

### **Journal of an Emerging Investigator Prompt #3**

The journal of an emerging investigator comprises 300-ish word entries of your personal reflections, reactions, ambitions, etc. as you go through this course. Quality journal entries will be a thoughtful reflection on how the course intersects with your personal journey as an emerging investigator.

Please answer the following questions for your third journal reflection:

1. How has writing the background/introduction section helped you refine your project ideas? What advice would you give to someone who is about to start the research process at the beginning of the semester?
2. As we discussed in the open science debate, there are both pros and cons with the open science movement. Are there aspects of open science you see yourself engaging with either now or in the future? Are there other aspects that you have qualms or concerns about that you don't think you want to engage with?