

{Personalized, semantic-aware, inline} Infoviz reconstruction

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Concepts

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www.cnn.com/2016/05/22/middleeast/egyptair-flight-804-main/

CNN World + Live TV

The search

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Greece, France, the United States and other nations were searching about 130 nautical miles southeast of the Greek island of Karpathos, Greek aviation officials said.

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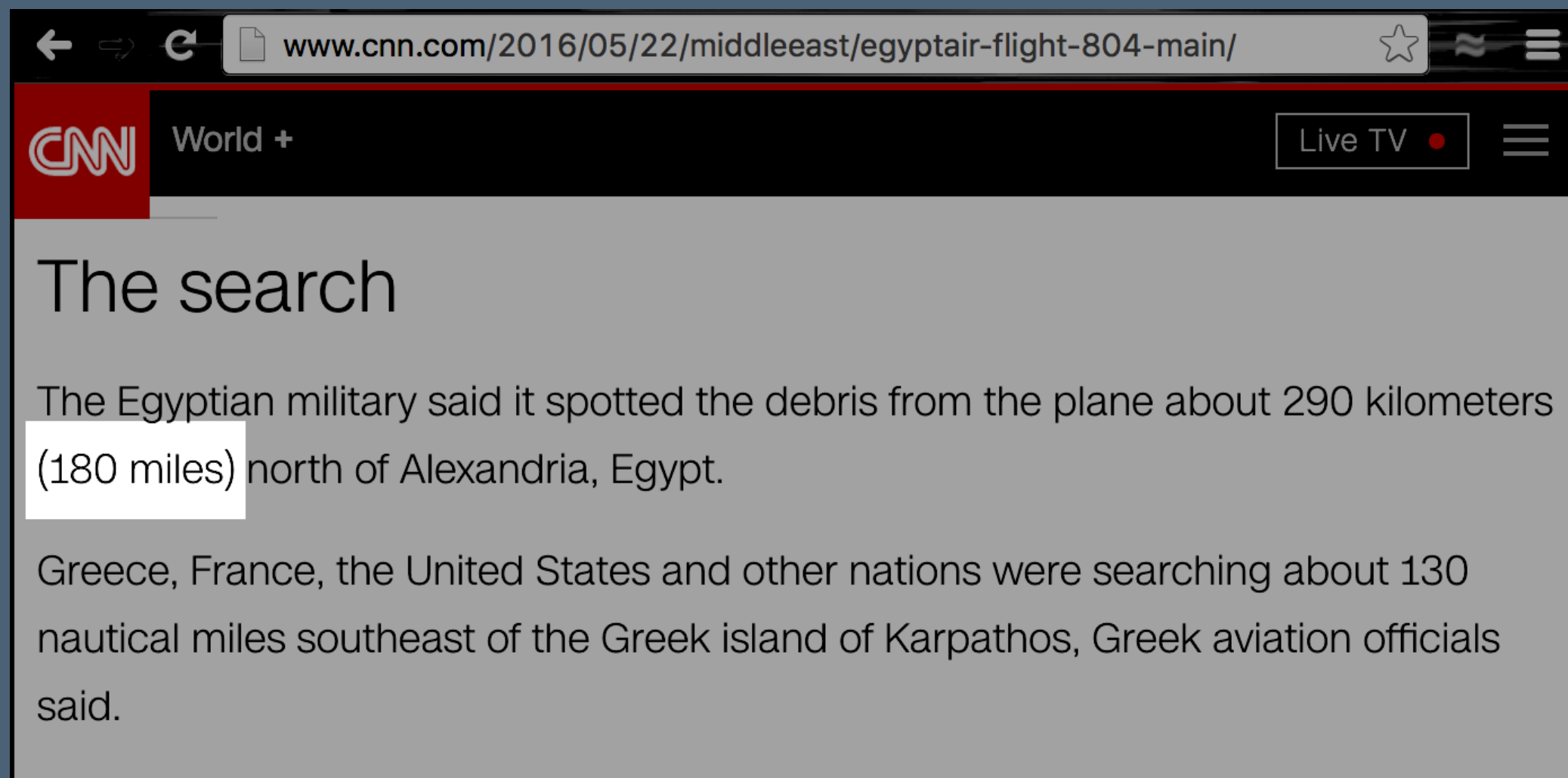
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Solutions:

- **Personalization**
- **Semantics**
- **Inline annotation in a browser** readily available


