1   Changes in Locus of Control Orientation Across College Major Pathways

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Abstract

One or two sentences providing a **basic introduction** to the field, comprehensible to a scientist in any discipline. Two to three sentences of **more detailed background**, comprehensible to scientists in related disciplines. One sentence clearly stating the **general problem** being addressed by this particular study. One sentence summarizing the main result (with the words "**here we show**" or their equivalent). Two or three sentences explaining what the **main result** reveals in direct comparison to what was thought to be the case previously, or how the main result adds to previous knowledge. One or two sentences to put the results into a more **general context**. Two or three sentences to provide a **broader perspective**, readily comprehensible to a scientist in any discipline.

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Methods

We report how we determined our sample size, all data exclusions (if any), all manipulations, and all measures in the study.

Participants

Participants were 96 undergraduate students enrolled at a large, public university in the United States. They ranged in age from 18 to 22 years old ($M = 18.91$, $SD = 1.15$). The majority of participants identified as Asian/Pacific Islander (34.38%) and male (55.21%). Additionally, the majority (96.88%) of participants were born in the United States. A detailed summary of participant demographics is available in Table 1.

with the first wave of data collection occurring during their first semester of college and the final wave occurring during the second semester of their sophomore year.

Material

Procedure

Data analysis

We used R (Version 4.5.1; R Core Team, 2025) and the R-packages *DescTools* (Version 0.99.60; Signorell, 2025), *dplyr* (Version 1.1.4; Wickham, François, Henry, Müller, & Vaughan, 2023), *papaja* (Version 0.1.4; Aust & Barth, 2025), *summarytools* (Version 1.1.4; Comtois, 2025), and *tinylabels* (Version 0.2.5; Barth, 2025) for all our analyses.

45   **Results**

46   **Discussion**

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