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EXPLAINING THE VICIOUS CYCLE OF VICTIMIZATION: THE ROLE OF RISKY LIFESTYLES AND SHORT-TERM MINDSETS

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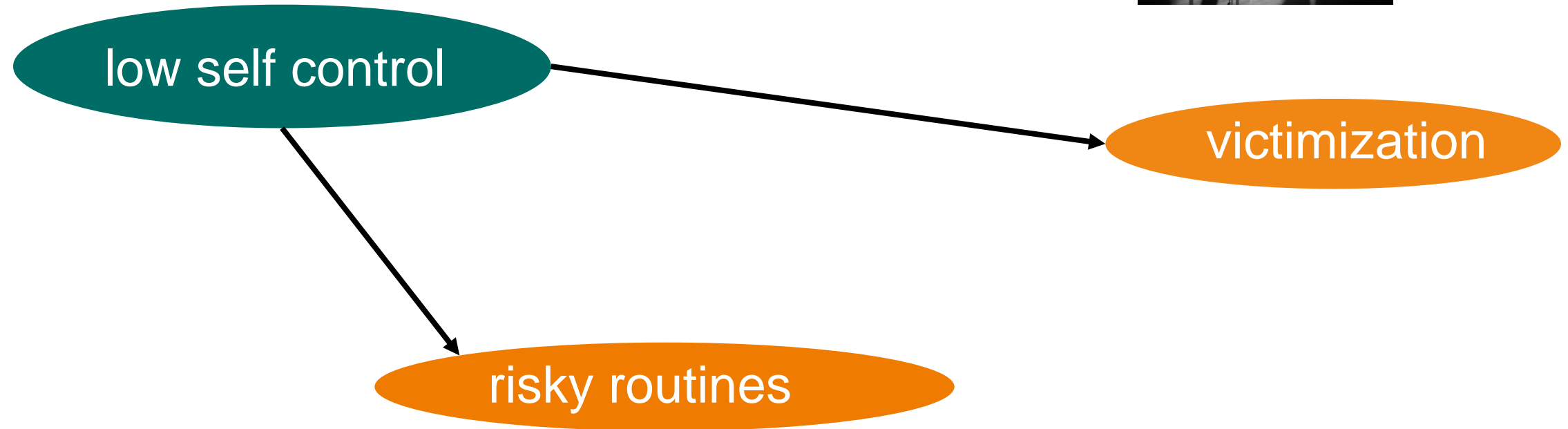


REPEAT VICTIMIZATION

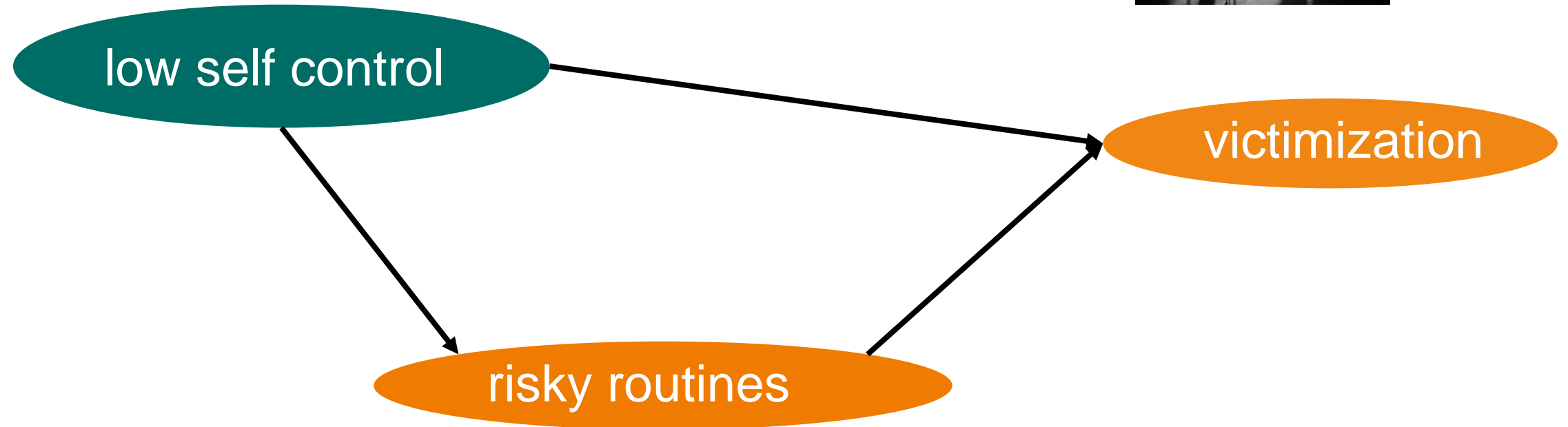


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SELF-CONTROL THEORY



SELF-CONTROL ROUTINE ACTIVITIES THEORY



[1] Turanovic et al. (2015)

PREVIOUS VIEW



„a focus on immediate gratification while disregarding future consequences”



[2] Forrest et al. (2019)

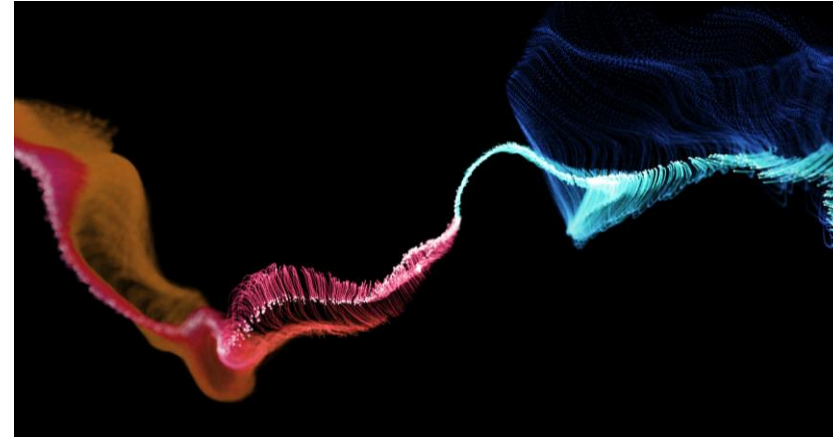
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SHORT-TERM MINDSETS – UPDATED