Progress

- Started making a Chrome browser extension, tested on a CNN web

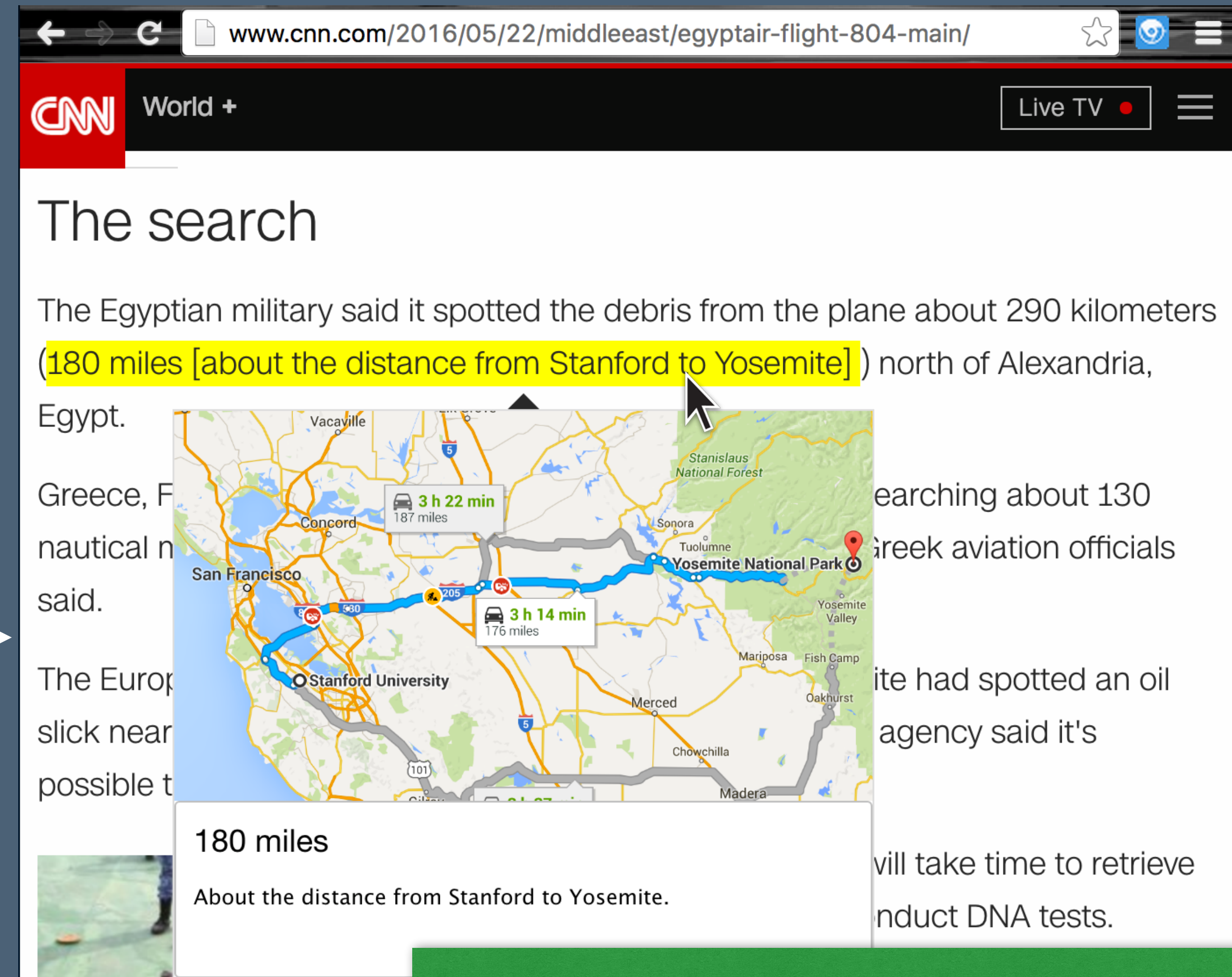


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 **Personalized, semantic- and context-aware information visualization** 0.0.1 Enabled

This extension annotates various quantities with personalized explanations.



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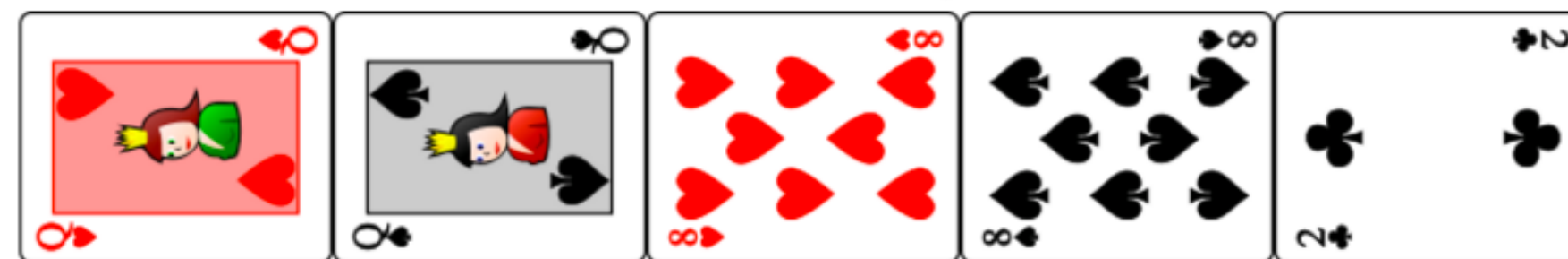
- Wrote a few test cases
- Started recruiting poker experts to do a study

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Personalized, semantic-aware visualization test cases

Test cases

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The probability of getting a two pair in poker

The pairs can have any two of the thirteen ranks, and each pair can have two of the four suits.

