SKEPTICISM ABOUT INTERDISCIPLINARITY
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Abstract: Skepticism about Interdisciplinarity

Interdisciplinarity has been an important mode of knowledge development for decades, but there remains a diversity of opinion about what it is. In this talk, I’ll consider a range of different ways of conceptualizing the combination of disciplines. I’ll then marshal a few skeptical considerations against the very idea of interdisciplinarity as a coherent and valuable practice.