

Critical

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Journalists should ask “critical” but not “cynical” questions

- How do you know that to be true?
- What does this really mean?
- Is that really true?
- Who else knows that?
- Is there any other way of looking at that?
- Has it always been that way?
- Who profits from things being as they are?
- What motivations might a source have to say this is true?
- Does this claim seem reasonable?
- Is the person making the claim willing to be questioned about it?

