

Daszak's Unique (COI) Position



Bat Lady (Shi Zheng-li), **The Dark Knight** (Linfa Wang), & **Batman** (Pete)

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Our **15 years of work in China** now puts us in a **unique position** to identify, with a **remarkable degree of confidence**, the likely origin of Covid-19.

Agreed - it does. It also puts you in a *unique* conflict of interest position - whereby one might be tempted to suppress incriminating evidence and spread disinformation in order to cover one's *unique* arse.

(We reported 781 genetic sequences of bat-origin coronaviruses previously unknown to scientists (including) the closest known relatives to Sars-CoV-2.

Good job. Again confirming that the *closest **known** relatives* (not only RaTG13) to SARS-Cov-2 were held at WIV ... prior to the Covid outbreak. That bears repeating, not only RaTG13, but other undisclosed bat viruses collected from all over the SE Asia "*hotspots*" were held at the Bat Lab.

If you have other viruses at WIV *closely related* to Covid, why haven't you released them? Sorry, *made them public* is better phrasing, coz you may well have *released* them, right? With a few modifications.

All are carried by horseshoe bats that are found across southern China (1000 kilometres away) and neighbouring countries. (even further away)

But not Wuhan. That's why [Bat Lady thought](#) it had leaked from the lab.

*Our report firmly concludes that Covid-19 originated in bats, **in a hotspot of viral evolution** along the border of Yunnan province in China, Myanmar, Laos and Vietnam.*

Hang on Pete, that's illogical and/or misleading. All it proves is that Covid is related to a strain of virus that the *Bat Pack* held at WIV, which we already suspected & you've now *horse's-mouth* confirmed. Still don't know all the different kinds or what crazy GoF-shit you had cooking-up with them though. We don't know that coz the database was taken down on **Sep 12, 2019**.

Whatever: it definitely doesn't prove the geographical origin of the outbreak to have been 1000s of ks away from where it actually broke-out - right-next-door to the Bat Lab in Wuhan.

*Unfortunately, this sort of logic (illogical logic) will not deter **conspiracy theorists** (such as former head of MI6 [Sir Richard Dearlove](#), the guy you're arguing with).*

You're right there, Pete, it won't deter us from getting to The Origin of Covid. If anything, it casts more suspicion on WIV - the real "*hotspot*" of viral evolution - with a little evolutionary help from your friends.

You were all there busily GoFFing-up viruses, to *make them contagious to humans* (to get more funding, weirdly), when, against all your predictions, there was an outbreak in Wuhan, *right-next-door* to the Bat Lab.

Now you want to rule out a leak from WIV? That's not logical.

RaTG13, the closest known relative to SARS-Cov-2, was [collected from the same Yunnan cave](#) where 6 miners contracted a suspected *SARS-like illness* in 2012 according to a [Kun Ming Medical](#)

[University paper](#) at the time. Three of them died.

On one hand, WIV scientists (Shi Zhengli) [dismissed that 2102 report](#) as being *neither based on evidence nor logic, (b)ut used by conspiracy theorists to doubt me*, saying the miners merely had a fungal infection, not a coronavirus.

On the other hand, they're (EHA/WIV) saying, *with a remarkable degree of confidence*, that the same viruses collected from that cave, *the closest known relatives to SARS-CoV-2*, are responsible for the super-contagious-to-humans virus, Covid. Those propositions are contradictory.

[For the record](#), there is no firm evidence that a deadly bat-coronavirus has ever directly infected a human in the wild & become contagious to other humans. Despite what you hear. The narrative always involves some *mysterious intermediary species*. The more we investigate the origin of Covid, the more that intermediary species looks to be *THE Scientists* themselves.

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