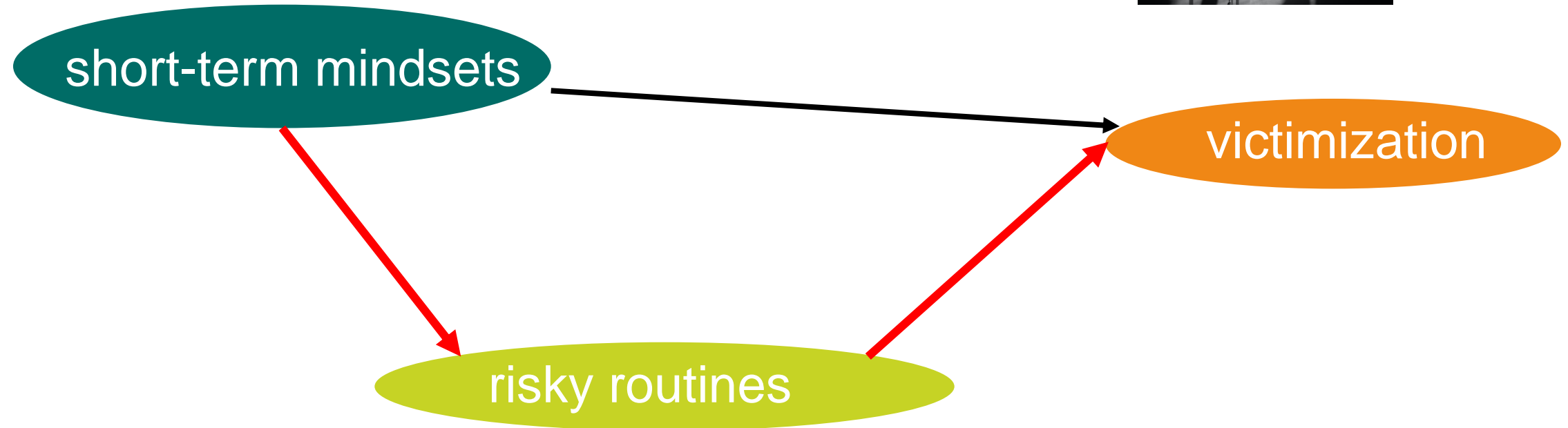


- [7] Burt (2020)
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„a focus on present versus future outcomes”



POPULATION HETEROGENEITY



- **Risk Proneness (Predisposition)**
- **Risk Exposure**

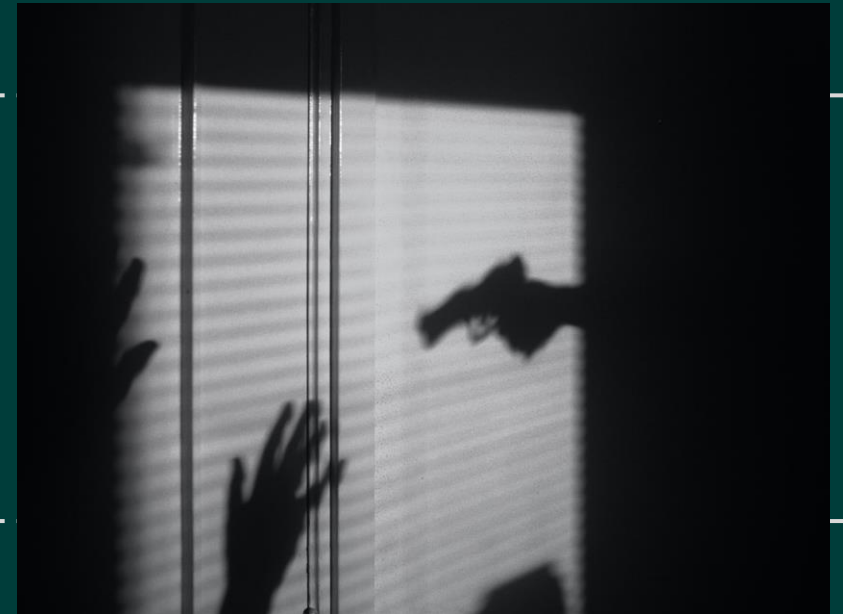


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EFFECTS OF VICTIMIZATION



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The shortsighted victim: Short-term mindsets mediate the link between victimization and later offending

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VICTIMIZATION AND FUTURE PROSPECTS

- Effects of violent victimization:
 - Confronted with vulnerability for crime
 - Lower future prospects
 - Increased short-term mindsets

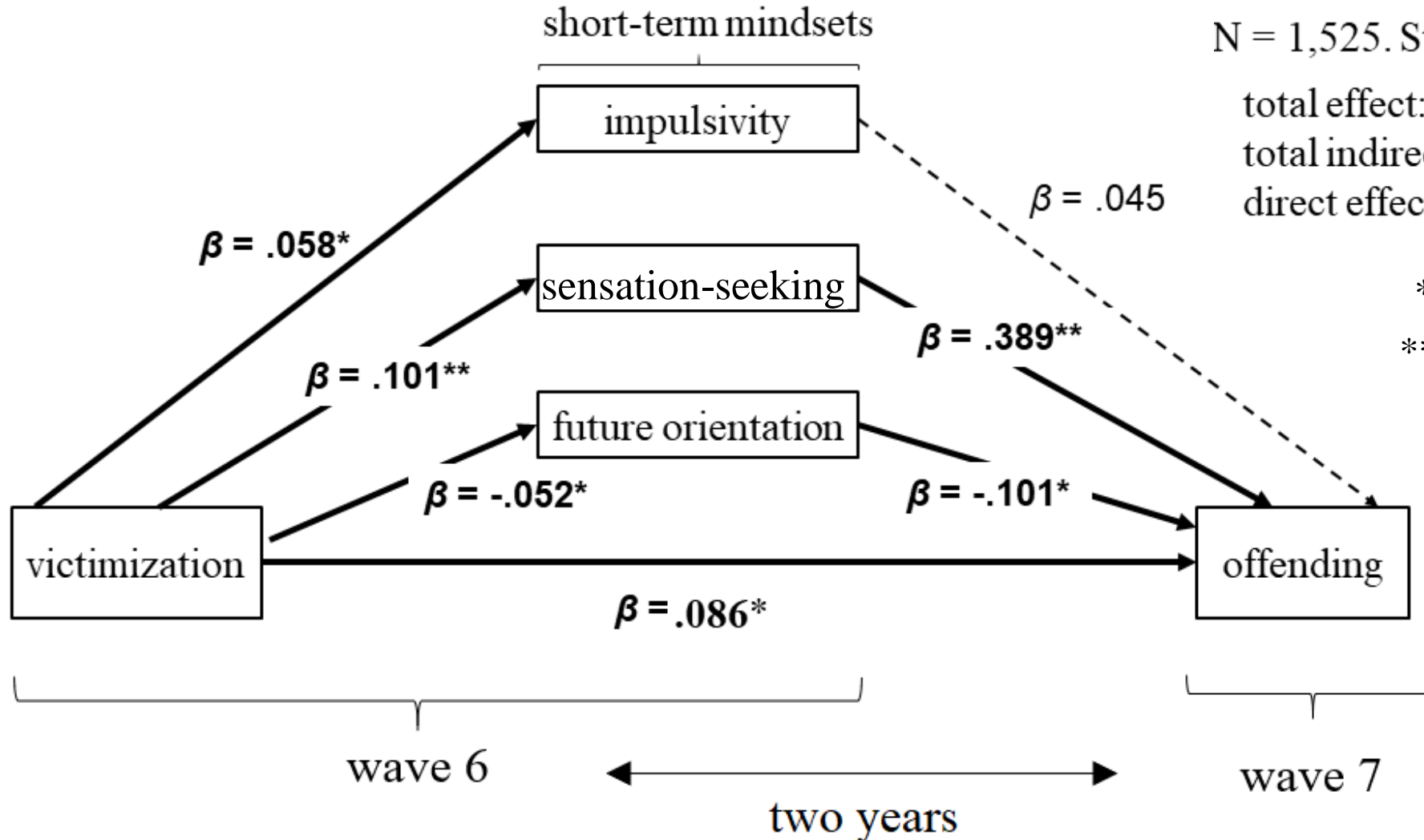


[11] Perloff (1983)

