



DISCUSSION #3

- * Whose job is it to communicate science to the public?
- Should all scientists be required to communicate their research to the
- ★ public?



One big reason to communicate: *funding*Chart from Center of American Progress

ADDITIONAL BEADING

Fact Checking AARP: Why soundbytes about shrimp on treadmills and pickle technology are misleading

Who pays for science?