Lecture 11: Peer Evaluation

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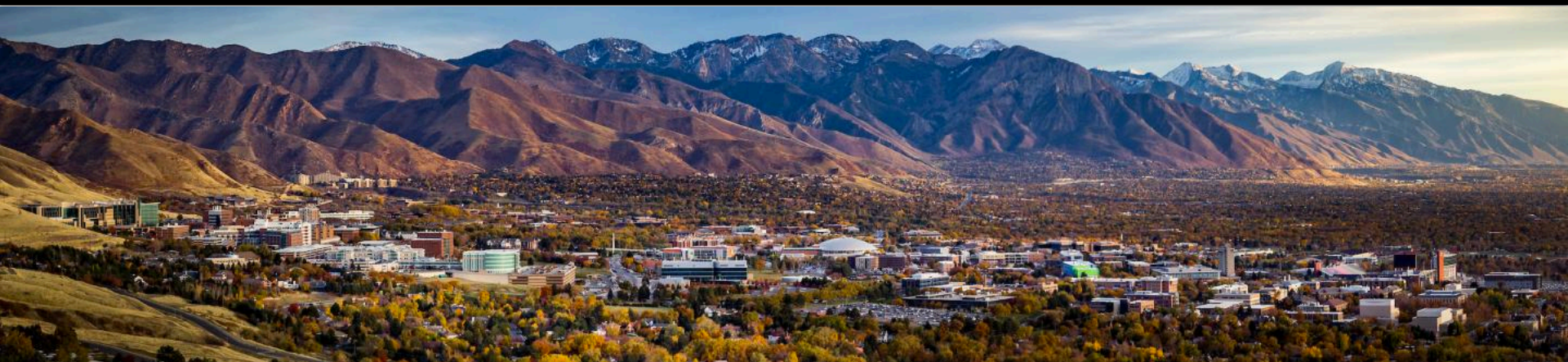
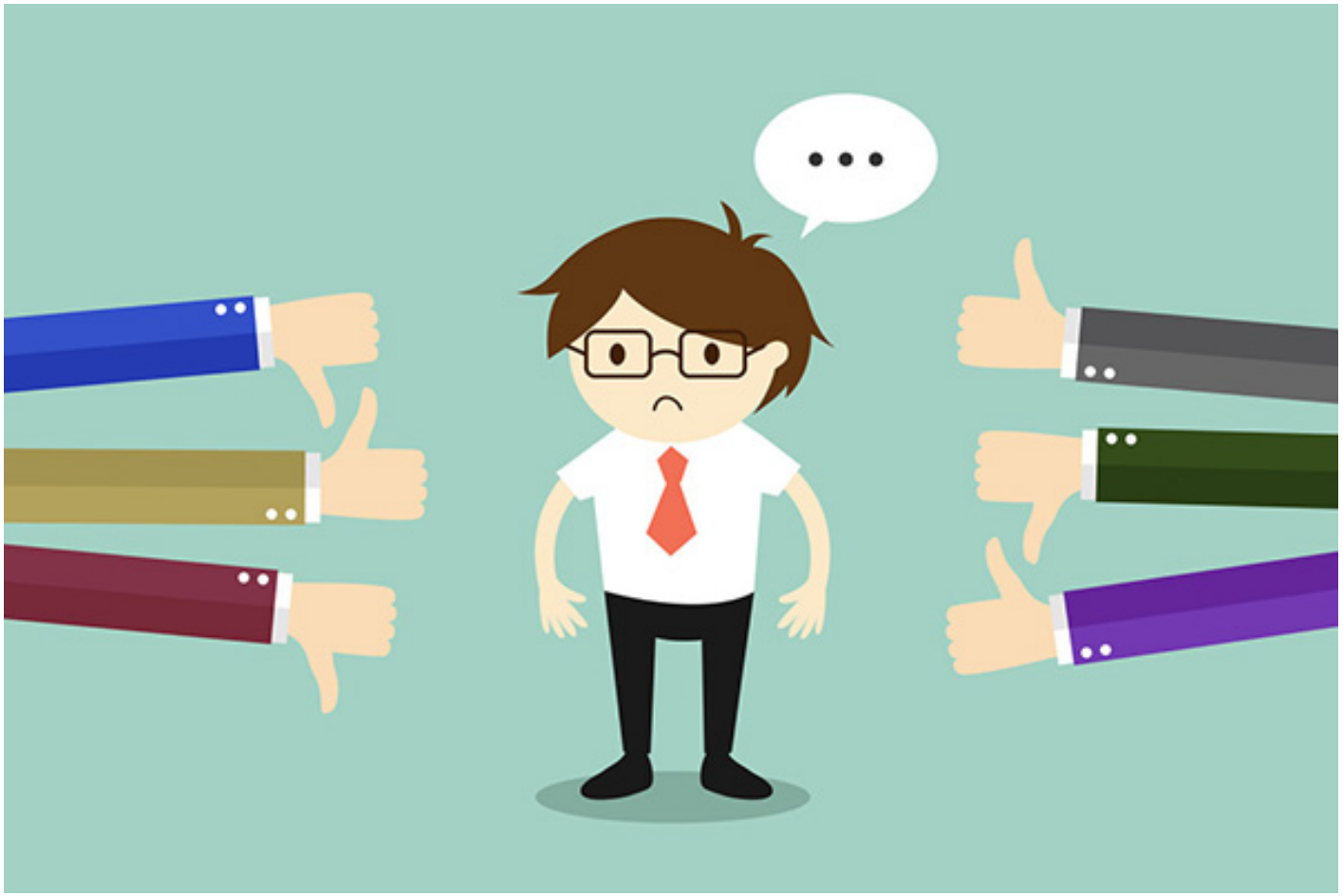


What is a Peer-evaluation?

- Not to criticize your project but help refine it



Why Should I Care?

- **Listen to what potential customers really want**
  - Project execution is different from product profiting
  - Project success is different from product success
    - In Lab, you claim success if one out of 100 is viable
    - In market, you claim success if 99% yield is viable
- **But, how do I know?**
  - The simplest way is to talk to potential customers
    - Will you buy it?
    - What kind of features you need before you buy it?
    - How much price you think is reasonable?
  - You won't be able to do this by talking to others

Evaluate Your Peer's Projects

- **We have opened 10 breakout rooms**
  - Zoom: https://utah.zoom.us/j/2468214418
  - 1-9 are assigned for teams from last week
  - Thesis track students are in room 10
  - Working sheet: https://docs.google.com/spreadsheets/d/1JfWZkEyoXdVLtHkiwOqk24G7WVhLWMCP113cSe9fgsQ/edit#gid=547552200
- **Each group work together to do the following:**
  - Review all other project websites (including thesis track)
  - Comment on each of the other projects
    - What is the practical use of this project?
    - What are the challenges to implement this project?
    - What is the marketplace for this project?
    - Will we buy it?
    - What to improve the project from an outsider's perspective
  - Post your comment as a reply to that project's GitHub post

To Get You Off the Ground

- **Each team spends 5 mins to update your issue page**
  - https://github.com/tsung-wei-huang/cs3992/issues
  - Include your website in good place others can see
- **Each team spends the rest to review other projects**
  - Write your comment as a reply to the issue post

Each group needs to review all the other projects (incl. thesis track), except your own projects!!! You can run your review/comments by reading their project website.