

A DAY IN THE LIFE OF THE AVERAGE AMERICAN

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GLOSSARY:

- to be conducted by [kən'dʌkt] – быть проводимым, осуществляемым
- the estimation [ˌesti'meɪʃn] – оценка, мнение, подсчеты
- average – среднестатистический, обыкновенный
- on average ['ævərɪdʒ] – в среднем
- to head home – направляться домой
- to commute [kə'mju:t] – ездить на работу из пригорода в город

I. The American Time Use Survey

- Is conducted by the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics
- Asks people age 15 and over about how they spend their time



The American Time Use Survey / 2014

- „In 2014, on days they worked, 23 percent of employed persons did some or all of their work at home, and 85 percent did some or all of their work at their workplace [...].
- In 2003, the first year for which comparable data are available, 19 percent of employed persons did some or all of their work at home, and 87 percent did some or all their work at their workplace on days worked.“

Working



• 7.8 hours



• 8.4 hours

Household Activities



- 2.6 hours
- 83 %



- 2.1 hours
- 65%

Leisure Activities

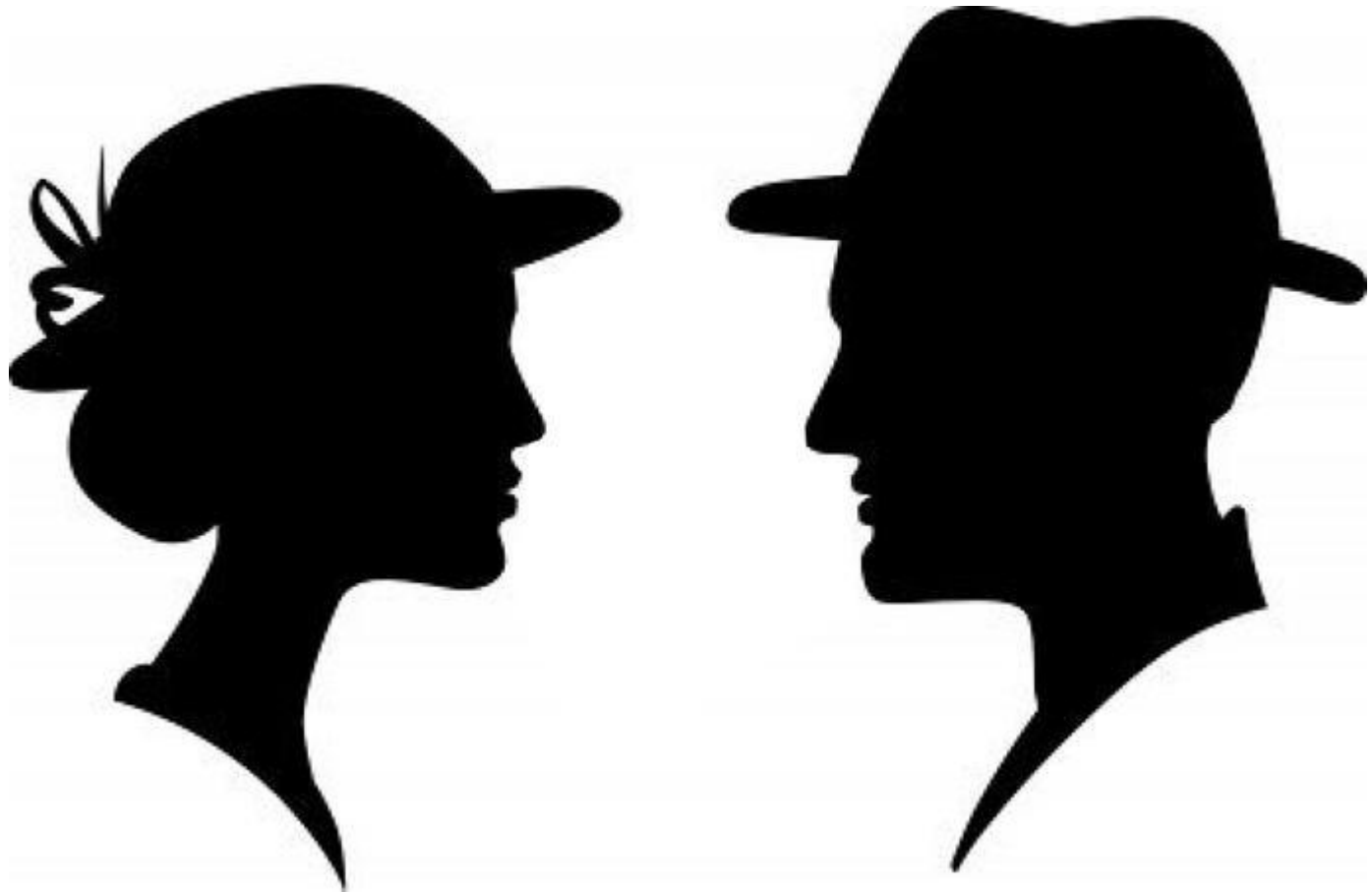


• 5.2 hours



• 5.0 hours

Childcare



- 1.0 hour/
2.1 hours

- 23 minutes/
1.8 hours

II. The Moving Bubbles Chart

- by Nathan Yau (USA)
- shows transition probabilities for one activity to the other for every minute of the day

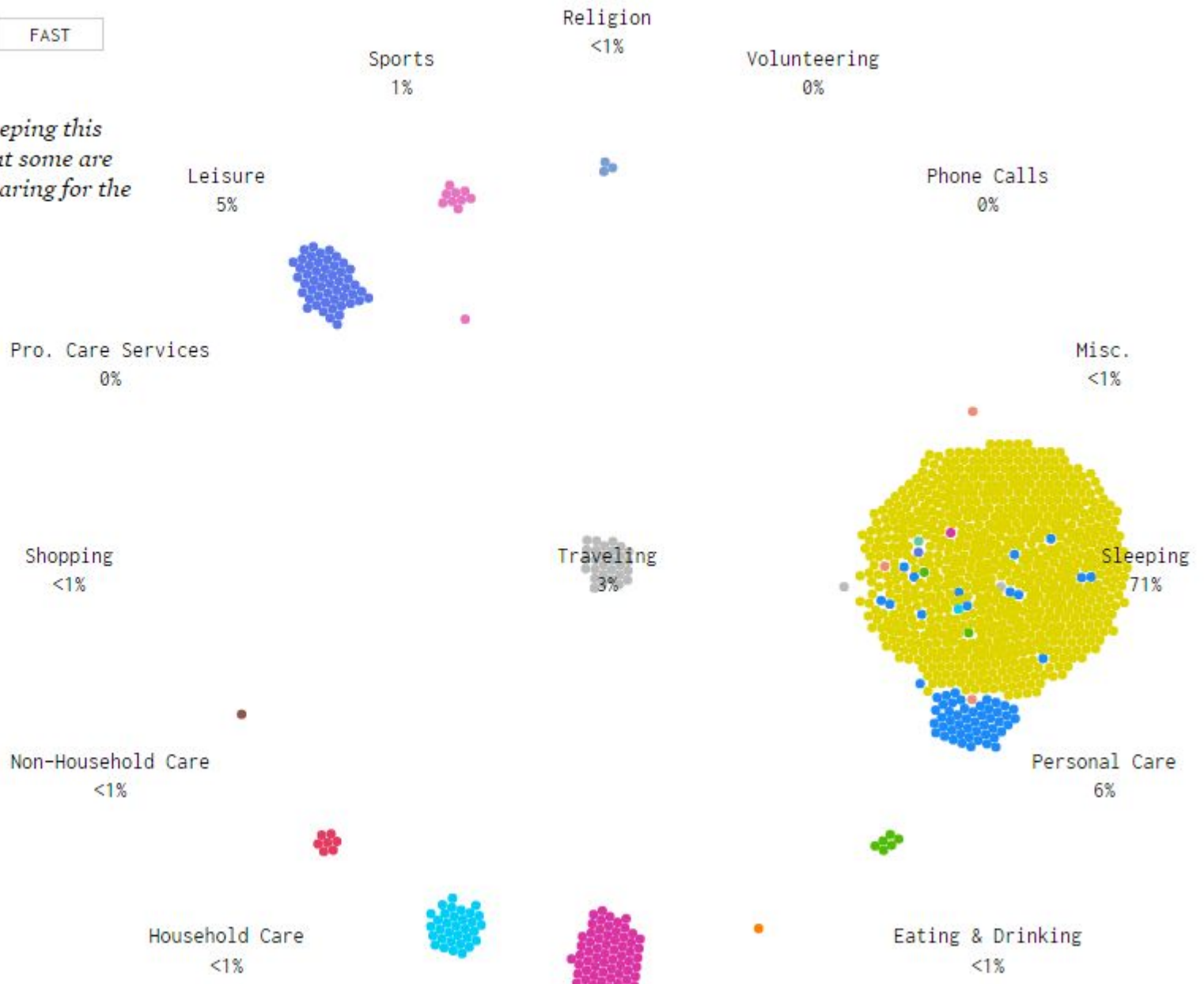
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SLOW

