

## Talk revision

- ☐ Does each panel have a clear goal or point it is trying to convey?
- ☐ Have you figured out how the audience will understand what the goal or point of the panel? (e.g., build in emphatic pauses, underline key points, write “goal” on board, rephrase in multiple ways, etc.)
- ☐ Do your talk notes reflect this plan?
- ☐ Have you highlighted the novelty or impact of your results and proofs?
- ☐ Have you given the audience the necessary information to be able to place the result in context?
- ☐ At each stage of your talk have you indicated to the audience where the talk is going? (Practically, have you made it clear what details are important for them to remember to understand and appreciate what follows).
- ☐ Have you conveyed a sense of wonder or curiosity? Maybe with a cool or surprising example?
- ☐ Is the narrative of your talk clear in your head AND clear in your notes?
- ☐ Have you identified the main “plot points” of the narrative?
- ☐ Are you emphasizing these key “plot points” multiple times in multiple ways?
- ☐ Have you made clear the impact that you have had on this story? Don’t be afraid to say “I did X”.