Assessment

- The assessment for this Unit is via two coursework assignments, each weighted 50%.

- The first is on ANOVA and the second on Signal Detection Theory.

- For the ANOVA assignment, you'll need to write your analysis script using R Markdown (which we'll cover in a week or two).

Replication and Reproducibility in Science

- Ionnidis (2005), *PLOS Medicine*, most published research findings are false.

- Prinz et al. (2011), *Nature Reviews Drug Discovery*, around 65% of cancer biology studies do not replicate.

- Button et al. (2013), *Nature Reviews Neuroscience*, small sample size undermines the reliability of neuroscience.

- MacLeod et al. (2014), *Lancet*, 85% of biomedical research resources are wasted.

- Baker (2015), *Nature*, 90% of scientists recognise a 'reproducibility crisis'.

- Nosek & Errington (2017), *eLife*, out of first 5 replication attempts of preclinical cancer biology work, only 2 have replicated.

Note, I have uploaded a bunch of papers on the replication crisis to Blackboard.