

PHILOSOPHY

A CV WITHOUT FAILURE?

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There is a great new [proposal](#) (although it will be never accepted in the scientific community)

Compile an 'alternative' CV of failures. Log every unsuccessful application, refused grant proposal and rejected paper. Don't dwell on it for hours, just keep a running, up-to-date tally. If you dare — and can afford to — make it public. It will be six times as long as your normal CV.

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