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Three Building Blocks

1. Beliefs
2. Outcomes
3. Groups

**Fight Against
Motivated
Reasoning**

**Root beliefs in
objectivity**

Place bets

Acknowledge

Uncertainty

**Learn from
Outcomes: stay
rational**

**Avoid black-
and-white
thinking**

Avoid Resulting



**Outcome
fielding: sorting
and betting on
what you can
control**

Mental Time Travel

**Rely on a group
to hold you
accountable and
help you see your
blind spots**

CUDO

Communism

Universalism

Disinterestedness

Organized Skepticism