# Keep researching! Test our results, explore further research questions, or craft your own project.

Audience for this recommendation:
Other researchers using WE1S materials & tools

During the course of our WE1S Project, we investigated many research questions evolved from the <u>question sets</u> we initially created). But there are so many of those questions we could not get to, and so many more that could be formulated based on the <u>materials</u> (<u>datasets</u> and <u>collections</u>), <u>methods</u>, and <u>tools</u> we developed for studying how the humanities are discussed in public.

Below we include some suggestions for others who might want to extend our work or pursue new avenues of research. We invite you to adapt them to suit your own interests and projects

## Try this:

#### → Test our results

One of WE1S's goals is to document how we arrived at our findings in a way that can be reproduced by other scholars (e.g., by using our <u>datasets</u>, our <u>Jupyter notebooks</u>, and our <u>"interpretation protocol"</u>).. But this doesn't mean that you will reach the same conclusions we did. Human interpretation is a crucial part of data analysis. Explore our <u>Key Findings</u> for yourself to see if you would offer your own interpretations of our data.

#### → Research further WE1S questions

Take a look at the <u>sets of questions</u> that our WE1S project developed, many of which we could not address or ended up redirecting to different goals. Choose one that can be the starting point for your own research.



### → Craft your own research project

The materials, methods, and tools of the WE1S project could support many more research questions! What directions excite you the most? Here are some resources to get started:

- WE1S Datasets
- WE1S Collections and Topic Models
- WE1S Methods
- WE1S Topic Model Interpretation Protocol
- WE1S Human Subjects Research
- WE1S Tools and Software
- WE1S Bibliography

Remember that all datasets have limitations. Some questions cannot be answered with our data. Can you imagine questions that require further evidence? How might you gather materials for this evidence and use our methods and tools to explore them?

Analyze your own texts in the <u>WE1S Workspace</u> of Jupyter notebooks and other tools installed from a Docker container on your own computer. (See <u>"Getting Started with the WE1S Workspace"</u>.)

(See also our <u>"Adapt our action and communication cards to create your own"</u> Call-to-Action card [card A-Y] to get started on outputs for your research.)