The final card can have any one of the eleven remaining ranks, and any suit. Thus, the total number of two-pairs is:

$$\binom{13}{2} \binom{4}{2}^2 \binom{11}{1} \binom{4}{1} = 123,552 \text{ which is about 23\% chance.}$$

Personal data

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- Thought about how to leverage personal info
- Thought about how to put numbers in context

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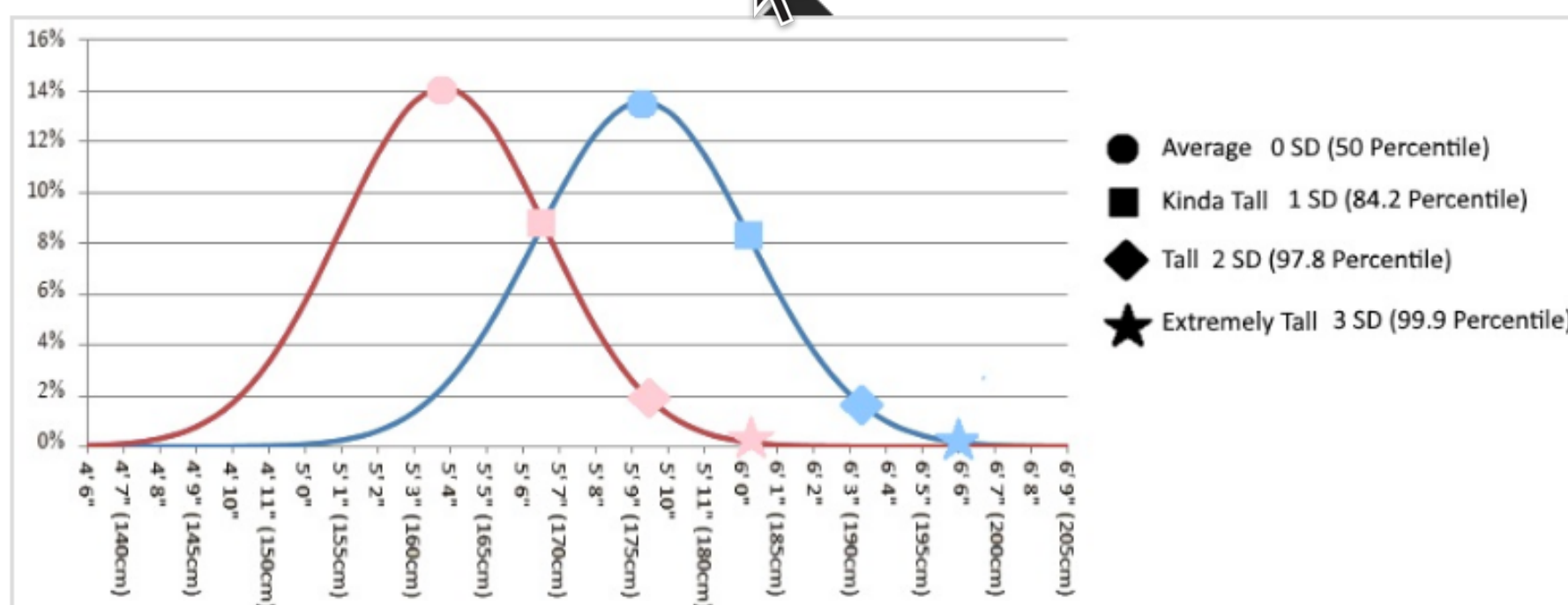
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6' 6"

Extremely Tall.

99.846 Percentile (average 5' 9.3", standard deviation 2.94")

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Generating Personalized Spatial Analogies for Distances and Areas (Kim, Hullman, Agrawala; <i>CHI, 2016</i>)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Automatically choosing well-known landmarks near user's location• Shown to improve helpfulness rating of info understanding	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leveraging more personal info other than locations• More domains• Inline

Next: Milestones

- Current examples are hard-coded. Need to automate the process.
- Collect sharable personal info from Facebook
- **Implement features**
 - Personalize units based on location, spatial analogy, and probability
 - Time permitting,
 - contextualize numbers (need to do semantic parsing)
 - incorporate document context
- Perform user testing to get insight and test effectiveness

Questions for you

- Are there any poker experts here?
- Any other compelling examples that leverage personalization, context, and semantics?