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Beth Oljar, Jocelyn Boryczka, James Tubbs, Announcer, Heather Hill, Matt Mio, Professors, Stephen Manning, Mara Livezey, Dave Chow

- M** Matt Mio 00:00
The University tower chimes ring in another session of Ask The Professor, the show in which you match wits with University of Detroit Mercy professors in an unrehearsed session of questions and answers. I'm your host, Matt Mio, and let me introduce to you our panel for today. To my left, from the Department of Philosophy, it's Professor Beth Oljar
- B** Beth Oljar 00:20
Hey, Matt, good to be here.
- M** Matt Mio 00:21
What's going on? No papers to grade?
- B** Beth Oljar 00:26
no, I have Logic homework in my bag that I need to finish grading.
- H** Heather Hill 00:30
Well whip it out, baby
- M** Matt Mio 00:31
That sounds logical.

D Dave Chow 00:32
C'mon, you've got room.

B Beth Oljar 00:33
I know. I should probably be doing it while I'm also doing the show. But

M Matt Mio 00:37
I noticed like a couple - it wasn't last week. But a couple of weeks ago, you were filling out this truth table, like - as you were talking to me and making eye contact. And I'm like, "Dang, that's good. She's good". I mean, seriously. It was like, "yes, no, no, yes. Yes. Yes. No, no,," I was like, impressed.

B Beth Oljar 00:53
You could do the same thing with Chemistry.

M Matt Mio 00:56
Maybe, maybe, maybe. We'll see. Professor Dave Chow: I'm going to assume that you brought all these treats.

D Dave Chow 01:04
Yes, I did.

M Matt Mio 01:05
Okay

D Dave Chow 01:05
It's a pleasure to have brought the treats and to be here

B Beth Oljar 01:07
We need to start contributing too. Ask us to cough up some money

D Dave Chow 01:10
Right about now Let's say Nissan's got us covered for at least a couple months. So.

B Beth Oljar 01:15
Oh, okay.

D Dave Chow 01:16
Thanks for moving the sweets out of the way, as I continue around the table to introduce Dean Jocelyn Boryczka, joining us again today. Happy to have you.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 01:24
Thank you so much. Great to be here. It's great to see everybody.

D Dave Chow 01:26
She says that now.

M Matt Mio 01:28
Eye contact through the microphones here. So what does this part of the semester feel like at the Dean's level? How's that for a question?

J Jocelyn Boryczka 01:36
It really feels like what it feels like for faculty and students. So, you know that there's a heavy pace. There's a lot going on. There's a lot of excitement. There's, you know, folks are working really hard. And yeah, so I think it really feels the same. Someone asked me, "Will it start slowing down at the end of March and early April?" I'm like, "No, like, this is our tax season too. Right? We're getting ready for graduation and everything. I'm sorry. I didn't mean to bring up tax season."

M Matt Mio 01:39
Okay

J James Tubbs 02:04



Honors Convocation



Jocelyn Boryczka 02:05

Honors Convocation



Beth Oljar 02:06

I know. Well, I know where my refunds are so



Matt Mio 02:08

That's nice. Through the forest of microphones, we're very, very happy to have back Professor Mara Livezey from the Department of Chemistry.



Professors 02:17

Yay!



Mara Livezey 02:18

Great to be here. Yeah.



Matt Mio 02:20

You passed off the little one to -



Mara Livezey 02:22

To the grandparents Grandma. They took her home.



Matt Mio 02:25

Nice.



Mara Livezey 02:26

Snuggling her now

H Heather Hill 02:27
You may never see her again. (Laughs)

D Dave Chow 02:29
Right. They might never see Mara.

B Beth Oljar 02:31
I couldn't believe when you told me she fights naps. And I'm like, This is not your child. Your child fighting a nap?

M Mara Livezey 02:38
Right? Like, who is she learning this from?

M Matt Mio 02:41
Oh, seriously

M Mara Livezey 02:42
Not Me

M Matt Mio 02:44
Professor Jim Tubbs is back from the other side of the marble.

J James Tubbs 02:47
Good day, mate

M Matt Mio 02:48
Yeah.

B Beth Oljar 02:49
The pictures were awesome.

D Dave Chow 02:52
But I still haven't gotten a video yet.

M Matt Mio 02:53
Can we even like ask for like a one-sentence summary? I mean, it's probably impossible.

D Dave Chow 02:57
It's only a half-hour show.

J James Tubbs 02:58
I'll tell you what I told my sister. While normally trips that you plan for for a long time, your expectations are lessened in some way. No. It was really - it was really good. You know, wow. There was nothing that was disappointing about it. And the weather was incredible. It did not rain on us. Now, this is summer in Australia and New Zealand. It did not rain on us until it drizzled our last day on a harbor trip in Sydney. So it really didn't matter.

D Dave Chow 03:32
I want to know who your travel agent is.

M Matt Mio 03:36
And how is Diane, we have to ask.

J James Tubbs 03:38
well she's recovering. She's - I talked to her on the phone just the other day. She says hello by the way. The questions that we sent - We were sitting in the library of on the Coral Princess.

