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# RESEARCH INTERRUPTIONS

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# MY EXPERIENCES IN INDONESIA IN 2002-2003

<https://gendersociety.wordpress.com/2015/03/20/an-american-in-jakarta/>



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# STRATEGIES

- Remember that in-person fieldwork could literally be dangerous for you and the communities you are studying
  - Delay fieldwork (if this is a dissertation, consider doing other parts of your project first — literature reviews, content analysis, etc)
  - Use alternative methods: virtual interviews, virtual focus groups, participant journals/diaries, app based data collection, online surveys, phone surveys, secondary data analysis, media /textual analysis, research in virtual spaces
  - Consider shifting topics/questions — be creative! Think about what kinds of research might be doable in the next 12-18 months
  - Consider studying the pandemic and its consequences/aftermath
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# RESOURCES

- **Doing Fieldwork in a Pandemic:**  
<https://docs.google.com/document/d/1clGjGABB2h2qbduTgfqribHmog9B6P0NvMgVuiHZCl8/mobilebasic>
  - **Social Research for a Covid and Post-Covid World:**  
<https://medium.com/@deborahalupton/social-research-for-a-covid-and-post-covid-world-an-initial-agenda-796868f1fb0e>
  - **Social Scientists studying the pandemic in real time:**  
<https://www.sciencemag.org/news/2020/04/social-scientists-scramble-study-pandemic-real-time#>
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