Presentation Outline

- Mess with PowerPoint to get it working
- Outline of my presentation
- Introduction
- Realize half the time has already gone
- Waste time trying to open a video
- Rush through the main content
- Abandon all hope of a well crafted conclusion

7 Cities

From the lab to policy

- Undergraduate thesis: N=53
- Master’s thesis: N=40
- Doctoral Dissertation: N=118
- Concussion Biomechanics: N=211
- NCAA-DoD Care Consortium: N≈23,000

What I would have told myself

- Work hard
  – Check your attitude at the door...Everyone is smart at this level.
- Don’t be afraid of failure
  – Grants submitted = 35
  – Grants funded = 15 (30%)
- Be inclusive
  – Answering big questions takes big science which takes big teams
- Find your balance
  – Work, family, exercise, play
- Success takes time

Thank You

Funders

- NCAA-DoD Grand Alliance – Concussion assessment, research and education consortium
- NIH-NINDS (grant# 1R15NS081691): Change in brain function in high school football athletes
- NATA-REF: Long term effects of neurocognitive functioning and motor control
- Michigan Injury Center: The Effect of Transcranial Magnetic Stimulation on Neural Plasticity in Young Adults with a Concussion History
- NCAA: National Sport Concussion Outcomes Study

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