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TYPOGRAPHY...
TIME VS. SPACE "

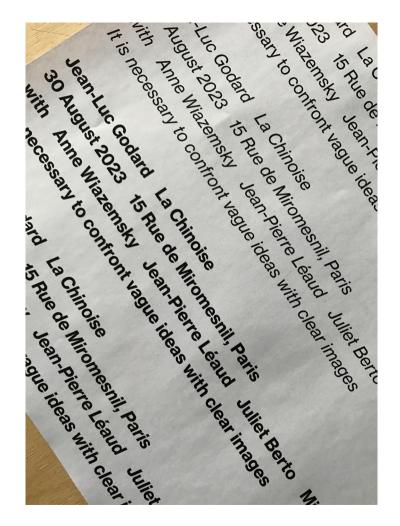
-> you have:

## 4 LINES OF TEXT COPIER! KNIFE! RULER! GLUE!

-> produce:

#### 10 POSTERS

-> by the way, NO computers!





// the thrilling adventure
of trying to get the copier
to work for several hours.

finally he decided to cooperate for scanning.



// the "first brief" rule:

no, seriously, you had to stay at britanka till they locked up, and then you'd still be working on the project for another whole day, and after that, it would just take over your life for a week.

day 2 - 5:

cut arrange scan



the last day. exhibition:

// that's what happens when you mess with fonts too much.

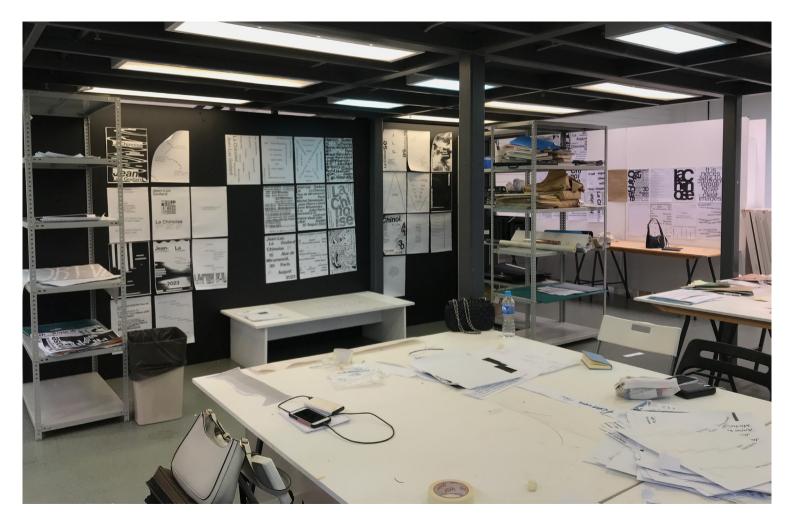
situation: 1 poster left

time: no

solution: throw the scraps on the scanner

seb's review: - seems like a lot of fun!













№ 16. " TYPOGRAPHY ... & LUCKY NUMBERS "

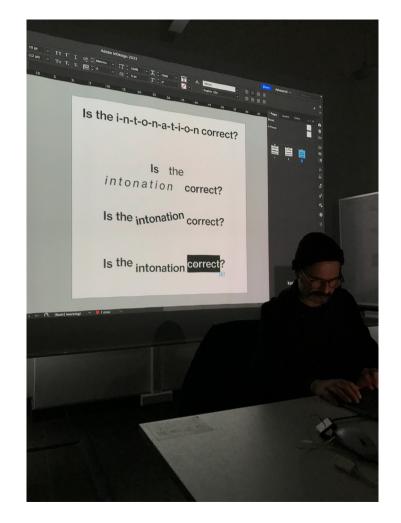
-> take oblique strategies

#### SELECT THE MAIN

-> WORD <-

#### IN A SENTENCE AND EMPHASISE IT

-> design it as a fortune
cuckie prediction











№ 17." TYPOGRAPHY ...& WORD + IMAGE "

-> you have an archive.