[12] Daigle & Hoffman (2018)

[13] Agnew et al. (2011)

RESULTS

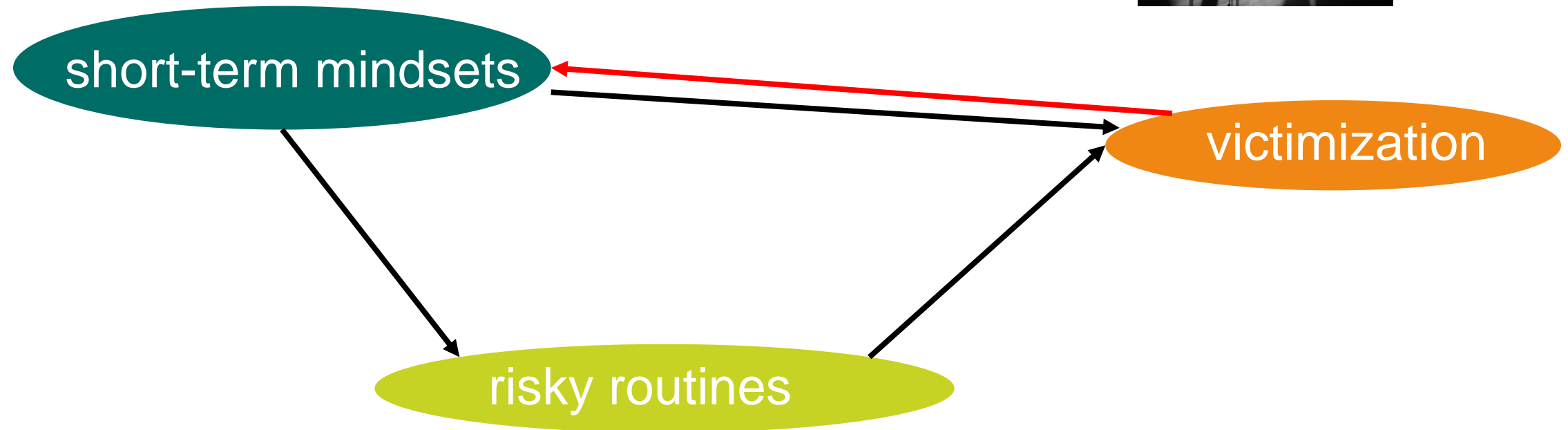


N = 1,525. Standardized estimates.

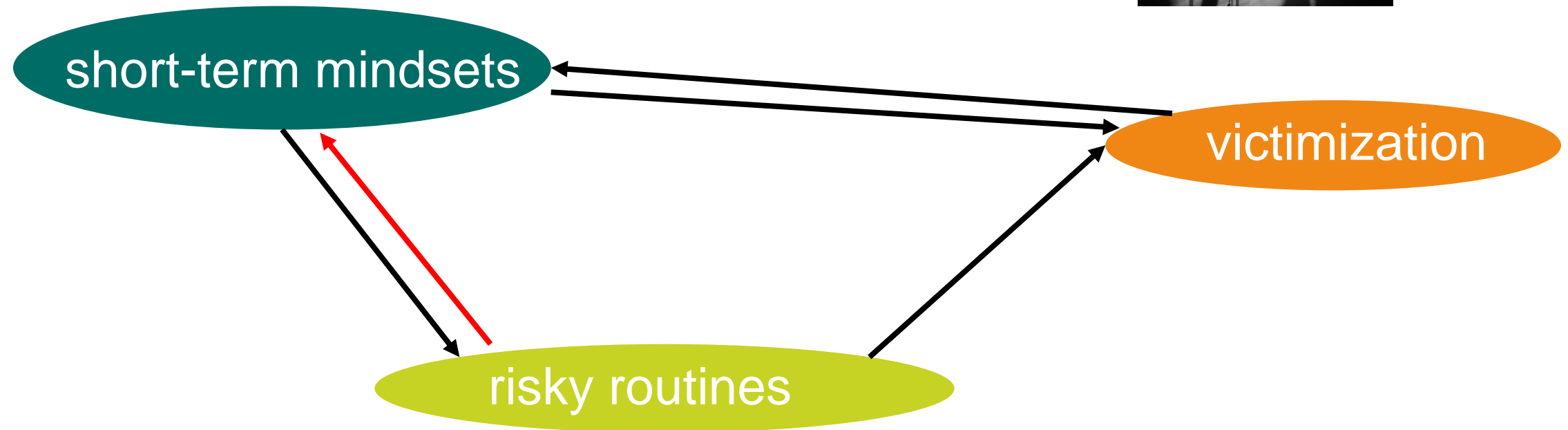
total effect: $\beta = .117^{**}$
 total indirect effect: $\beta = .031^{**}$
 direct effect: $\beta = .086^*$

* $p < .05$
 ** $p < .01$





➤ **Uncertain / compromised future (perceived)**

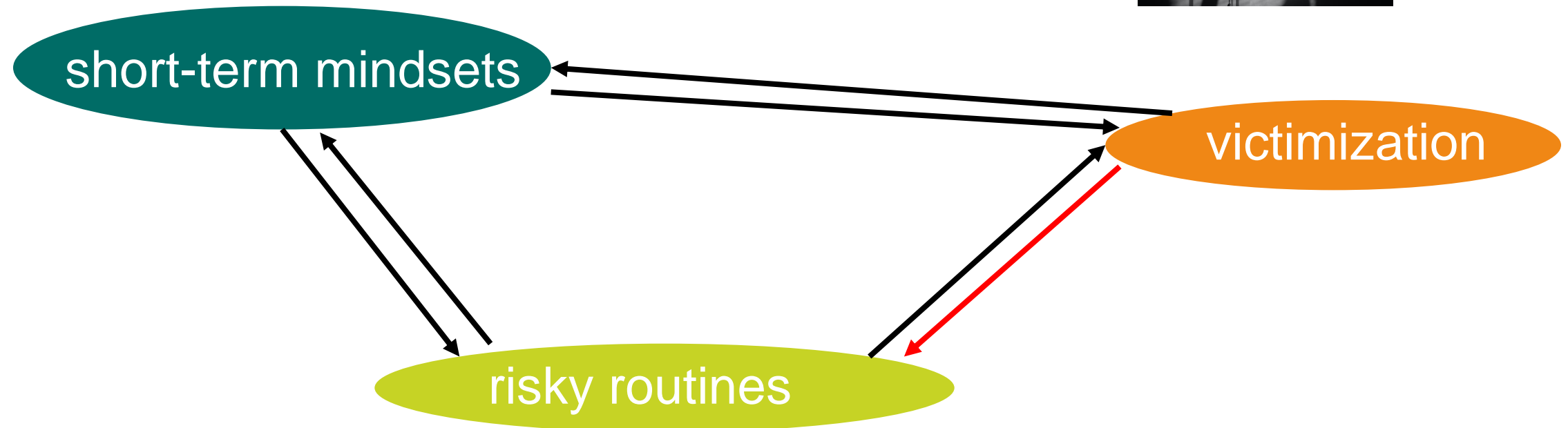


➤ Social learning / Socialization

[15] Kübel et al. (2024)

