



Credibility of the available information

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***The system of support for academic teachers in process
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<https://wspaerasmus.wixsite.com/supportsystem>



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Available information



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Amount

Anyone can produce information



Different types

Facts, opinions, stories,
interpretations, statistics. . .



Different intentions

Inform, persuade, sell, entertain. . .



Different supports

Text, image, video, sound. . .



**It is not always easy to determine
what type of information it is**



Saving information

Seeking information

Selecting information



Sir Ken Robinson | TED2006

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https://www.ted.com/talks/sir_ken_robinson_do_schools_kill_creativity



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For the Lovers of Physics

(Walter Lewin's Last Lecture)



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4a0FbQdH3dY&feature=youtu.be&t=1379>



Is the earth flat?







Jokes turned news

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Business. How can this MBA alternative with top founders from (Waze, Tesla, Shazam...) only cost \$1,000?

ThePowerMBA



The Topical: Town Council Votes To Rename Statue Of Robert E. Lee



Hunger Strike Saving Prison 62 Cents Per Inmate



Pros And Cons Of Banning TikTok



Editorial Cartoon: 'Cop Out'



NEWS IN BRIEF

U.S. Praises Bolivian Leaders For Eliminating Voter Fraud By Refusing To Hold Elections

WASHINGTON—Calling the Latin American nation a perfect model of election integrity, officials from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security praised Bolivian leaders Monday for eliminating voter fraud through their refusal to hold



NEWS IN BRIEF

Ron DeSantis Cuts Phone Line Outside Nursing Home So No One

<https://www.theonion.com/>



'Famous Porn Star Turns Into A Promising Scientist' – –A Lesson On Fake News



Nina Angelovska Contributor 

Retail

I write about e-commerce, marketing, entrepreneurship and lifestyle

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Portrait of confident young man GETTY

A friend of mine wanted to do an experiment on fake news. He published a Facebook post on his profile containing an image of

<https://www.forbes.com/sites/ninaangelovska/2019/02/06/famous-porn-star-turns-into-a-promising-scientist-a-lesson-on-fake-news/#22841d3073f8>



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Jackie Chan "Jackie is alive and well," read a note on the action star's [Facebook](#) page following internet buzz that he died in March 2011. "He did not suffer a heart attack and die, as was reported on many social networking sites and in online news reports."

**Celebrities who die....
...over and over again!**

<https://www.thewrap.com/celebrity-death-hoax-jack-black-rick-fox-taylor-swift-dwayne-johnson/>



Manuela, the tattoo, the tshirt and the phonecalls







Fake News

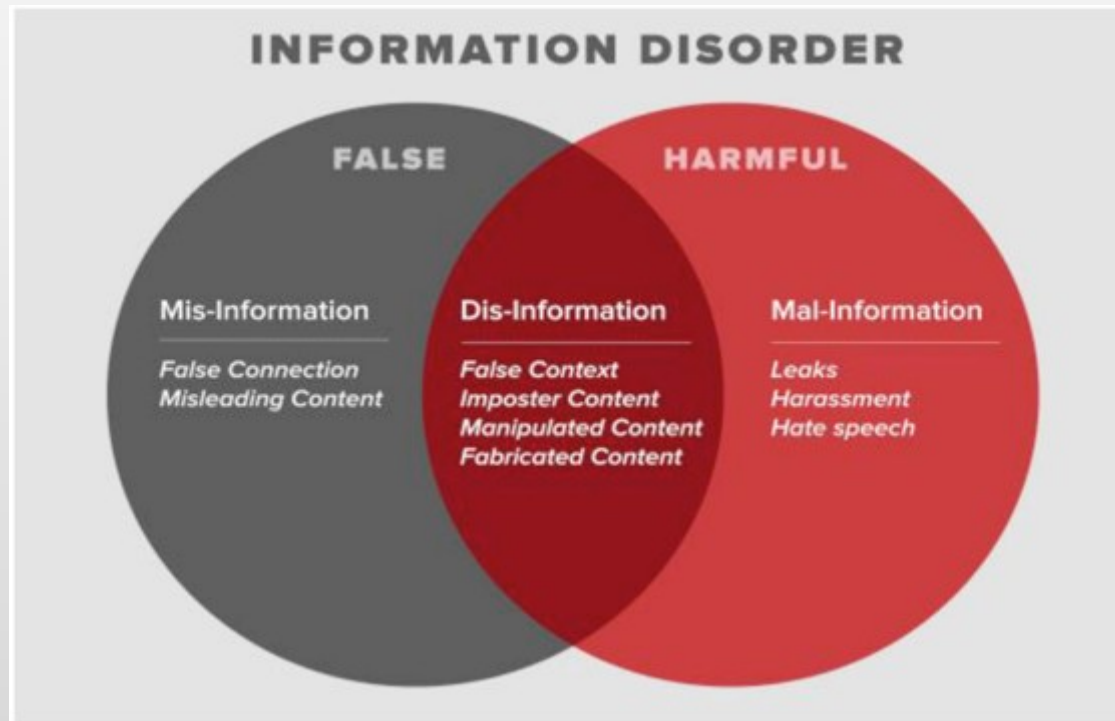
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Information Disorder





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(Wardle & Derakhshan, 2017, p. 5)