M Matt Mio 03:52
Oh, my gosh!

J James Tubbs 03:53
She was on her iPad, going to websites finding questions and repeating them to me, and then I

was editing them and typing them.

M Matt Mio 04:02
I love it.

D Dave Chow 04:04
Yeah, we answered them.

J James Tubbs 04:05
We had a good time doing it

D Dave Chow 04:07
Do we owe them a coffee mug?

M Matt Mio 04:09
An upside down coffee mug. Yeah, exactly

D Dave Chow 04:11
Poured out

M Matt Mio 04:12
Nice. Nice. Excellent. Well, we're glad to have you back in one.

D Dave Chow 04:15
And we're glad Diane's also recovered to be back.

J James Tubbs 04:17
Yeah, she's doing well.

M Matt Mio 04:19

Jim, you'll be fully adjusted from the time change by the time fall semester begins.

J

James Tubbs 04:23

Oh it took a while. Yeah, it took a while.

M

Matt Mio 04:25

I can only imagine. A man who is currently wearing a toque of unknown origin in the room is Professor Stephen Manning.

S

Stephen Manning 04:34

because I was shoveling prior to coming today, you'd be happy to know

M

Matt Mio 04:39

When I came to work this morning. There was no snow on the ground. So it was very shocking to me. Very shocking.

B

Beth Oljar 04:45

Well, that's because you get here at like five in the morning,

M

Matt Mio 04:47

Not five, but you know, that sort of thing. So, I beat the snow this morning. They saved it off for me, you know? Well folks, this is a program where you could send us questions regarding anything. If you stump the panel you win a prize. You can send us the questions in a number of ways. You can email us at ATP@UDMercy.edu. Find us on Facebook and Instagram or listen on your favorite smart speaker by asking it to play Ask The Professor at University of Detroit Mercy. Probably by the time this airs, Dave, we're going to have our special PR push going on. So we can you tease that a little bit and see what happens with it, so -. Okay, I saw this and I said, "You know, I think the ATP crew will have fun with it." It kind of levels the playing field, because it's not rapid recall on knowledge. Let's see, what we can do.

D

Dave Chow 04:51

Oh! Oh, it's not long division, is it?

J

Jocelyn Boryczka 05:35

What does that mean, Matt? (The professors laugh)

H

Heather Hill 05:39

That's quite the setup,

M

Matt Mio 05:40

Isn't it? That's quite the set-up?

J

Jocelyn Boryczka 05:40

Did you say rabid? (Laughs)

B

Beth Oljar 05:41

If it requires rapidity, I wouldn't count on us.

M

Matt Mio 05:46

That's right. So - most of us can remember the measles from our childhood. No, we're not talking about the physical ailment. A measle is a word we read but never heard spoken. The linguist who coined the term measle, named it for the mispronunciation of the word M I S L E D, as Miss-ILD. Okay, as in mizzled M I Z Z L E D.

B

Beth Oljar 06:11

Instead of misled.


M


Matt Mio 06:12


Instead of misled. "Have you ever been Measled by the spelling of a word into thinking that it's pronounced differently? Like say misled is pronounced mizzled? Now you know what a measle is." There was a chronicle blog post under Lingua Franca. Linguist Geoffrey Pullum from Harvard investigated inspired by colleagues assumption, this is the most common one according to the people at Harvard, that the word B I O P I C can be pronounced two completely different ways with the same meaning. Some people say "bio-pic", some people say "biopic" (rhyming with myopic). So, I've got a bunch of measles that I'm gonna spell for you, and you're gonna have to say it in both ways.

B


Beth Oljar 06:15


 Beth Oljar 06:19
But since it's a biographical movie, it should be bio-pic, not biopic,


 Matt Mio 06:59
But lot of people say biopic


 Beth Oljar 07:01
I know, but doesn't it drive you crazy.?


 Matt Mio 07:02
Absolutely.


 Beth Oljar 07:02
A lot of people say "irregardless".

 Dave Chow 07:05
Should we talk about the nuclear one too, while we're at it?

 Matt Mio 07:11
That's a little different than a measle

 James Tubbs 07:12
That was Jimmy Carter.

 Jocelyn Boryczka 07:13
It was Jimmy.

 Stephen Manning 07:13
It's a Southern thing. Isn't it?



J Jocelyn Boryczka 07:18
it was Jimmy,

M Matt Mio 07:19
Every president of the modern era has been caught on video saying "nucular", very single one of them; and it drives me absolutely bonkers. Yeah. Words like that. But let's see if we can ease ourselves in with what I actually think is a really, really tough one. So I'm going to spell the word and you're going to say it both ways. Okay?

H Heather Hill 07:27
And "Libary" Okay.

M Matt Mio 07:38
A-P-P-L-Y

H Heather Hill 07:40
"Ap-lee"

B Beth Oljar 07:40
Apply

M Matt Mio 07:41
We got it on the first try. Apply and aptly. There is a little little side joke on every word. It says "think lemony". Something tastes lemony something tastes appley.