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[16] Meldrum et al. (2012)

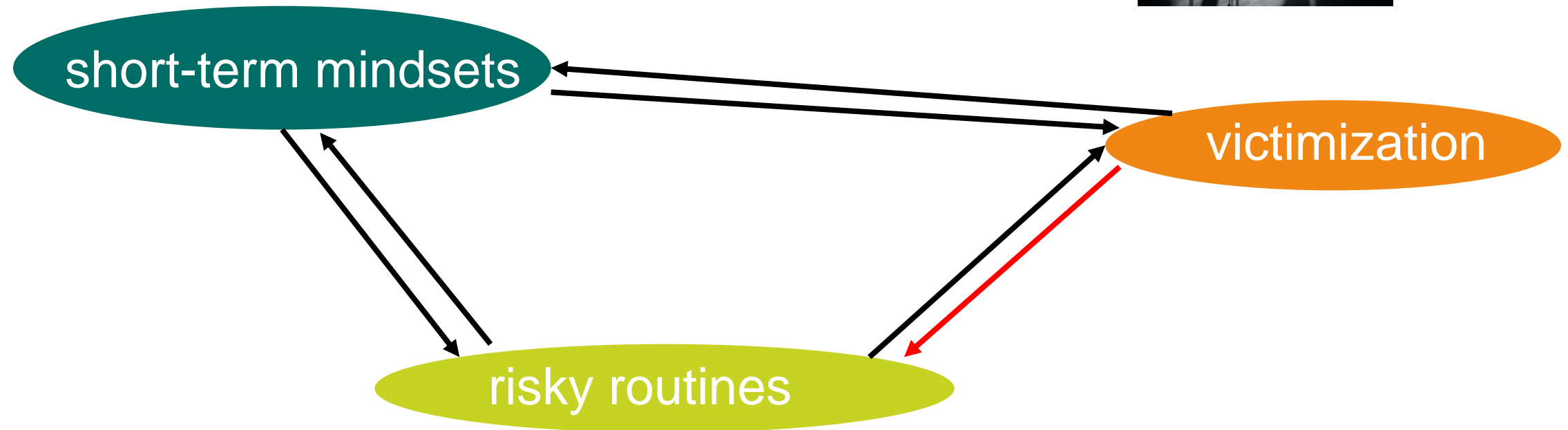


➤ (Maladaptive) coping / precautions

Delinquent peers

- Selection of delinquent peers (e.g., for protection, similarity in low social standing)
- Rejection from non-delinquent peers (“lack of alternatives”)

[17] Rudolph et al. (2014)