#### FIND PATTERNS

-> produce:

# 3 WEEKS OF A CALENDAR PRESENTING IMAGES FROM THE ARCHIVE

-> the focus: coincidences, like the same girl in different outfits or different models in the same pose.

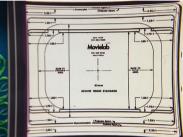




new beverly cinema

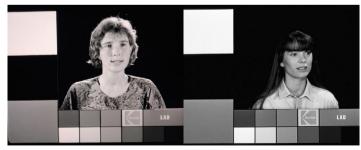
35mm " the emperor jones "





" wrath of khan "

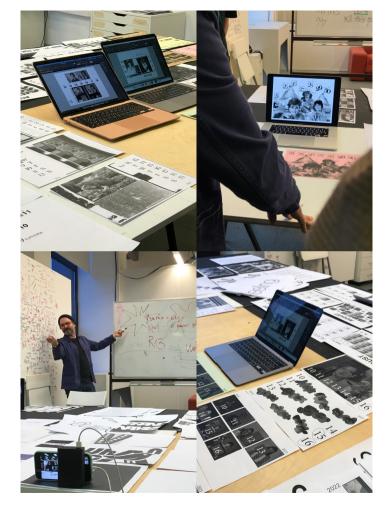
movielab alignment chart 1987



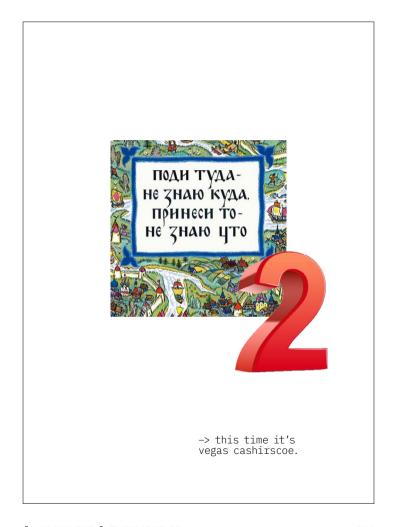
gilles langlais

" soy cuba " by becca hall





#### № 18. "INFRA-ORDINARIE"







#### 3 DAYS IN VEGAS

??? collections. ??? photos
??? videos.

-> choose the main topic:

### PEOPLE AND THEIR PHONES

-> make a video presentation.

#### NOIR DETECTIVE VIDEO INVESTIGATION

-> present the subject in the newspaper advertisements.

### ??? EXTRA NEWSPAPER BLOCKS

-> assemble it with groupmates and print the newspaper.

// i knew there was a mystery
unfolding. that was a signtime had come...





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It was 21 of October 2022 I'm a private eye. The best in this business.

I was sent to the future with another mission: to identify a criminal for my client and the most beautiful girl (for me).

I knew exactly where to find both of them!

"Everything that happens in Vegas stays in Vegas"

Everyone flocks here in search of easy money, adventure, entertainment or insane love.

But who would have thought that I would be able to discover something else... So, everything is in order.

I arrived at the place exactly five hours early, as usual.

// want to know more? watch the video.



img\_02.

img\_01.
newspaper blocks analysis.



collective newspaper assembling process.

the final touch. applying the stamp.

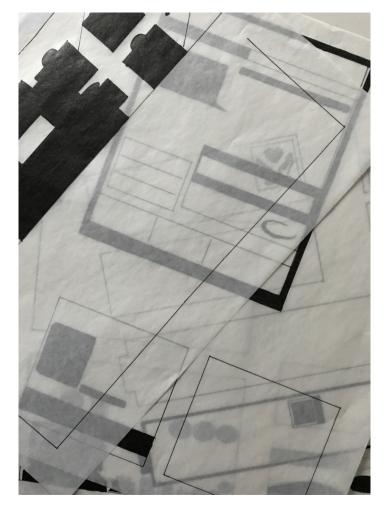


img\_04.
// while we were collecting
the newspaper, a good boy
supervised the process.