J James Tubbs 07:55
but then it would have an "E - Y"

B Beth Oljar 07:58
Exactly

M Matt Mio 07:58

Matt Mio 07:59
Just letting you know.

H Heather Hill 08:00
We're getting pretty enthusiastic about this, here around the table.

M Matt Mio 08:02
I know, this is, uh-

D Dave Chow 08:03
Feisty. I tell you.

S Stephen Manning 08:05
There's only one way to pronounce these words.

M Matt Mio 08:06
A M P H I T H E A T E R,

D Dave Chow 08:12
Amphitheater

M Matt Mio 08:15
and -

H Heather Hill 08:16
amphitheater.

M Matt Mio 08:17
Basically, an amphith eater would be a monster that eats ampiths. Yeah. I'm just letting you know.

D Dave Chow 08:25
I thought you were gonna bring one back for us.

J James Tubbs 08:30
No. I wanted to bring a koala with me, but they wouldn't let me.

D Dave Chow 08:33
You tried, I'm sure

J James Tubbs 08:34
They're too messy anyway

B Beth Oljar 08:36
Those little claws can be pretty sharp

M Matt Mio 08:38
How about B A R F L Y.

D Dave Chow 08:42
"Bar-flee" "Bar-fly"

H Heather Hill 08:42
Bar fly and bar-flee

J James Tubbs 08:44
Barflee

M Matt Mio 08:46
Don't you want to do things in a Bpbarflee kind of way?

J Jocelyn Boryczka 08:48
Like, you're in a Barf like way? But think about times when you've had too much to drink.
You're feeling Barf-lee.

H Heather Hill 08:57
You're feeling barflee because you are a barfly.

J James Tubbs 09:02
After being a bar-fly you are feeling barflee.

H Heather Hill 09:03
Alright, we're all getting a little out-of-hand here.

M Matt Mio 09:20
Buh-room. It's sort of like "Buh-room!" basicly. It's like a big sound. The article goes on for many of these and basically alludes to the fact that you can get to a pronunciation that actually brings a different meaning to the exact same word over time and these have only been around - They were labeled measles in the late 90s. So it's really a very, very new concept but there's a - This is good though. This is good. This is exactly what I was hoping this list would do here. How about B-a-r-r-o-o-m.

S Stephen Manning 09:20
Bar-room

H Heather Hill 09:20
Buh-room!.

B Beth Oljar 09:44
Well, now the disease has actually made a comeback

D Dave Chow 09:46
Thanks a lot

B Beth Oljar 09:47
because of anti-vaxxers

M Matt Mio 09:48
No comment, no comment.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 09:50
Yes Indeed.

M Matt Mio 09:51
10%

B Beth Oljar 09:51
We had eradicated this but

M Matt Mio 09:53
10% of the state of Michigan will vote for RFK Jr. In the last poll. 10%


B Beth Oljar 09:57
Oh my god.


M Matt Mio 09:59
Fantastic. Going back to the question set -


J James Tubbs 10:03
One of them just visited Ann Arbor


M Matt Mio 10:05
Yeah, that's true. That's true. BOATHOUSE


Yeah, that's true. That's true. BOATHOUSE


 Mara Livezey 10:11
Boathouse


 Dave Chow 10:14
Bo at house?


 James Tubbs 10:15
Bo ath those


 Matt Mio 10:17
bo ath those is sort of like "Is it a piece of clothing that a boa constrictor would wear? It doesn't make any sense.

 Heather Hill 10:23
I want to wear a bo ath those.

 Matt Mio 10:27
Oh, you just brought a third level to it. That's awesome

 Beth Oljar 10:31
Both of those instead of -

 Heather Hill 10:33
Both of those

 Matt Mio 10:37
I - Wow. I don't even -



H Heather Hill 10:40
"You want one of those?" "No. I want both of those."

M Matt Mio 10:42
How about C-O-D-E-N-A-M-E-D?

H Heather Hill 10:48
Codenamed?

M Matt Mio 10:48
codenamed or

J James Tubbs 10:50
Cod-Enami. (The professors laugh)

D Dave Chow 10:50
It sounds like some kind of sushi.

H Heather Hill 10:56
Spell it again

M Matt Mio 10:57
C O D E N A M E D. We have codenamed and we also have - (laughs_

D Dave Chow 11:03
It sounds like something you can get at Nobel Fish on Saturdays

S Stephen Manning 11:06
"How is the Cod-Enami prepared this evening?" (The professors laugh)

D Dave Chow 11:09
Raw. Very raw.

M Matt Mio 11:10
There is something here about someone Code-de-nom-ing you I mean

J James Tubbs 11:16
Oh, co-demoning you. Oh.

H Heather Hill 11:18
Codemoning.

B Beth Oljar 11:19
These actually - I mean, we all have words where it's like you're not sure how to pronounce it or that you've heard it one or two ways. These are not that. These are people who don't know how to read.

