

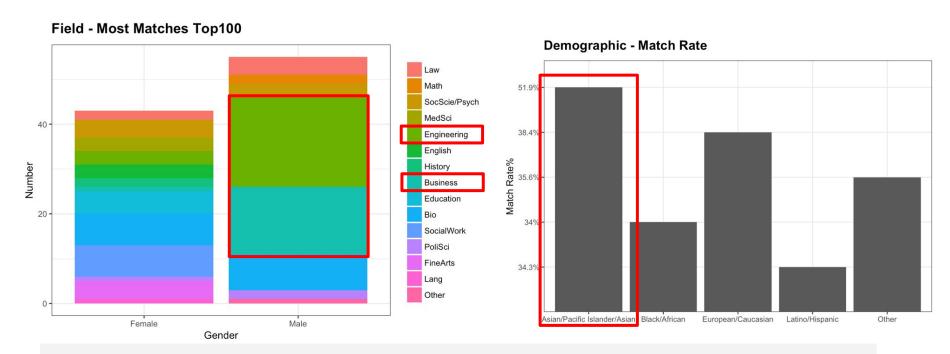
# OKMatch.com: Matching users for online dating using predictive analysis

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# Three ways to improve matching on the platform

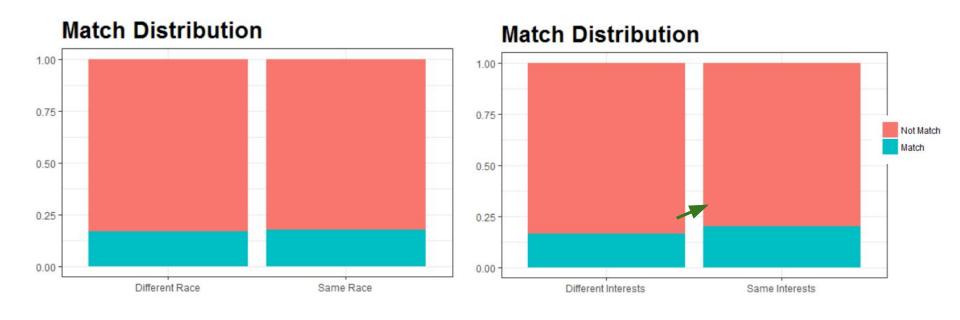
- > Targeting the right type of person  $\rightarrow$  increase probability of matches
- > Improving the signup process → increase conversion rate and matches
- > Improving the matching algorithm → increase quality of matches

# Specific targeting will increase quantity and quality of matches



- > The platform should target males studying business or engineering
- > The platform should make sure to attract Asian/Pacific Islander/Asian-American individuals

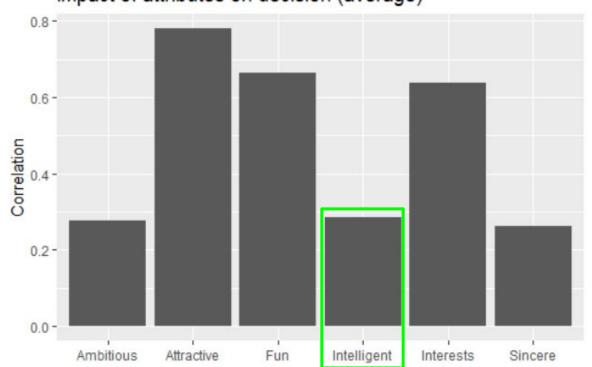
# Shared interests drive a higher probability of match



- > The platform should target individuals that share the same interests (rather than demographics)
- > For example, individuals sharing the same career aspirations are more likely to match

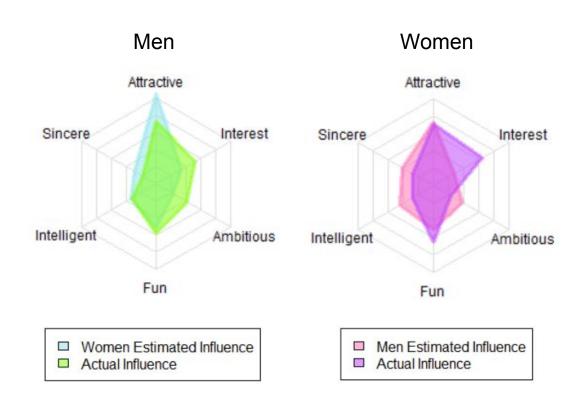
### Facilitating the signup process will increase conversion rate

#### Impact of attributes on decision (average)



> Intelligence has a small impact on people's decision. We therefore recommend not to ask any detail on academics (school, GPA...)

# Improving profile quality will increase probability of matches



- > People have a poor understanding of what the opposite sex is looking for
- > Give recommendations during profile creation (caption, profile picture) to better fit the other gender's preferences. This will **improve** the quality of profile, and therefore, the **number of matches**

# A powerful matching algorithm will increase quality of matches

- > Our model predicted 67% of matches, with a 98% accuracy
- > Our model does a better job at predicting non-matches than matches → **98.5%** of our predicted matches were actual matches
- > Our model will result in **less matches, but higher quality matches** 
  - → This can become OKMatch.com's product differentiation

