"Everybody's a little bit racist"

- AVENUE Q
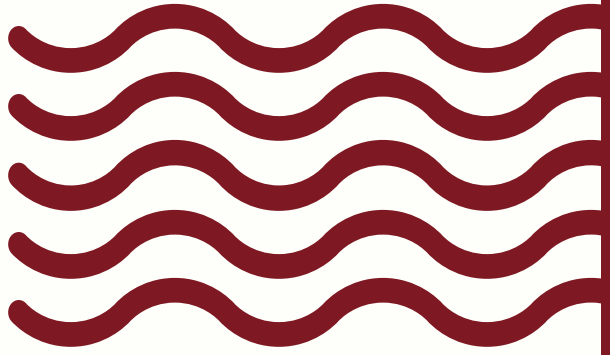
But our AI doesn't have to be

About

"An algorithm cannot see the difference between patterns based on injustice vs patterns based on traffic"

Services for NY's homeless

Team: New York City Hall data group

Goal: Pair homeless families with the most appropriate services

Race

Zip Code

Predicting future criminals

Team: Northpointe, a for-profit company

Goal: Develop risk assessments to inform decisions from bond assignments to defendants' freedom

Race   Poverty   Joblessness   ?

Microsoft's Tay

Team: Microsoft Technology and Research and Bing

Goal: Conduct real-world research on conversational understanding aimed at 18 to 24 year olds in the U.S.

Racist

Neo-Nazi

THANK YOU!