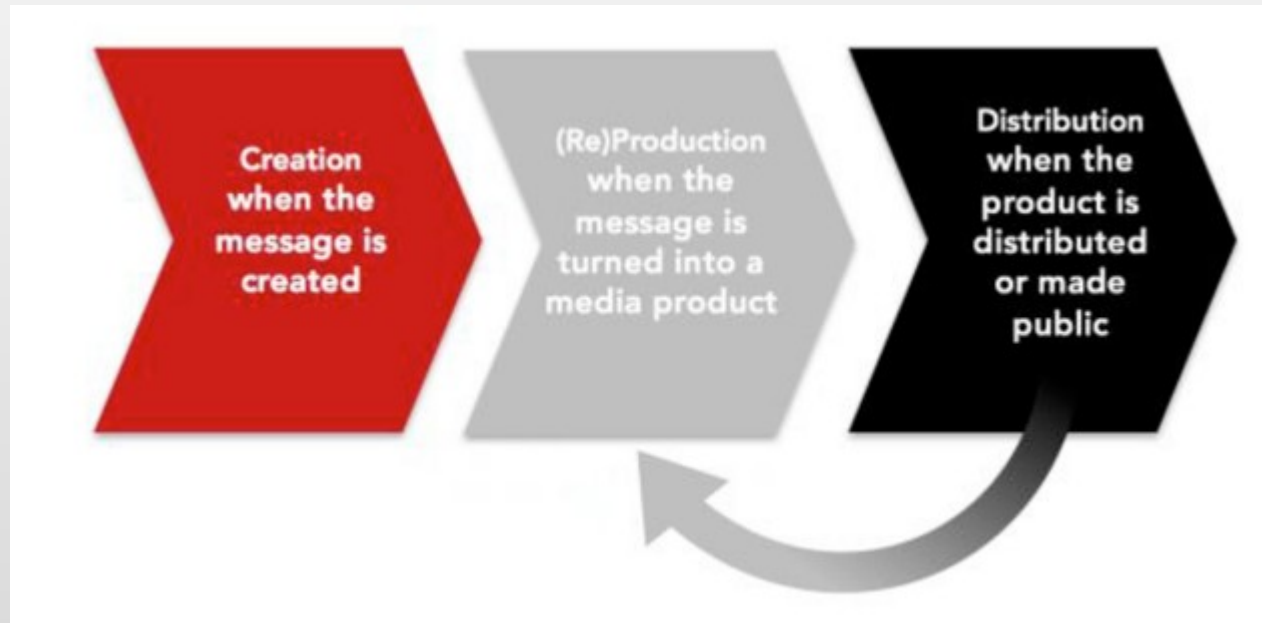


Agent	Actor Type: Level of Organisation: Type of Motivation: Level of Automation: Intended Audience: Intent to Harm: Intent to Mislead:	Official / Unofficial None / Loose / Tight / Networked Financial / Political / Social / Psychological Human / Cyborg / Bot Members / Social Groups / Entire Societies Yes / No Yes / No
Message	Duration: Accuracy: Legality: Imposter Type: Message Target:	Long term / Short-term / Event-based Misleading/ Manipulated / Fabricated Legal / Illegal No / Brand / Individual Individual / Organisation / Social Group / Entire Society
Interpreter	Message reading: Action taken:	Hegemonic / Oppositional / Negotiated Ignored / Shared in support / Shared in opposition

(Wardle & Derakhshan, 2017, p. 28)



Three stages in producing and distributing messages



(Wardle & Derakhshan, 2017, p. 23)



Example of “made up” news

WTOE 5 NEWS

YOUR LOCAL NEWS NOW

TOP STORIES COMMUNITY ENTERTAINMENT SPORTS LIFE ABOUT LATEST NEWS VIDEO

Pope Francis Shocks World, Endorses Donald Trump for President, Releases Statement

TOPICS: Pope Francis Endorses Donald Trump



Figure 5: Screenshot of the fabricated news article published in July 2016 on WTOE5News.com (The site no longer exists).



Example of the three stages





Who decides what is fake?



Cartoon by Cathy Wilcox, drawn for UNESCO for World Press Freedom Day 2017



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Who controls fact check?





How to Spot Fake News



CONSIDER THE SOURCE

Click away from the story to investigate the site, its mission and its contact info.

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



How to Spot Fake News



READ BEYOND

Headlines can be outrageous in an effort to get clicks. What's the whole story?

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



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CHECK THE AUTHOR

Do a quick search on the author. Are they credible? Are they real?

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



How to Spot Fake News



SUPPORTING SOURCES?

Click on those links. Determine if the info given actually supports the story.

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



How to Spot Fake News



CHECK THE DATE

Reposting old news stories doesn't mean they're relevant to current events.

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



How to Spot Fake News



IS IT A JOKE?

If it is too outlandish, it might be satire.
Research the site and author to be sure.

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



How to Spot Fake News



CHECK YOUR BIASES

Consider if your own beliefs could affect your judgement.

Source: <https://www.ifla.org/publications/node/11174>



How to Spot Fake News



ASK THE EXPERTS

Ask a librarian, or consult a
fact-checking site.

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Developing critical thinking





Thank You!



Debate

- What is the role of higher education?
- How are your schools dealing with this if at all?



References

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