➤ (Maladaptive) coping / precautions

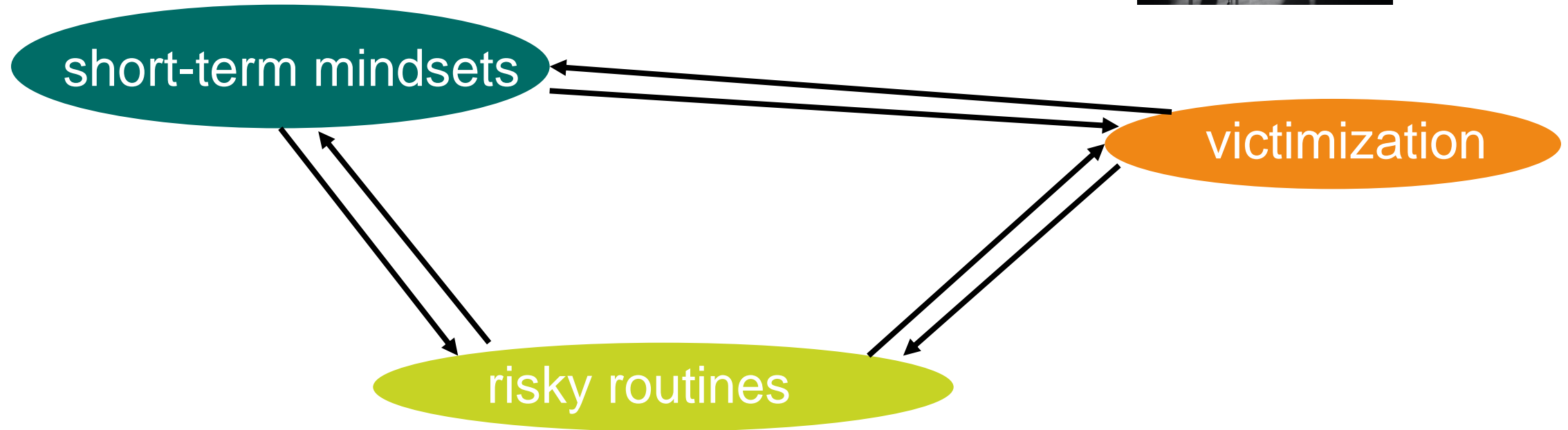
Unstructured unsupervised socializing

- *Status among peers*
- *Meet their delinquent friends*

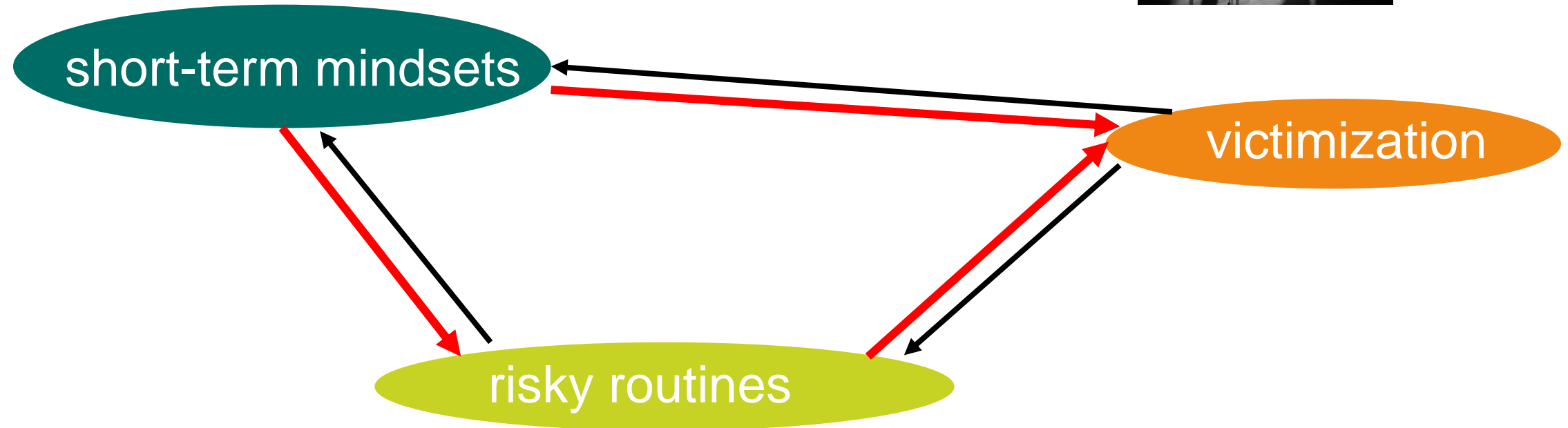
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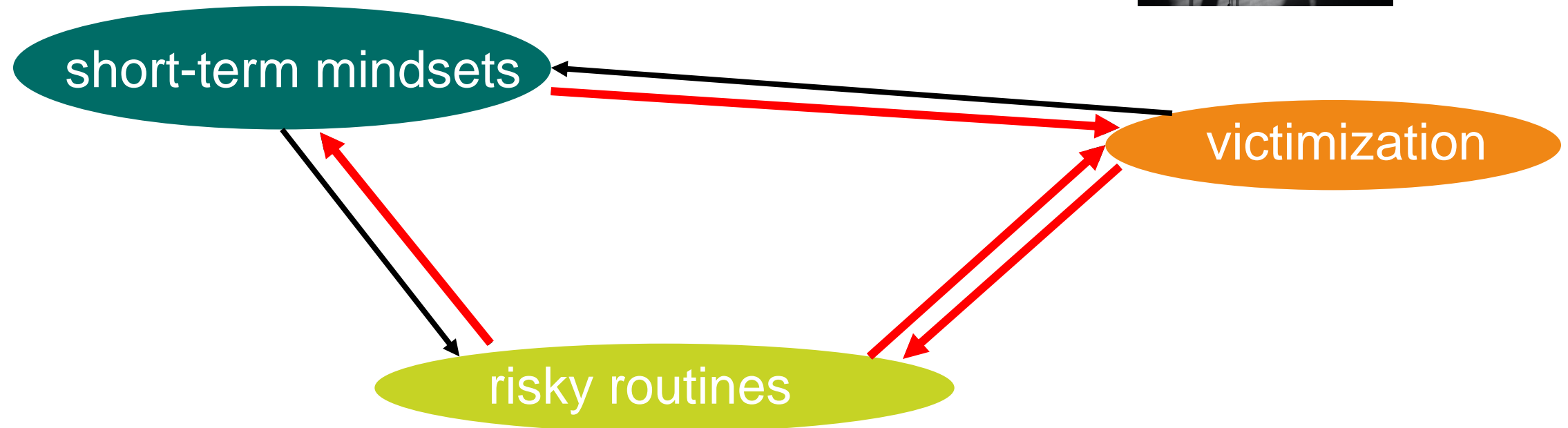
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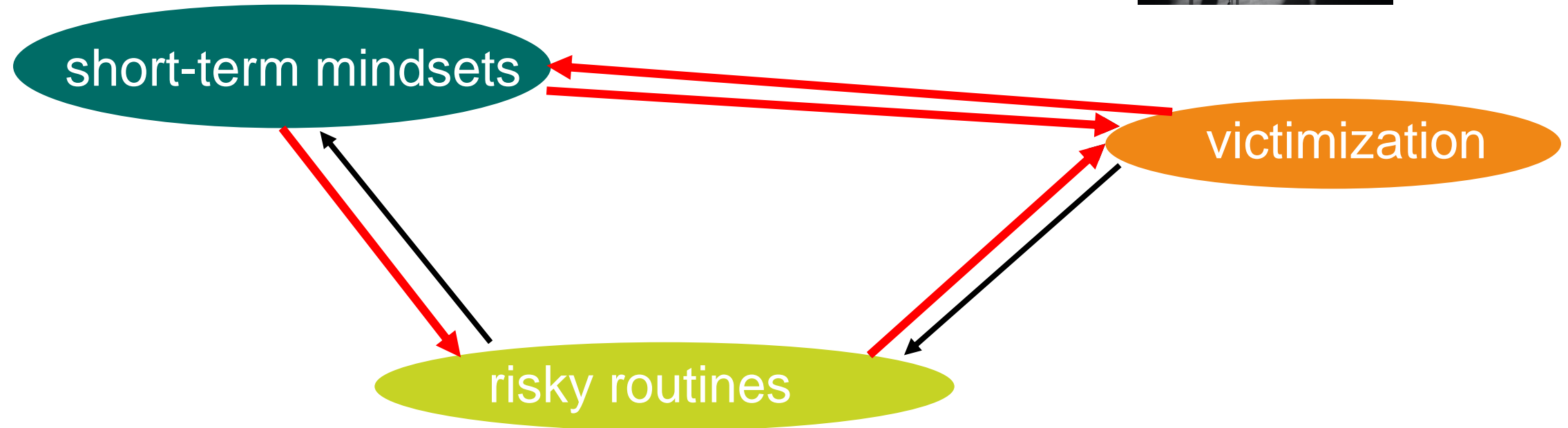
- **Risk Proneness (Predisposition)**
- **Exposure**



