Evidence of Trustworthiness

Minimal

Extensive

Narrowly-Focused

Partners' Interdependence

Broad-based

Suspended
- Rapid relationship entry
- "Real World" perspective
- Little interest in gathering evidence of partner's trustworthiness
- Lives are minimally intertwined across limited roles and functions
- Casual emotional ties
- May have other partners as "placeholders"

Compartmentalized
- Gradual relationship entry
- "Fantasy Romance" perspective gradually replaced by "Real World" perspective
- Gathers considerable evidence about partner's trustworthiness
- Lives are deeply intertwined across limited roles and functions
- Guarded emotional ties
- May have other partners as "placeholders"

Misplaced
- Rapid relationship entry
- "Romantic Fantasy" perspective
- Little interest in acquiring evidence of partner's trustworthiness even in the face of obvious signs that caution is warranted
- Lives are haphazardly intertwined across multiple roles and functions
- Insecure emotional ties
- Rarely has other partners as "placeholders"

Integrated
- Gradual relationship entry
- Balanced "Romantic Fantasy" and "Real World" perspectives
- Gathers considerable evidence about partner's trustworthiness
- Lives are deeply intertwined across multiple roles and functions
- Stable emotional ties
- Rarely has other partners as "placeholders"