

Participant 7

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So I'm here interviewing participant number seven, starting with the first question is, how have you ever felt that crime analyses have ever directly impacted you, if at all?



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Not directly impacted me. But I've seen it in other people



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in your lover and how you see it and other people?



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Well,



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those who have been directly



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impacted by crime as in that could be rape, that could be assault, that could be a lot of things. It's hard to catch whoever did that. So criminal sees hasn't always been accurate.

for that. Okay.



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So then,



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for example, like the, the website you kind of play with application is a that's a crime analysis, kind of like algorithm or software, how important is it for you to know like how that actually works, or anything important information about it.



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I feel like it's important for



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more the government than the people almost just so they know, like, where exactly these are happening more often than that, and how to get police officers there and find the best way for them to prevent it from happening. And



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then assume, like one of these crime analyses, algorithms or systems was implemented in your area such that it could directly impact you, either for the better or the worse, or however it works. How important is it for you to understand how that works? Or why it's making the decisions that it is?



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I think that's very important. Because I feel like a lot of people don't understand why



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our government or our



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police work the way they do. And a lot of people question that and a lot of people are angry about that. And so they figured out the way it works. And if I figured out even the way it works, and I would understand why it is the way that it is.



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Do you think there's any kind of important information that you would want to know about how that works? Or whether works? specific information that you think is important to know?



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I don't know if these systems can figure out why.



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But I feel like that would be the most important for me. The reason



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more activity happens in an area than the other.



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Yeah, I guess that's okay.



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So then assume someone with more expertise vouches for like the efficacy and like the fairness of this. So they're saying that it works 100% like, well, it's completely fair, would you still believe them? Or do you think it'd be still important to know, kind of the underlying works of that algorithm or system?



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And I'm someone that likes to know, more than what someone's just telling me? Sure. I want to know why and



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the evidence to back up what they're saying.



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I don't know if that's how other people are, but it's sure.



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The same thing that if the guy is completely vouching for, like he has, say, all the degrees or anything needed for it saying is completely fair. Is there still any specific information that you think is important to know?



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That's okay, that's okay. Moving on, do you believe that whether data was sourced ethically, legally and fairly, if that impacts the quality of the data itself?



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I think if it's done well, and it's for the people to help the people and help the city or the place that's happening, then hopefully,



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so as long as it was used, for good means, okay, so how would you feel if hack data was used by professionals? Would that still be okay to use whether it's for good or bad, but in this case, if the hacked data was used for maybe good things, would that still be okay?



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I feel like the most real data is only in for good. Whether that's making people scared or not. It's reality. And then reality helps you fix the problem. Sure, rather than sugarcoat it.



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You said the most real data, what do you mean by real data?



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data correctly, and shown off correctly? Sure.



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Truly is rather than not



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sure. What was fun.



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If you were asked to voluntarily give personal information, like your location, or any kind of demographics to law enforcement, just for the purpose of training the data or crime analyses, algorithms, what would your response be? Would you give them your data?



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If it's just for that specific reason?



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Yeah. I mean,



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I personally don't have anything to hide, like, if it's sort of if it's to help others, and I would, but you know, there's always government conspiracies that they're always looking at us. And I don't know, I just, I have nothing to hide. Definitely. So yeah, I guess. Sure.



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And then, finally, how would you feel if data from traffic tickets was used to allocate police kind of systematically along the highway?



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I feel like traffic tickets. Tickets are not the most of our worries. Like,



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yes, it could be dangerous. And yes, a lot of traffic tickets.



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monitor the highways.



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But when it comes to seeing like,



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data from what I saw on the screen, I feel like there are other things that need to be more focused on.



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That sounds really bad. Sorry.



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No, but it's true, though. But



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I guess it just depends on where you are. Because I feel like different places are more violent than others. And



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where you are just, like, location concern? Yeah. Like,



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fear in a little suburb where it happens then. Okay, it's valid to have more police on highways and doing that. But, like in Manhattan, there's so much more going on than just traffic tickets. Sure.



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Great, thanks.