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Additional Ethics Protocol for “I’m Not Sure What to Believe”

In accordance with IRB protocol, I received written or oral consent before each interview in and have used pseudonyms for individuals and communities to preserve participants’ anonymity. In addition to IRB approval, the research protocols for this study were also approved by a further ethics review process as part of funding from the Social Science Research Council’s Social Data Initiative. Per those reviewers’ requests, I emailed all quotes used in this article to the participants who provided them. Although I was unable to reach some participants, I received approval from all individuals I was able to contact. I also informed participants of the language I use to describe them and asked if this language, or anything else about their personal history, job, family etc. might be identifying so that I could remove it from the text.