M Matt Mio 11:29
it is entirely possible that that's true. However, it's interesting when it gets locked in your brain as something you've never heard before. You know

H Heather Hill 11:36
So, it's like "I'm a demon and I'm gonna make you a demon."

D Dave Chow 11:38
Codemoning

J Jocelyn Boryczka 11:39
So your co demons

B Beth Oljar 11:40

Cool,

H Heather Hill 11:40
Yeah, because I really want you to be -

M Matt Mio 11:42
Assistant to the co-demon

B Beth Oljar 11:44
So that would be - (Heather laughs)

M Matt Mio 11:47
Let's do another one here, because these only get - This is hysterical I'm doing them alphabetical, but they only get wilder. C O W O R K E R.

D Dave Chow 11:56
Co-worker. Co-worker, Or - It could be a cow orker

M Mara Livezey 11:59
Coworker

M Matt Mio 12:01
What does a coworker do?

H Heather Hill 12:03
Milk the cows

M Matt Mio 12:04
Only use if you want your cows orked (The professors laugh)

B Beth Oljar 12:13
it's tipping them over when they're sleeping.

H Heather Hill 12:14
Its cow tipping.

M Matt Mio 12:15
I didn't know you had a cow, Jim.

H Heather Hill 12:18
Don't have a cow.

M Matt Mio 12:19
Oh my gosh.

B Beth Oljar 12:21
Don't have a cow, man!

M Matt Mio 12:21
Uh, Mara, What do you think about I N F R A R E D?

M Mara Livezey 12:28
Infra-red

M Matt Mio 12:29
infra-red is definitely one of them.

J James Tubbs 12:30
Infar-rud. (Laughs)

M Matt Mio 12:34
What you get when someone infrars you (The professors laugh)

D Dave Chow 12:40
It's one of the new colors in the Pantone chart.

B Beth Oljar 12:42
At least it's not saying that "imply and infer can be used interchangeably". Nero Wolfe burned a dictionary because it said you could use imply and infer interchangeably. That's why he's the greatest detective.

M Matt Mio 12:42
Exactly

D Dave Chow 12:53
There you go. There you go.

B Beth Oljar 12:55
Except for -

J James Tubbs 12:56
Who wrote that dictionary?

M Matt Mio 12:57
Oh, that's a good question

J Jocelyn Boryczka 12:59
Ahh! I couldn't agree more

M Matt Mio 13:01
How about MANGA AUGHTER

HOW ABOUT M A N S L A U G H T E R.

B Beth Oljar 13:06
Manslaughter

D Dave Chow 13:08
Man's laughter

M Matt Mio 13:08
And man's laughter is what it sounds like. Very different from woman's laughter.

H Heather Hill 13:14
Like mansplaining?

D Dave Chow 13:15
Yes,

M Mara Livezey 13:15
Yes.

H Heather Hill 13:16
Or manspreading

D Dave Chow 13:17
Ooh

M Matt Mio 13:18
When I read that one, the first thing I thought of was The Dark Knight movie, because The Joker was riding in a semi that said "laughter, the Best Medicine" but he spray painted an "S" over the front of it. So that was the first thing that I thought of,

D Dave Chow 13:31
Got to have some laughter in the slaughterhouse.

M Matt Mio 13:33
How about M E N S W E A R

S Stephen Manning 13:37
Men's Wear

J James Tubbs 13:38
Men swear

M Matt Mio 13:39
Men swear. Yeah,.

D Dave Chow 13:40
All the time.

M Matt Mio 13:41
It says "They sure do" right next to it. Yeah, exactly.

D Dave Chow 13:45
We know the words.

M Matt Mio 13:48
Oh my gosh. This is - I don't even know where to go here. Let's see M-I-N-I-S- E R I E S?

H Heather Hill 13:57
Mini-

M Mara Livezey 13:59
Mini series?

M Matt Mio 14:00
Mini-series would be what I would think of.

J James Tubbs 14:02
Miniseries. Yeah, the plural of minisery.

M Matt Mio 14:04
Miniseries.

H Heather Hill 14:04
Minisery?

B Beth Oljar 14:04
Okay

H Heather Hill 14:07
Is that like a meniscus? No.

M Matt Mio 14:11
Something like that. Let's see. Okay, let's play it cool here. We're all academics. Okay,

D Dave Chow 14:19
We're all adults

M Matt Mio 14:21
.M O L E S T E R.

H Heather Hill 14:24
Molester

M Matt Mio 14:25
Okay.

J James Tubbs 14:26
Mole-star

M Matt Mio 14:27
or Yeah, a subterranean hamster.

D Dave Chow 14:32
It's the Taylor Swift of the underworld. (The professors laugh)

M Matt Mio 14:35
And this is one that's right at the top for me. You can joke about maybe the people are misread a little bit or something. But this, honest to God, you can see it both different ways. You just need to turn it on and off in your brain. M -O-P E-D

H Heather Hill 14:52
Moped

M Matt Mio 14:52
Mo-ped or moped. it's the exact same word, right? So it's just about the way you pronounce it that really changes that. Yes.