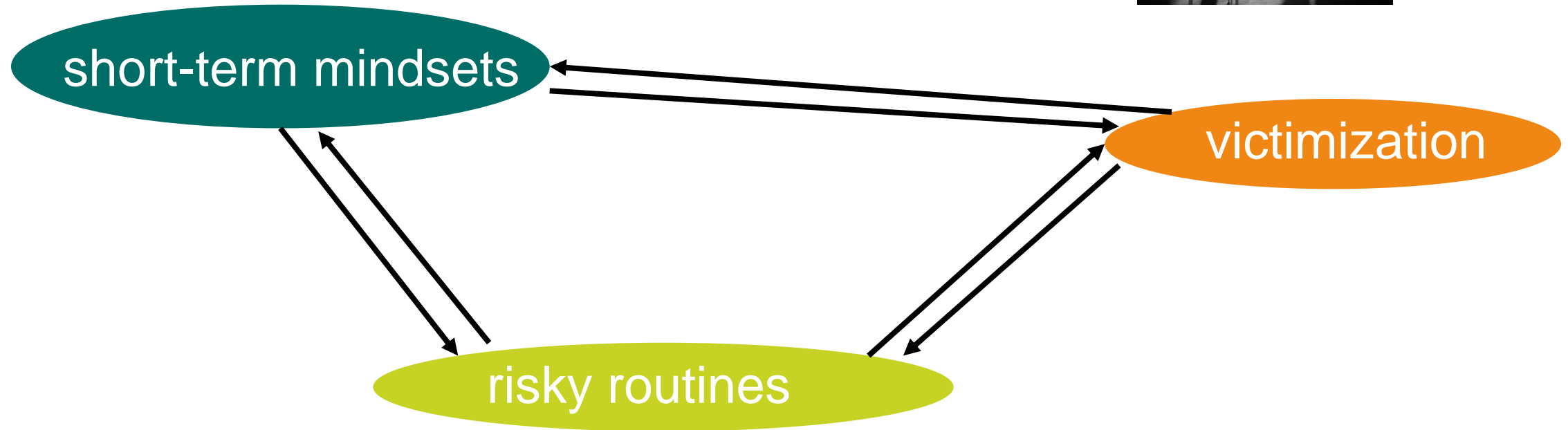
STATE DEPENDENCE



- **(Maladaptive) coping / precautions**
- **Socialization**



- **Uncertain / compromised future (perceived)**
- **Risk proneness**





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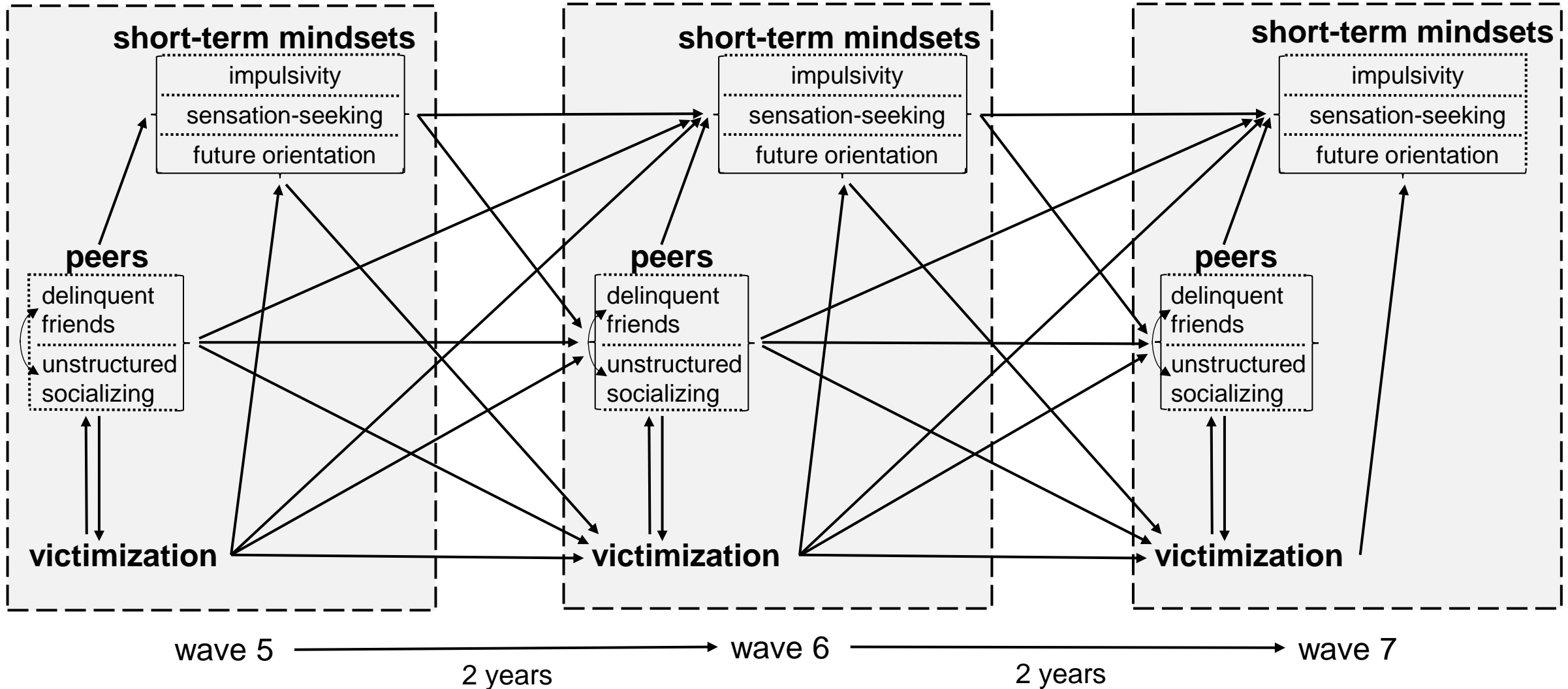


VICIOUS CYCLE?



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RI-CLPM MODEL





ADDITIONAL CONTROL VARIABLES

wave 5:

- socioeconomic status
- migration background

wave 4:

- prior impulsivity
- prior sensation-seeking
- prior delinquent peers
- prior victimization
- prior delinquency
- prior parental supervision



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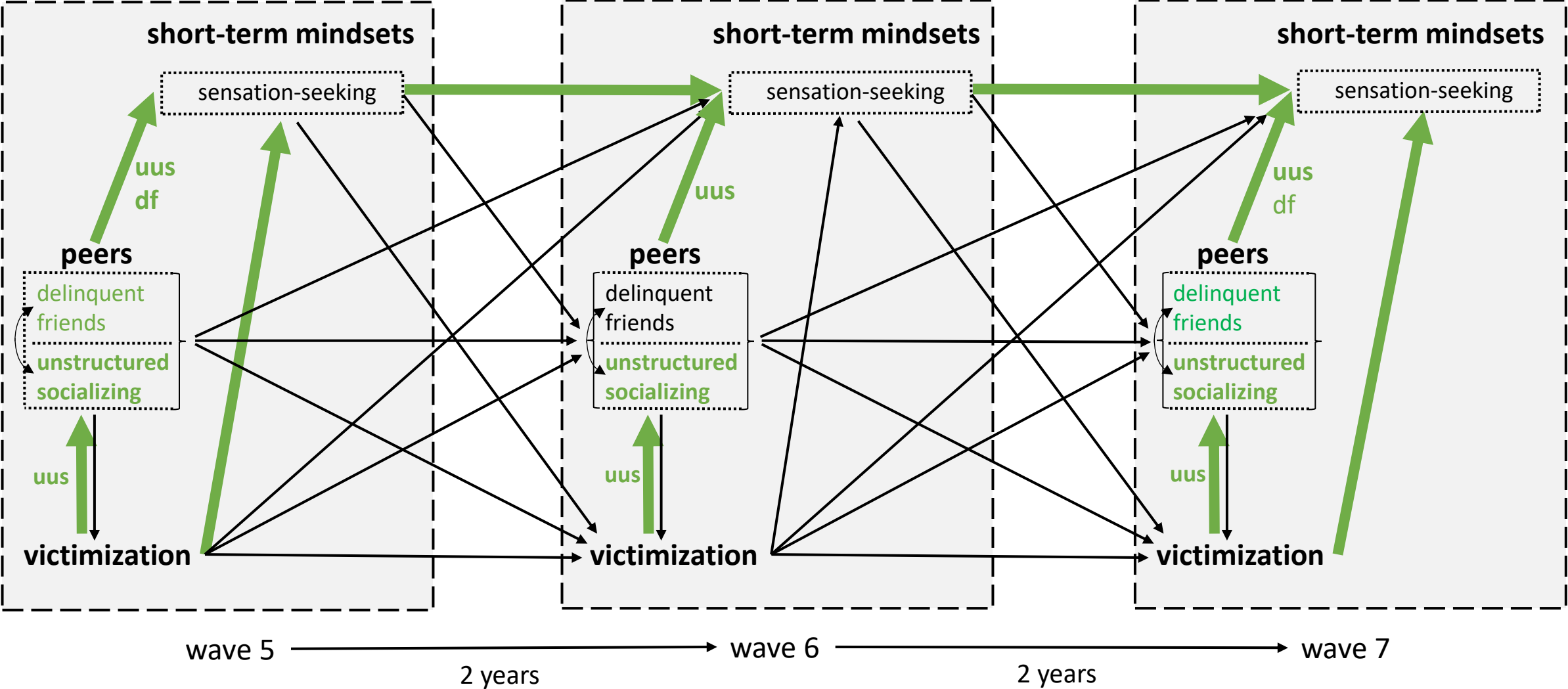