MEDIUM

FAST

Most people are still sleeping this early in the morning, but some are already at work or preparing for the day.

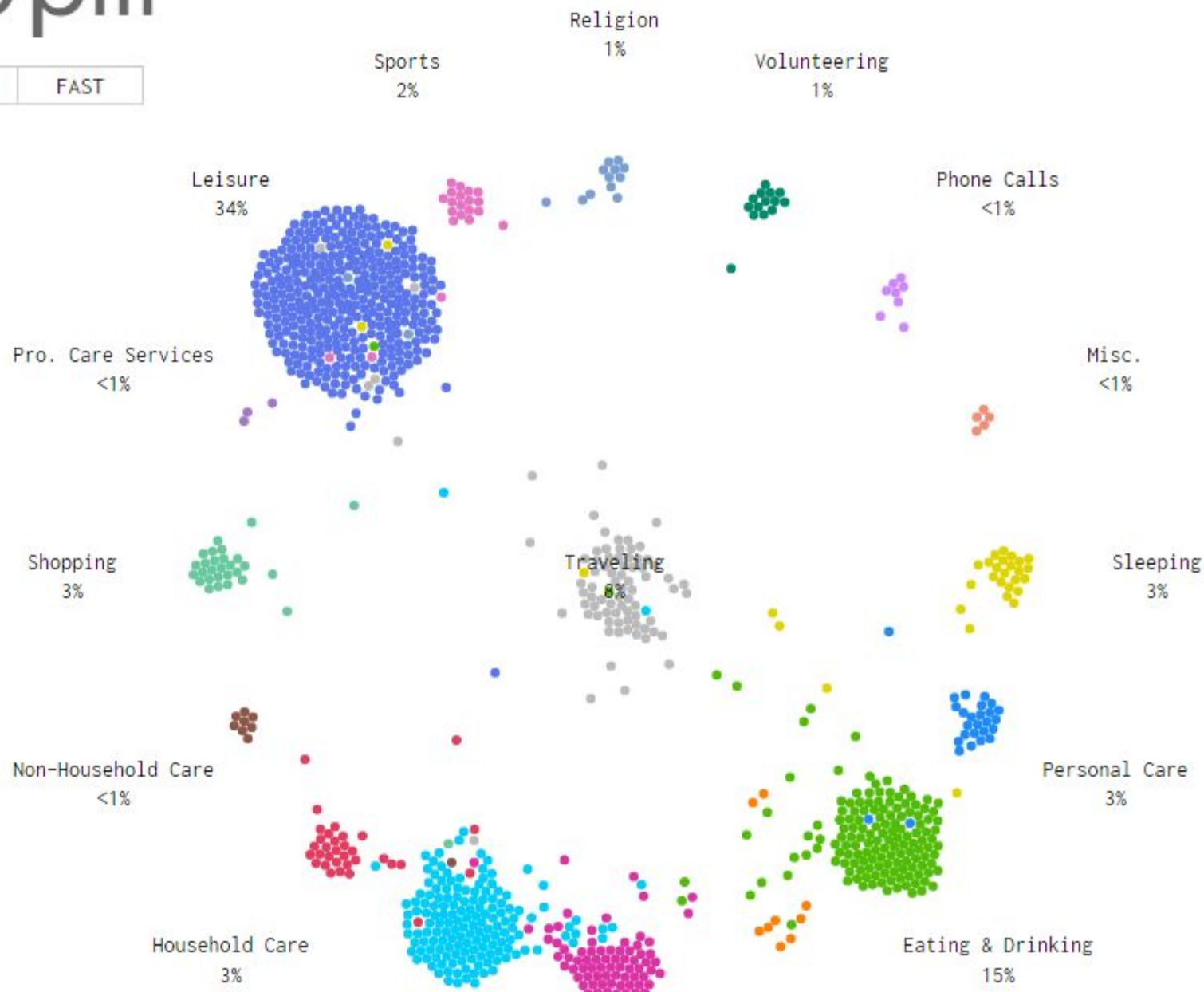


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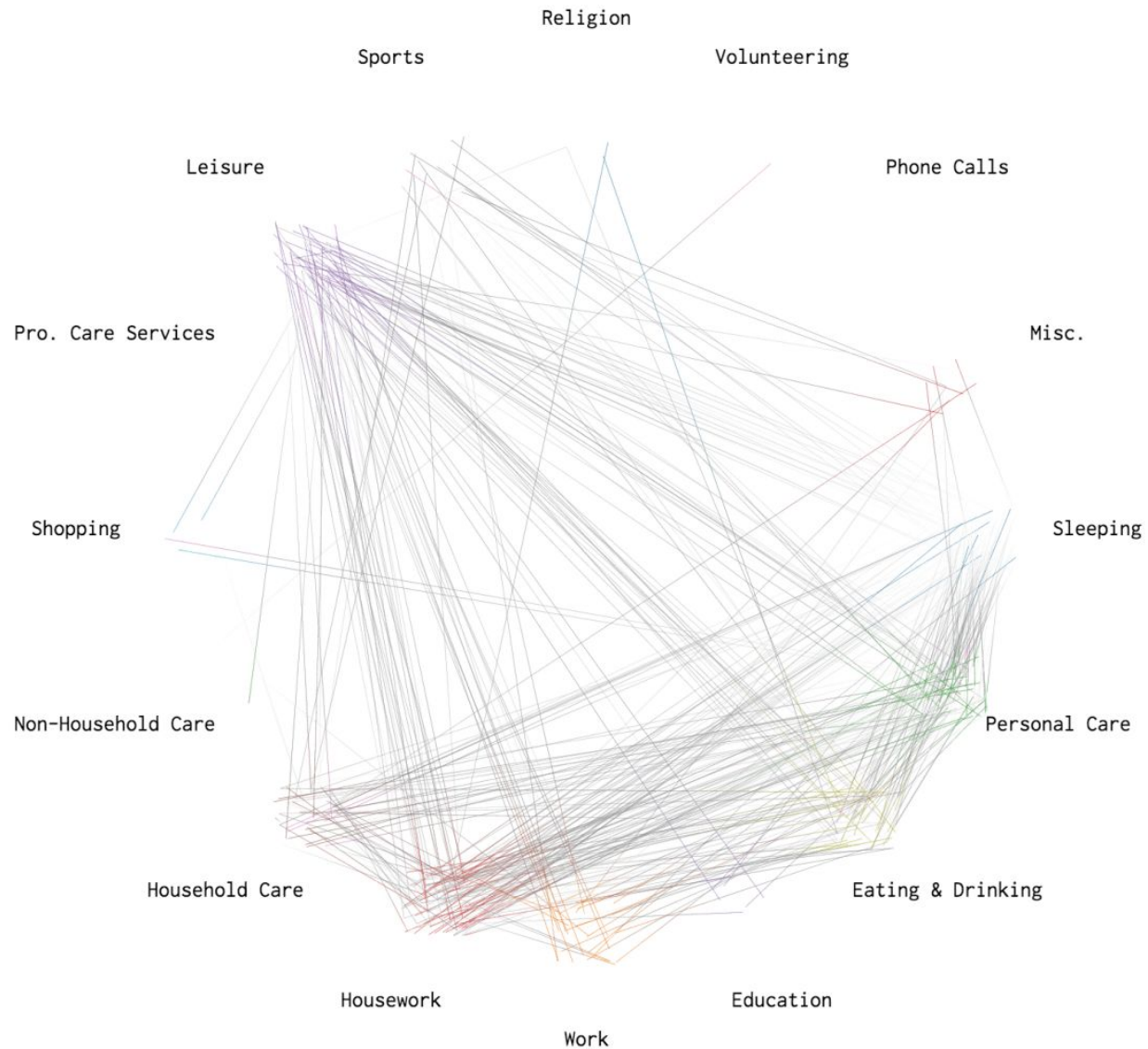