M Mara Livezey 14:52
Mo-ped

J James Tubbs 15:00
This is moping weather

M Matt Mio 15:02
It sort of is, unfortunately.

H Heather Hill 15:03
It is mophead weather too

S Stephen Manning 15:04
Weather you don't want to ride your mo-ped in.

J James Tubbs 15:06
Right

M Matt Mio 15:07
I'm gonna go back to Mara for this one because it's a classic, old school name for a mineral that we use all the time. P O T A S H.

M Mara Livezey 15:17
Po-tash

M Matt Mio 15:17
Yeah, po-tash is what it says here, but pot-ash .Yes. It's potassium nitrate, I think. Boy, is that weird. And seriously, this is on the other side. Like who would P O T H O L E.

D Dave Chow 15:35
Pot-hole ?

H Heather Hill 15:36
Or - ?

J James Tubbs 15:37
Pa-tholey?

M Matt Mio 15:37
(Laughing) Pa-tholey. I don't know.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 15:41
It sounds like a great soup.

B Beth Oljar 15:45
Actually, I was watching the season premiere of Top Chef last night and one of the winning dishes was actually a pizzoli and that actually made me think -

M Matt Mio 15:52
Oh, see

B Beth Oljar 15:52
Yeah

M Matt Mio 15:53
See, there we go.

B Beth Oljar 15:54
It actually looked really good.

M Matt Mio 15:55
Oh, man. I will not call out the one of my sons who was reading to me lately and got this one spot on. R E D R A W I N G. Looking in Dave's direction now

H Heather Hill 15:59
Pitholey Red - ?

M Mara Livezey 16:15
Re-drawing.

M Matt Mio 16:16
Re-drawing or -

J James Tubbs 16:16
Red-rawing

M Matt Mio 16:17
Red-rawing? Yeah, it's sort of like "Why were they red-rawing that thing?"

M Mara Livezey 16:20
I don't want to know about that.

J James Tubbs 16:21
No, you don't

M Matt Mio 16:21
No, I don't want to know much more about that.

B Beth Oljar 16:23
It's like Redrum from The Shining.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 16:24
Yeah.

S Stephen Manning 16:25
"Is there any Red Rum in the tree out there?"

M Matt Mio 16:29
What is -? What's going on?

D Dave Chow 16:31
What?!

M Matt Mio 16:31
Oh my lord.

D Dave Chow 16:33
Squirrel!

M Matt Mio 16:35
How about R I V E R B E D?

M Mara Livezey 16:38
River bed

J James Tubbs 16:40
Re- verbed

M Matt Mio 16:41
Re-verbed. I don't know why he would say Re with an "R - I". That doesn't make any sense

H Heather Hill 16:45
This is like a reading comprehension - issue.

M Matt Mio 16:48
It is

S Stephen Manning 16:49
That would be

D Dave Chow 16:50
Where is Evelyn Wood when we need her right about now? You know,

M Matt Mio 16:53
Serously

S Stephen Manning 16:54
That would be a guitarist who didn't read very much.

M Matt Mio 17:00
Sure, sure. How about S H E L F R E A D I N G

B Beth Oljar 17:07
Shelf reading

M Matt Mio 17:09
or shel freading

M Mara Livezey 17:09
What?!

H Heather Hill 17:12
Shell freading.

M Matt Mio 17:13
Do your shelves need to be freaded? I don't know. What is freading? I have no idea.

J James Tubbs 17:19
Oh, I fread mine regularly.

H Heather Hill 17:20
Giving them freedom.

M Matt Mio 17:21
On your moped? Yeah, you're moping on your moped. Absolutely. How about S U N D R Y.

D Dave Chow 17:21
On my moped

J James Tubbs 17:29
Sundry

H Heather Hill 17:30
Sun dry

M Matt Mio 17:32
It says "You could read sundry topics on sun dried tomatoes". I cant even say it without -

H Heather Hill 17:39
I have sundries that I want to sun dry.

M Matt Mio 17:41
Oh, 100%. Yes. Oh, and by the way, this is a hardcore linguist at Harvard. He also has listed "S

U N D R I E D. Is this the preterite tense to sundry?" Oh, my gosh! If I ever get that nitpicky, just smack me right upside the head. You probably are when it comes to organic chemistry. I mean - Not really.

H Heather Hill 18:06
Sundry. Is there a verb form of sundry?

M Matt Mio 18:10
You know what I'm saying?

H Heather Hill 18:11
I do.

M Matt Mio 18:12
Oh, man. I don't know. Only T R I P H A M M E R

B Beth Oljar 18:20
Triphammer that's what it sounded like.

J James Tubbs 18:23
Tri phammer

M Matt Mio 18:24
"Three phammers in one" is the other definition. Is that even a thing? Yes.

J James Tubbs 18:24
Those who fam.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 18:31
Those who fam.

M Matt Mio 18:34
U N D E R F E D ?

M Mara Livezey 18:37
Under-fed.