RESULTS

SENSATION-SEEKING

→ $p < .05/3 = .016$

→ $p < .05$





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CONCLUSION



RESULTS - SUMMARY



- Additionally: Direct effects of victimization and delinquent peers on sensation-seeking
 - No effects of neither peer variables nor short-term mindsets on later (re-)victimization
 - Possible explanation: Lagged effects harder to detect in such strong designs
- **No vicious cycle of (violent) victimization**



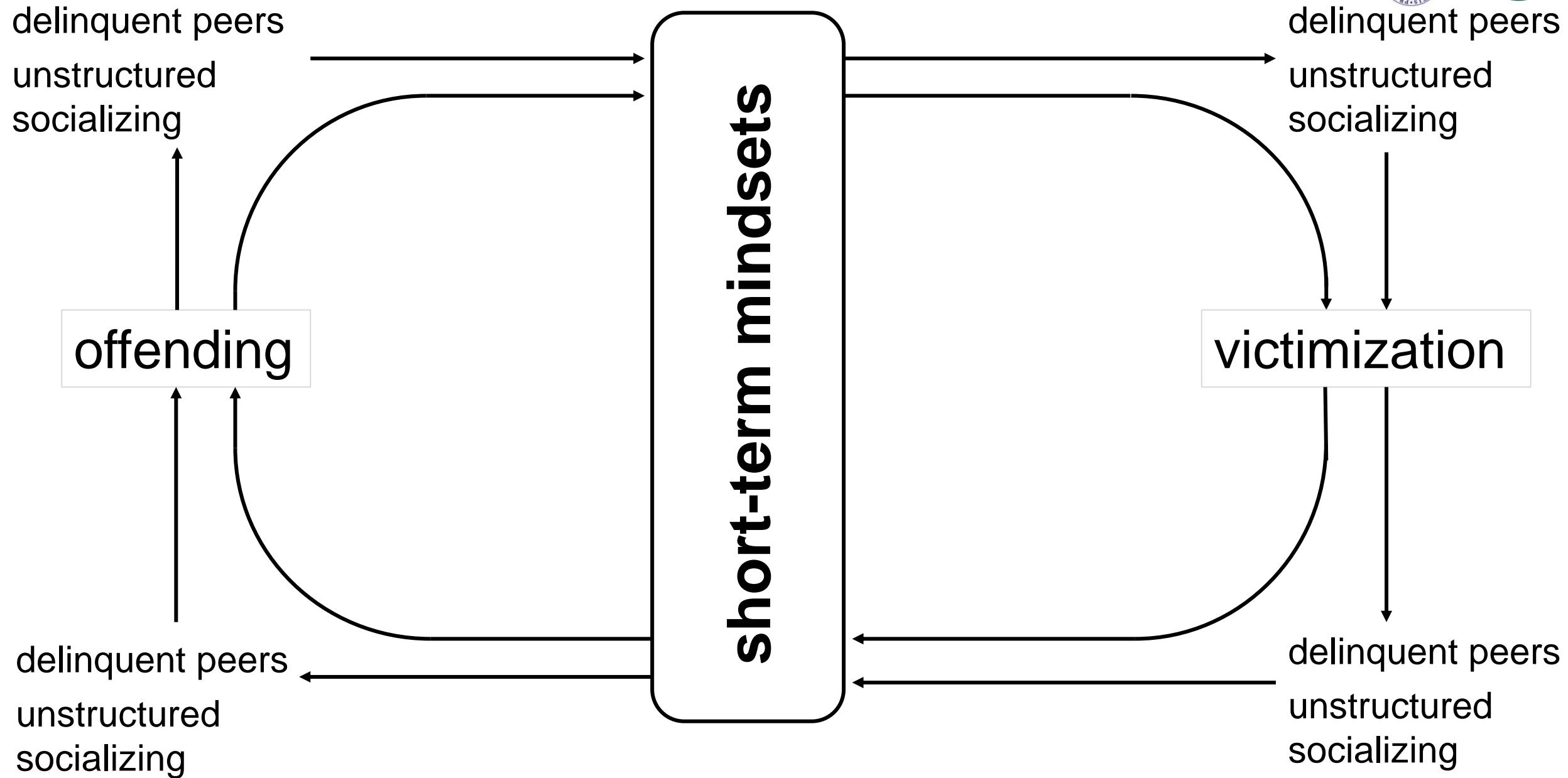
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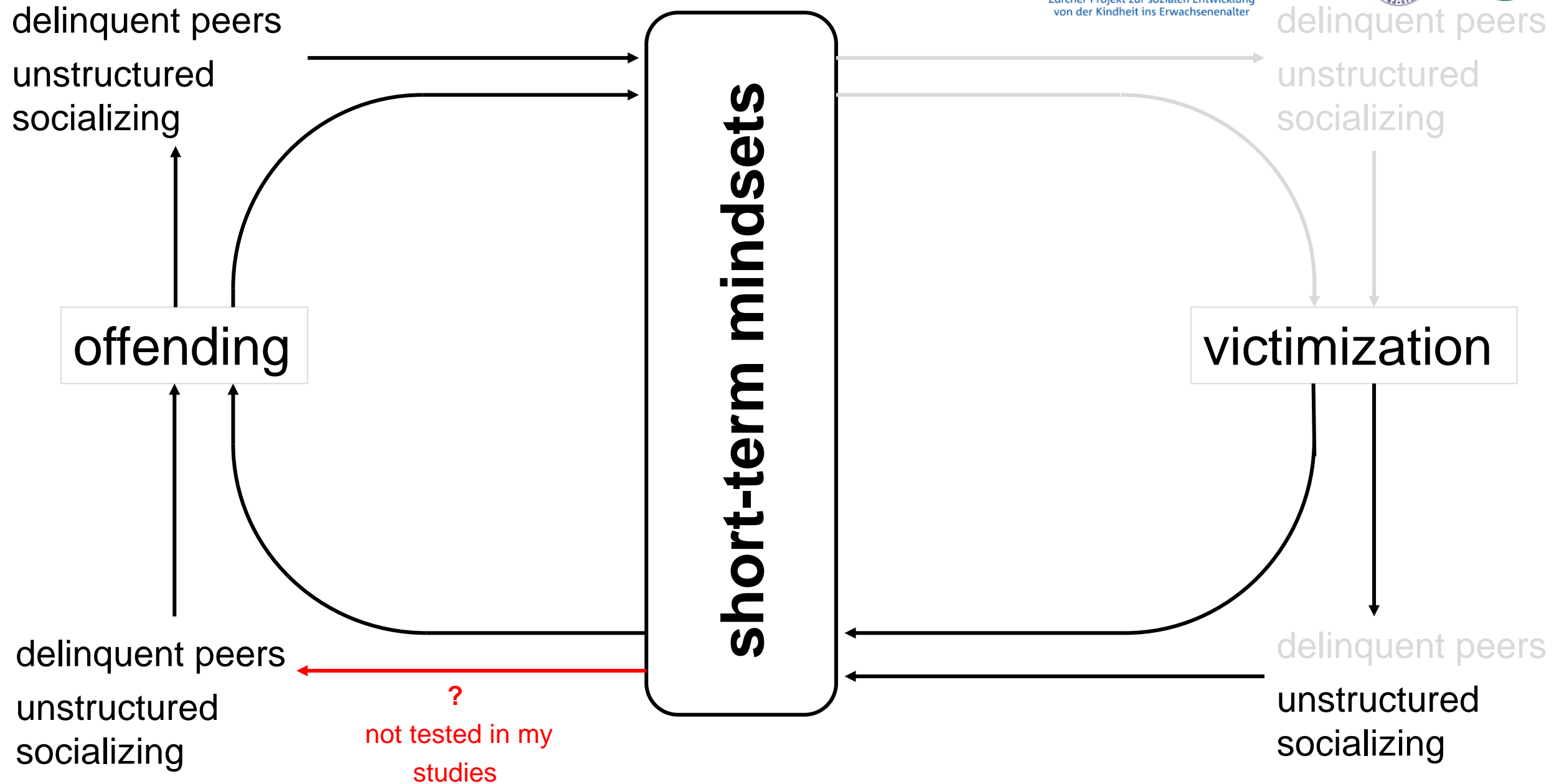
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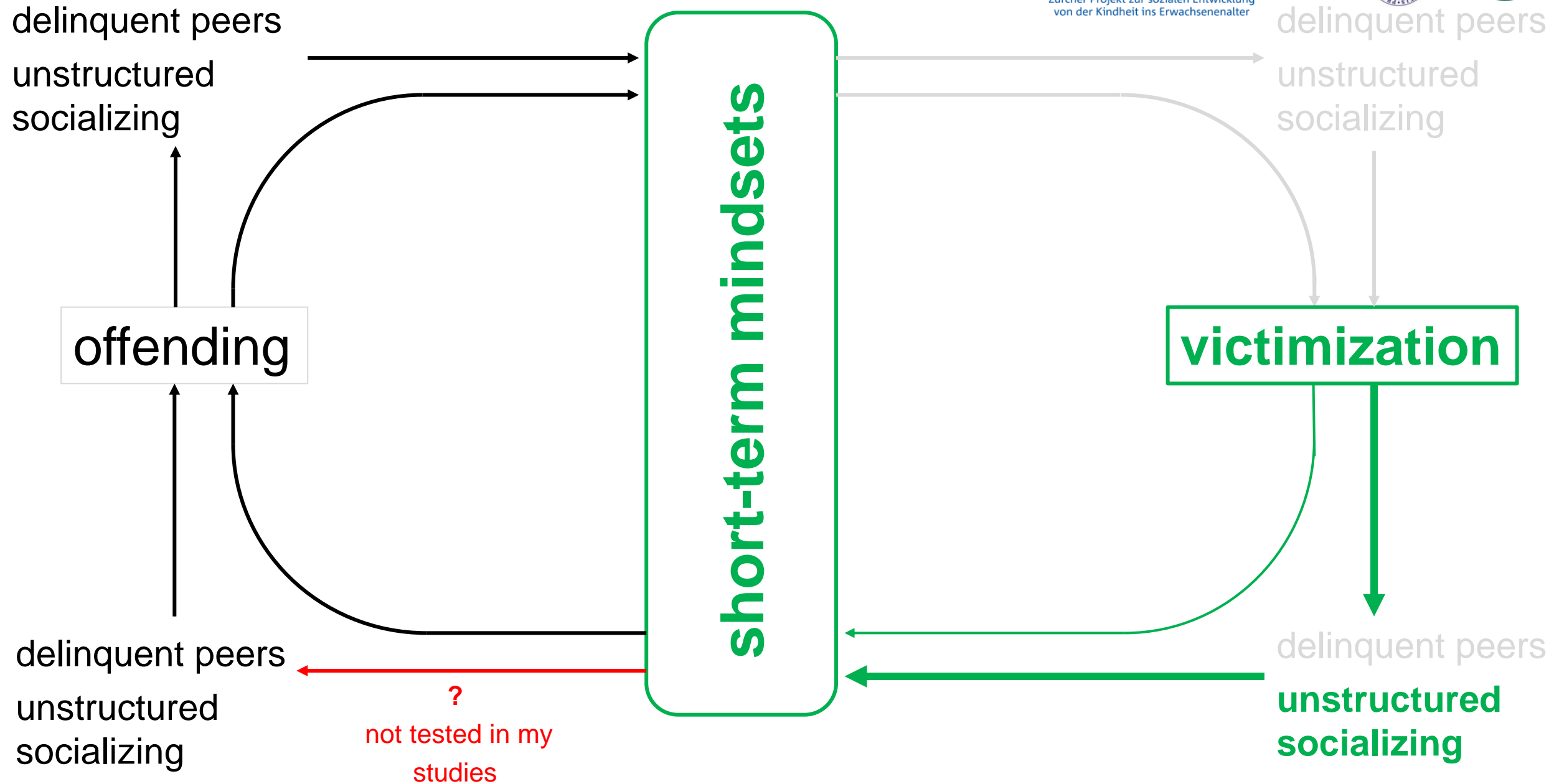


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