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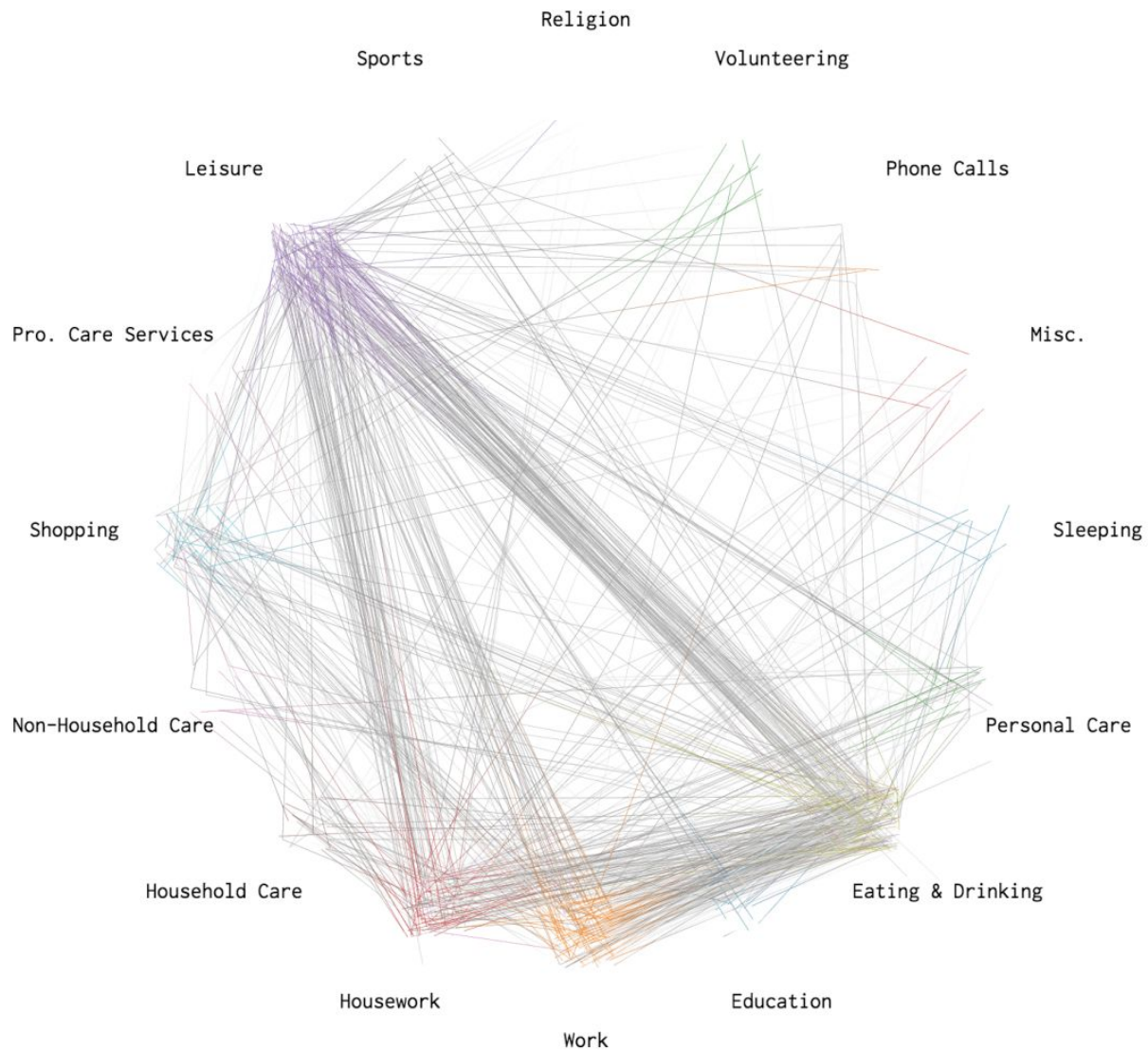
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