J James Tubbs 18:37
Un-derfed (The professors laugh)

M Matt Mio 18:43
That just sounds great. I'm feeling a little un-derfed

S Stephen Manning 18:49
How many more of these are there?

M Matt Mio 18:50
There's just a couple more (The professors laugh)

J Jocelyn Boryczka 18:53
Thanks for asking

M Matt Mio 18:54
We are on U, Stephen. We are on U. Oh my gosh. U N D E R M I N E D

S Stephen Manning 19:03
Under-mined

M Matt Mio 19:03
Yes.

H Heather Hill 19:04
Un-dermined

M Matt Mio 19:05
Undermined. Yes. Has not yet been dermined I'm definitely going again in Mara direction. U N I
O N I Z E D

J James Tubbs 19:16
Un-ionized

M Matt Mio 19:16
Yes Yes. Un-ionized and Union-ized

J Jocelyn Boryczka 19:18
Or union-ized It's interesting that you went in Mara's direction.

M Matt Mio 19:22
Well, you know, I could have gone in Heather's AND Mara's direction.

M Mara Livezey 19:26
These are very challenging for someone with like a massive lack of sleep.

M Matt Mio 19:32
(Laughs)

M Mara Livezey 19:32
I'm trying to draw it out, because I can't see the word

J Jocelyn Boryczka 19:39
We need a nen and nencil

we need a pen and paper.

M Mara Livezey 19:40
Are you writing them down?

J Jocelyn Boryczka 19:42
Yeah, he's drawing pictures of everything you guys are saying

M Matt Mio 19:45
Right

J Jocelyn Boryczka 19:46
There's a cow

M Matt Mio 19:47
Un-derfed

B Beth Oljar 19:47
You decided to have a baby, my dear. This is why you haven't had any sleep.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 19:54
Struggling.

D Dave Chow 19:55
Mind you, in 18 years, you can at least turn it back

B Beth Oljar 19:58
We'll be on the lookout for psychotic brakes.

M Mara Livezey 20:00

Yes, excellent.

B Beth Oljar 20:01
Just in case

D Dave Chow 20:02
Not enough hot sauce.

M Matt Mio 20:03
Let's just do a couple more.

H Heather Hill 20:05
Let's keep going here, man.

M Matt Mio 20:06
W A R P L A N E

H Heather Hill 20:08
Warp

M Mara Livezey 20:08
Warplane Warplane or the

D Dave Chow 20:12
Warp lane

M Matt Mio 20:14
maybe that's where the Starship Enterprise arrives

J locelvn Borvczka 20:16

Is that were you going to warp speed? Yes. I want to be in that lane. Time warp?

H Heather Hill 20:22

Stay in your own lane. Get in the warp lane.

B Beth Oljar 20:26

Or just drive on a freeway in Detroit.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 20:28

Yes, that is a warp lane. They're all warp lanes.

M Matt Mio 20:32

Yep

J James Tubbs 20:32

The Lodge is full of them.

M Matt Mio 20:34

The last one is, uh -

B Beth Oljar 20:34

But you have people going 40 and people going 90. Which is pretty much a recipe for disaster

D Dave Chow 20:39

Well, Beth, you know how Detroit is. You know, all the freeways are named for the speed you should be driving

M Matt Mio 20:44

No, 100 per cent. 696 (The professors laugh) I-696 makes the Indy 500 look like a Roman chariot race.

D Dave Chow 20:50
I-75. US10

J Jocelyn Boryczka 20:50
94

D Dave Chow 20:57
The Intercity autobahn?

M Matt Mio 20:58
Yeah, let's finish with a W A T E R S H E D.

H Heather Hill 21:04
Water-shed

J James Tubbs 21:05
Wuh-tershed (The professors laugh)

M Matt Mio 21:08
Or at the "water's head" is what it says here. You did pretty well.

H Heather Hill 21:13
I like wuh-tershed better.

M Matt Mio 21:16
Now you have all have the measles and, uh -

J James Tubbs 21:19
I have a comforting message for all of you - from one of the towns that were in in New Zealand.
I was walking down the main street and there - I think it was the National Bank of New Zealand

I was walking down the main street and there - I think it was the National Bank of New Zealand - had a big sign in the window that said "Dementia-friendly banking".

M Matt Mio 21:36
That's actually pretty nice. I gotta say,

J Jocelyn Boryczka 21:39
That's lovely

M Matt Mio 21:41
Okay. We are going - with just about five minutes left in the show - to the list of the Burroughs family Imponderables

J James Tubbs 21:47
Oh imponderables

M Matt Mio 21:48
And you are being asked to get highly conceptual.

D Dave Chow 21:51
Oh.

B Beth Oljar 21:53
That makes me happy

M Matt Mio 21:54
Your favorite unfilled bucket item. Something you haven't done, but you intend to do.

D Dave Chow 22:03
Motherhood, no,

B Beth Oljar 22:04
I only have a reverse bucket list - of things that I won't do anymore. or people. I won't have anything to do with.