[ LOG ]





№ 19. " TEXT -> PARAGRAPH -> ... " -> you have a text:

#### " CAN SOCIALISTS BE HAPPY? "

-> you need to:

#### TYPESET IT

#### CAN SOCIALISTS BE HAPPY?

The thought of Christmas raises almost automatically the thought of Charles Dickens, and for two very good reasons. To begin with, Dickens is one of the few English writers who have actually written about Christmas. Christmas is the most popular of English festivals, and yet it has produced astonishingly little literature. There are the carols, mostly medieval in origin; there is a tiny handful of poems by Robert Bridges, T.S. Eliot, and some others, and there is Dickens; but there is very little else. Secondly, Dickens is remarkable, indeed almost unique, among modern writers in being able to give a convincing picture of happiness.

Dickens dealt successfully with Christmas twice in a chapter of The Pickwick Papers and in A Christmas Carol. The latter story was read to Lenin on his deathbed and according to his wife, he found its 'bourgeois sentimentality' completely intolerable. Now in a sense Lenin was right: but if he had been in better health he would perhaps have noticed that the story has interesting sociological implications. To begin with, however thick Dickens may lay on the paint, however disgusting the 'pathos' of Tiny Tim may be, the Cratchit family give the impression of enjoying themselves. They sound happy as, for instance, the citizens of William Morris's News From Nowhere don't sound happy. Moreover and Dickens's understanding of this is one of the secrets of his power their happiness derives mainly from contrast. They are in high spirits because for once in a way they have enough to eat. The wolf is at the door, but he is wagging his tail. The steam of the Christmas pudding drifts across a background of pawnshops and sweated labour, and in a double sense the ghost of Scrooge stands beside the dinner table. Bob Cratchit even wants to drink to Scrooge's health, which Mrs Cratchit rightly refuses. The Cratchits are able to eniov Christmas precisely because it only comes once a year. Their happiness is convincing just because Christmas only comes once a year. Their happiness is convincing just because it is described as incomplete.

All efforts to describe permanent happiness, on the other hand, have been failures. Utopias (incidentally the coined word Utopia doesn't mean 'a good place', it means merely a 'non-existent place') have been common in literature of the past three or four hundred years but the 'favourable' ones are invariably unappetising, and usually lacking in vitality as well.

By far the best known modern Utopias are those of H.G.Wells. Wells's vision of the future is almost fully expressed in two books written in the early Twenties, The Dream and Men Like Gods. Here you have a picture of the world as Wells would like to see it or thinks he would like to see it. It is a world whose keynotes are enlightened hedonism and scientific curiosity. All the evils and miseries we now suffer from have vanished. Ignorance, war, poverty, dirt, disease, frustration, hunger, fear, overwork, superstition all vanished. So expressed, it is impossible to deny that that is the kind of world we all hope for. We all want to abolish the things Wells wants to abolish. But is there anyone who actually

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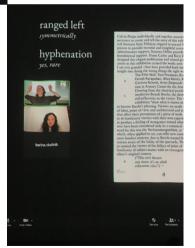
week 1 - 4:

hyper-specific calibrationkerning, tracking, paragraph control, spread anatomy.

tutors: alina and zhanar projected at a cinematic scale. surreal and surprisingly cool.

side effect: indesign and typography knowledge now permanently installed into my brain.

uninstall unavailable.

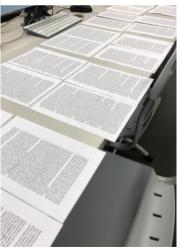




prototyping and testing.

week 4

the final choice of spread.



#### № 20. "THIS IS THE RECORD COVER"

-> create a fictional band, whose album was released between 1966 and 1992.

#### STRANGELY DISSAPEARED SOVUET UNDERGROUND ROCK BAND " LUPK " FROM LENINGRAD

-> make a 5-minute film that tells the story of this album & the band.