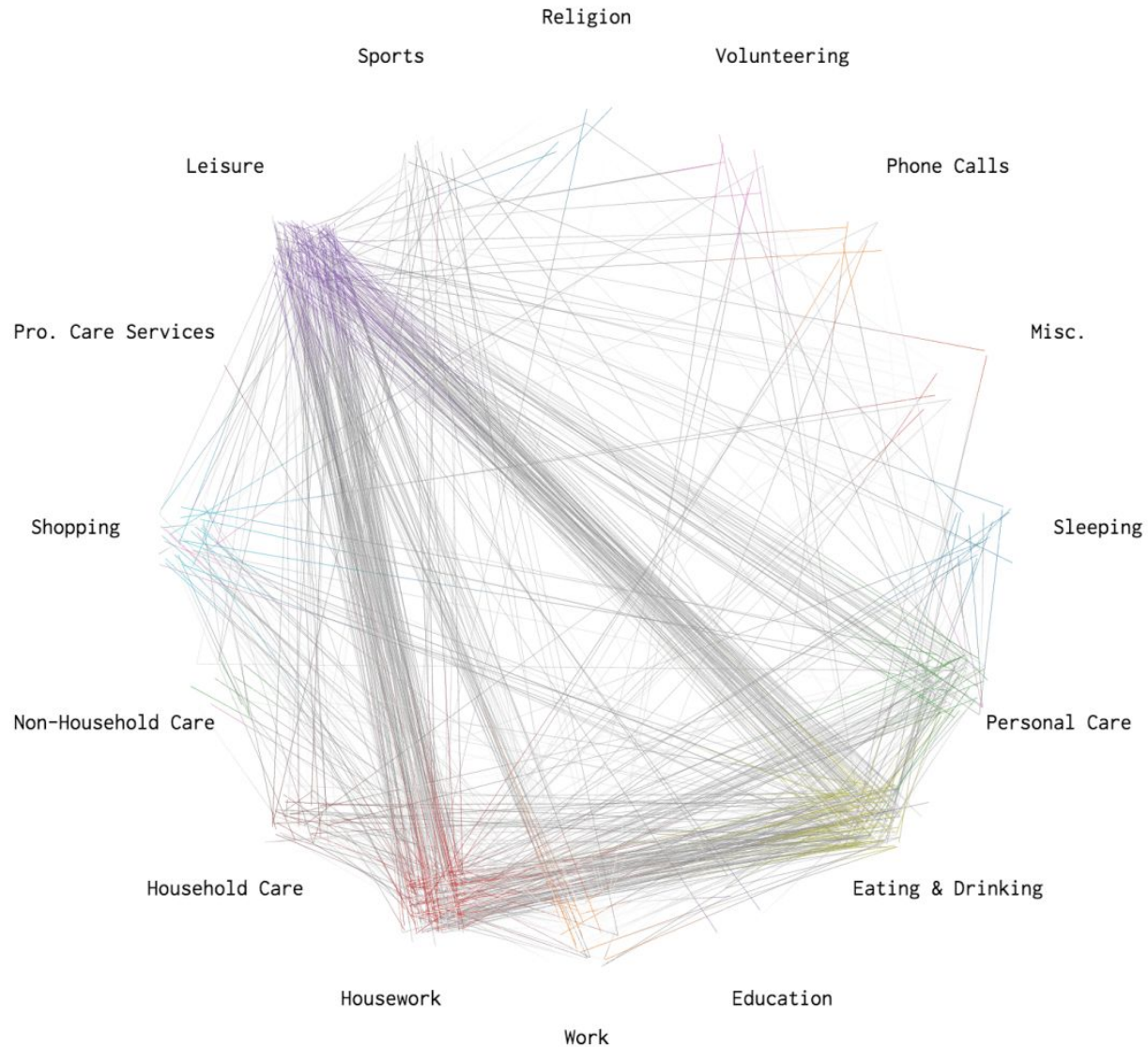
Waking up



Lunch hour



Getting off work



Winding down