M Matt Mio 22:10
That's your reversed bucket list. I mean, it's very stereotypical, but I'll get you all going with - I just - I've never been to New England during the fall. I just feel like it's something that has to happen. But I'm an educator, so I'm gonna have to wait a few decades, you know, so -

D Dave Chow 22:24
It's called a conference.

M Matt Mio 22:25
Yeah, well - yeah, sure.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 22:27
Matt, we have sabbaticals

M Matt Mio 22:28
We do, from what I hear. Yeah, I think I abused my first sabbatical after 22 years last year, so I gotta do that again.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 22:36
Yes

M Matt Mio 22:36
Yes.

B Beth Oljar 22:39
Something that we haven't done, but are -



M Matt Mio 22:41
Is on your bucket list.

J James Tubbs 22:42
I want to go to Machu Picchu.

M Matt Mio 22:44
Okay, there you go.

S Stephen Manning 22:45
You've got to pregame for like a solid half week to get ready for that air, from what I hear. I think I mentioned it to you. I did go to Peru. I was in Lima last year, but it was sort of for a mission trip. And we got this very sternly-worded email about two months ahead of time, "All right, look, we hear that a bunch of you are going to go to Machu Picchu. You're doing that AFTER the mission trip. Because we don't need your butts dragging on the ground the whole week you're here as you recover from - " There you go.

J James Tubbs 23:11
You need to work.

M Matt Mio 23:12
No, seriously

H Heather Hill 23:14
Yeah

M Matt Mio 23:15
So people had to do it after the trip.

B Beth Oljar 23:18
Swimming in the Caribbean.

M Matt Mio 23:19
That sounds like a lot of very warm fun.

B Beth Oljar 23:22
(Laughs) Yes, it does. Or swimming in some ocean like it before I die.

M Matt Mio 23:30
Oh, okay. Yeah, that makes sense, absolutely.

B Beth Oljar 23:32
The Pacific was not that warm in Hawaii.

M Matt Mio 23:34
Sure.

M Mara Livezey 23:34
Yeah.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 23:35
So I've been torn on mine for a while, but I think that I've come to the conclusion that I do want to climb Mount Kilimanjaro.

M Matt Mio 23:41
Oh, wow. That's a big deal.

B Beth Oljar 23:43
Stephen did it.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 23:45
Did you do it? That's right, you did do it. Yeah. So maybe I could just exchange and say I did it, and ust borrow from you. (Matt laughs)

J James Tubbs 23:51
I know someone who did it

J Jocelyn Boryczka 23:53
I know someone. Yeah, I know a lot of people who've done it

S Stephen Manning 23:55
If you pay my way, I'll go with you as a guide.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:01
No. Uh - (The professors laugh)

B Beth Oljar 24:05
She doesn't want to climb it that bad

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:07
it's just the pain part. I'd love to do it with you, but no, no. But I think I'm gonna do it. Although, you know, the environmental degradation to the Mount Kilimanjaro -

M Matt Mio 24:16
Right

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:16
That's always been a struggle for me.

M Matt Mio 24:18
Sure.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:18

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:10
But I think it's come back on the list.

S Stephen Manning 24:21
And there's probably less snow at the top now than there was when I did it. That was only five years ago. Four or five years ago. Yeah,

H Heather Hill 24:29
Five years. Yeah.

D Dave Chow 24:29
You've heard about Everest. You know, in order to climb up some trash down now.

M Mara Livezey 24:30
Oh, wow!

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:30
Oh!

M Matt Mio 24:30
That's right.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:33
I thinki we're gonna do that on Kili (Mount Kilimanjaro).

D Dave Chow 24:37
Maybe. Yeah, but you have to take - what - I think 40 pounds down with you now.

M Matt Mio 24:40
Sounds about right.

H Heather Hill 24:42

That's a lot

B Beth Oljar 24:43

When you're mountain climbing, that's a lot

M Mara Livezey 24:44

40?!

J Jocelyn Boryczka 24:45

Its like a carbon tax.

S Stephen Manning 24:46

But they finally started limiting how many people can do this.

J James Tubbs 24:50

Yeah.

S Stephen Manning 24:50

A couple years ago. Remember those lines we saw? It was like the line at the grocery store. A huge line of people and -

H Heather Hill 24:57

Waiting to get to the top.

M Matt Mio 24:59

Professor Hill, do you have something to add to the list?

H Heather Hill 25:03

Can I pass for right now?

M Matt Mio 25:05
Of course you can.

H Heather Hill 25:06
There are so many things on my list.

M Matt Mio 25:07
Are there any seed related things, that you have on your list?

H Heather Hill 25:09
Well, you know, actually, I've been meaning to get my master gardeners -

M Matt Mio 25:12
Ah-ha.


D Dave Chow 25:13
There you go. You should talk to my wife, she's thinking about it.


H Heather Hill 25:17
Yeah, I know. I just it's a - it's just, you know -

M Matt Mio 25:20
Got to do it


D Dave Chow 25:20
Heather have you seen the thing they're doing in Belle Isle? They had a master gardener do one of the layouts -

M Matt Mio 25:25


 That's right.