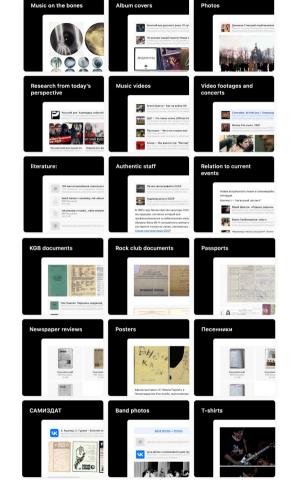


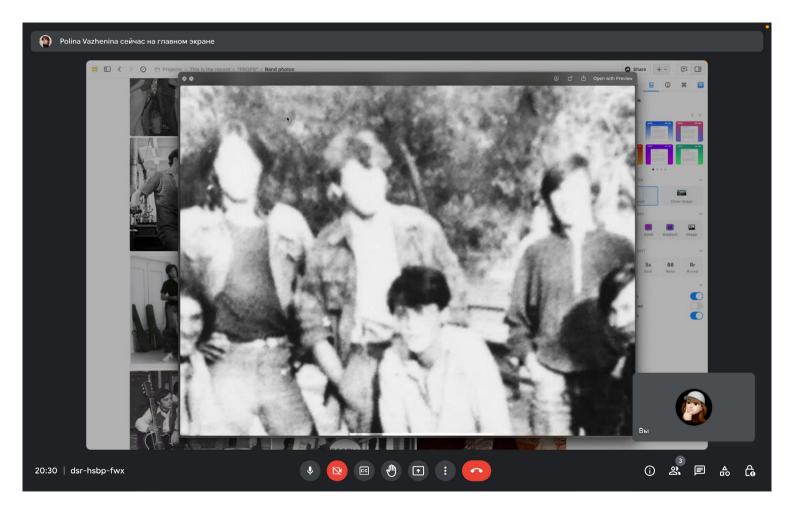
# THE DEPTH AND JOY OF THE PROJECT CAN'T BE SUMMARISED — IT HAS TO BE EXPERIENCED

LENINGRAD'S UNDERGROUND ROCK SCEN DESERVES A FULL DIVE

> WE GATHERED A GOOD STUFF

SO, DON'T SKIP IT!





#### EEEEE, CAMOПАЛ!





For this project, we teamed up with @valeria\_voevodina\_01 to create a fictional music band from the past.

Allow me to introduce 'Cirk,' a forgotten rock band from late 1980s Leningrad, USSR.

In order to bring the band to life, we meticulously crafted a wide array of props, including records, band pictures, posters, photoshopped newspapers, and edited KGB documents. To authentically capture the spirit of the era, we purposely employed handmade and amateur production methods. If you're interested in delving into the band's story, I encourage you to search for 'Cirk band, Russian rock' on YouTube, where you can find a short film with my voiceover edited by Lera.

Lastly, I extend special thanks to the individual who graciously allowed us to use his hips for our X-ray vinyl!









НАДЕЖНОСТИ



НЫНЧЕ БОГАТ?

И ЦЕЛАЯ ЖИЗНЬ

ОБРАШЕНИЕ K COBETCKOMY НАРОДУ

ЗА КАЧЕСТВО

не быть **РАВНОЛУШНЫМ** 

моя точка зрения

Phyapb Handpenymbe

OCTBEHHOE

ВЧУЖОЙ КВАРТИРЕ

что было со мной

СТРАТЕГИЯ **УСКОРЕНИЯ** 

























#### была музыкантов Ленинград групп группа весь неразглашении таких ВСЯ ИЗ концерта этой одной герои концерт начала спене после peub? Последний год. 1988 0

