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Editorial Review

Review

Review Summary

"This section is extremely important. Information in this section would be reiterated in lecture."

Karen Benton

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Learning from History

"This section is useful and would serve as a link to changes in modern day, ethical research practice."

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Tips for the Wise Consumer

"This section reinforces the need for students to look critically at the research process. This would be reinforced weekly in the article reviews."

Karen Benton

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"This is a great addition for those students who don't foresee themselves conducting social research and is often neglected in other text books, which is a shame considering that most social science students don't necessarily go on to produce social research of their own."

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University of California at Santa Barbara

Strengths:

"Students will be able to apply the course concepts to other courses or in the workforce."

Karen Benton

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"Great examples are provided throughout the chapters."

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"This is a very comprehensive, user-friendly text."

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University of Southern Mississippi

"The text is fluid and in-depth, but written at the appropriate level."

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Content

Chapter 8: Research with Nonreactive Members

"This chapter was thorough, used great examples, and provided a balanced assessment of the strengths and weaknesses associated with using nonreactive measures. I was impressed with the extensive descriptions the

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Molly George

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Chapter 9: Making Sense of Numbers

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“I think Making it Practical provides a very useful, straight-forward explanation of how to put field work principles into practice.”

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“The author’s writing style is clear and well-organized.”

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“The writing style was excellent”

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Understanding Research is an accessible and visually-appealing introduction to research across a wide range of academic fields and applied professions. It builds a broad foundation that will prepare you for more advanced courses in research and statistics; shows you how to evaluate and understand the significance of

published studies; and illustrates the usefulness of research in a variety of real settings.

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- Covers all major social research concepts and builds a broad foundation that will prepare students for more advanced courses in research and statistics.
- Develops critical reading skills to enable students to evaluate and understand the significance of published studies.
- Includes examples and illustrations from a broad range of academic disciplines.
- Engages students and illustrates utility of research in a variety of “real” settings.

About the Author

W. Lawrence Neuman James is professor of sociology and Asian Studies coordinator at University of Wisconsin-Whitewater. His M.A. and Ph.D. were earned at the University of Wisconsin-Madison. He has authored seven books and published 35 articles and book chapters, which have appeared in *Social Problems*, *Sociological Inquiry*, *Social Science Quarterly*, *American Sociological Review*, *Critical Asian Studies*, *Teaching Sociology*, *The Journal of Contemporary Asia*, *Sociological Quarterly*, and other journals. He is a former president of the Wisconsin Sociological Association. Neuman has received his university's highest award for research, the Chancellor's Award for service to students with disabilities, as well as the the Wisconsin Sociological Association's Outstanding Service Award, and the College of Letters and Sciences awards for outstanding teaching, excellence in research, and outstanding service.

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