 Dave Chow 25:26
for the conservatory.


 Matt Mio 25:26
That's right. In front of the new conservatory.


 Dave Chow 25:28
Very nice.


 Matt Mio 25:28
The scaffolding came down.

 Dave Chow 25:30
Yes.


 Matt Mio 25:30
That's right.


 Dave Chow 25:31
And my wife works down there all the time now.


 Matt Mio 25:34
Mm-hm


 James Tubbs 25:34
Yeah.


 Heather Hill 25:36

 Heather Hill 25:30
So at some point, I will do that.

 Matt Mio 25:36
Mara? Mara.


 Mara Livezey 25:37
I have one that's like - fairly achievable. So I'll choose that one.

 Dave Chow 25:41
Waking up in the morning?


 Beth Oljar 25:43
Getting a night's sleep?

 Mara Livezey 25:44
Nope. Eating at a Michelin Star restaurant.

 Matt Mio 25:49
Oh, that's a great idea.

 Mara Livezey 25:50
Yeah.

 Matt Mio 25:50
That's a great idea.

 Jocelyn Boryczka 25:51
Wonderful.



M Mara Livezey 25:52
I love food, and like, why haven't I done this already? I just need to do it.

M Matt Mio 25:56
Yep. For a second there - with the build up - I thought it was going to be like, visit Clawson. But I'm pretty sure you actually checkws that one off the list.

M Mara Livezey 26:04
It happens that I've been there a couple of times

M Matt Mio 26:05
(Laughs)

D Dave Chow 26:07
Rumor has it.

M Matt Mio 26:08
Are there any Michelin star restaurants in the state of Michigan?

D Dave Chow 26:11
No,

M Mara Livezey 26:11
I feel like there's a Michelin star bakery.

M Matt Mio 26:14
Okay.

M Mara Livezey 26:15
Maybe just one though.

D Dave Chow 26:17
There's lots of James Beard Award winning restaurants.

M Mara Livezey 26:18
Sorry. James Beard. Yeah, that's what i was thinking

D Dave Chow 26:21
It is real tough to get one

J Jocelyn Boryczka 26:23
Head to Chicago.

D Dave Chow 26:25
Chicago or New York.

M Mara Livezey 26:26
I'll just drive to Chicago.

D Dave Chow 26:27
Yeah.

M Matt Mio 26:27
Have we heard from everybody?

D Dave Chow 26:29
No. I - See, I've always been one of those people that if I want to go do it, I just go do it. Skydiving, spelunking, cliffdiving, bungee. I'm starting to run out of things to do.

M Matt Mio 26:30
Dave

Dave

J James Tubbs 26:41
Bungee is on my list.

D Dave Chow 26:45
Bungee diving. Umm actually you know, talking to Jim I mean, for my 30th I was supposed to go New Zealand and go snowboard on my birthday.

M Matt Mio 26:55
Didn't happen?

D Dave Chow 26:55
Didn't happen. My brother decided to get married.

M Matt Mio 26:57
Oh, jeez! Brothers!

D Dave Chow 27:00
But it's back on now. So yeah.

J Jocelyn Boryczka 27:03
Take Jim with you. What?

M Matt Mio 27:04
Yeah, exactly. Yeah.

B Beth Oljar 27:06
Can't live with 'em. Can't shoot em.

D Dave Chow 27:00

D Dave Chow 27:09
You want to bet? One out of two.

M Matt Mio 27:11
Okay. Okay. I'm afraid everybody that we have exhausted all the time we have for this show.

H Heather Hill 27:18
Stephen didn't get to answer.

M Matt Mio 27:19
Stephen didn't get to say it?

J James Tubbs 27:20
What's on your list, Stephen?

S Stephen Manning 27:21
You didn't either

M Matt Mio 27:22
Yes, she did. She's gonna be a master gardener.

S Stephen Manning 27:25
Oh, master gardener.

D Dave Chow 27:25
Yeah.

H Heather Hill 27:25
Achievable

—

S Stephen Manning 27:25
Oh! Uh, play a round of golf at Augusta.

M Matt Mio 27:29
There you go.

S Stephen Manning 27:30
I would not win, so -

M Matt Mio 27:31
No, that's a good one.

S Stephen Manning 27:34
but I will have a pimento sandwich

M Matt Mio 27:35
There you go, pimento cheese. The time has come, I'm afraid, professors to say goodbye, Heather.

H Heather Hill 27:42
Bye Bye

M Matt Mio 27:42
Stephen

S Stephen Manning 27:43
Good-bye

M Matt Mio 27:43
Jim.

M Mara Livezey 27:44
See ya later

J James Tubbs 27:44
Goodbye

M Matt Mio 27:44
Mara. Jacelyn

J Jocelyn Boryczka 27:46
See you later

M Matt Mio 27:47
Dave.

D Dave Chow 27:48
See ya

M Matt Mio 27:48
And Beth And now these words.

B Beth Oljar 27:49
Bye

A Announcer 27:50
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