Сеня

Черненко, к группу

Саша

университета

политехнического

создают

Грибов

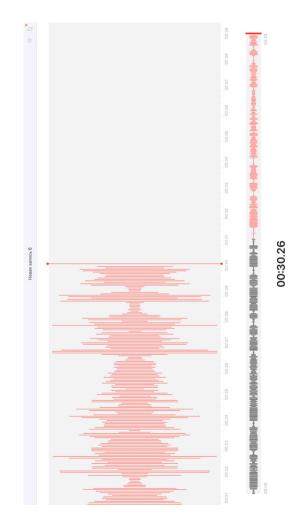
Баранов

знакомые

говорили

НИХ

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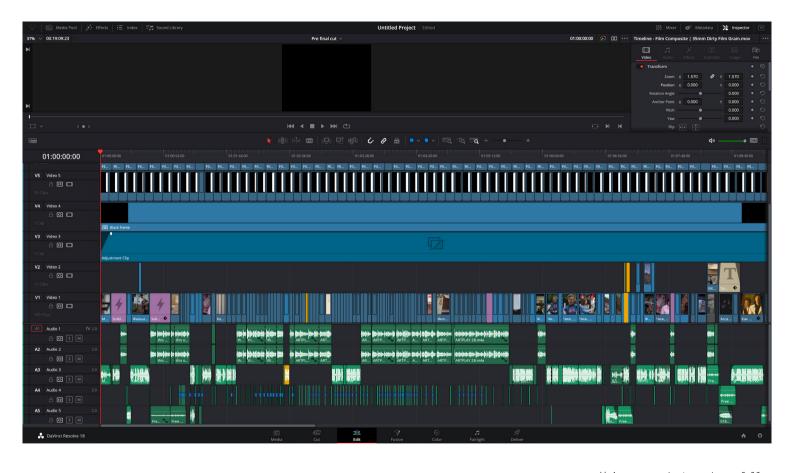












// i was ready to make a full 3-hour documentary if they let me...

// let it be our little secret

WE MADE A DOCUMENTARY IT'S TOOOO BELIVABLE:

[1] WATCH IT! [2] SHOW IT TO SOMEONE [3] DO NOT TELL ANYBODY IT'S FAKE

LET'S MAKE "CIRK" A ROCK LEGEND!





## º 21. " TYPOGRAPHY ... & FANZINE "

-> find a content. put it in a fanzine:

### TELL THE MAIN AND

### 3 SIDE STORIES USING A GRID

\* a fanzine (blend of fan and magazine)

it is about the content people cared about. basically it's blogs that are printed.

"we want magazines to show us things we haven't seen before together".

#### ART

+

#### MILITARY CONFLICTS

// only facts in the
cronological order.
no comments, just saying...

#### № 22. "TO TRANSLATE"

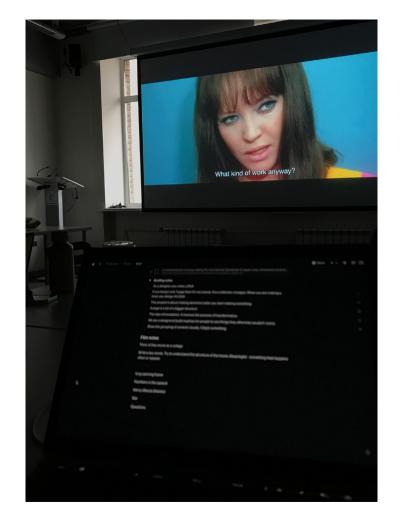
-> watch the film:

#### " MADE IN USA " ВУ JEAN LUCK GODAR

-> find a thing you will be tracking.

#### TRANSLATE IT INTO A BOOK

-> design and procuce the book. no text by the way, images only.





+ 433 screenshots

- 01. politics and war.
- 02. books and newspapers. 03. locations.

- 04. questions (only).
  05. numbers (only).
  06. visual symmetry.
  07. dead people.
  08. "kill"
- 09. guns.
- 10. richard.
- 11. monologues. 12. key points (script).

### 12 CATEGORIES



<- // fun stickerpack here.









01: guns.



01: blood, murder.



02: politics.



03: richard is mentioned.

// what you are lookin at is a film structure.



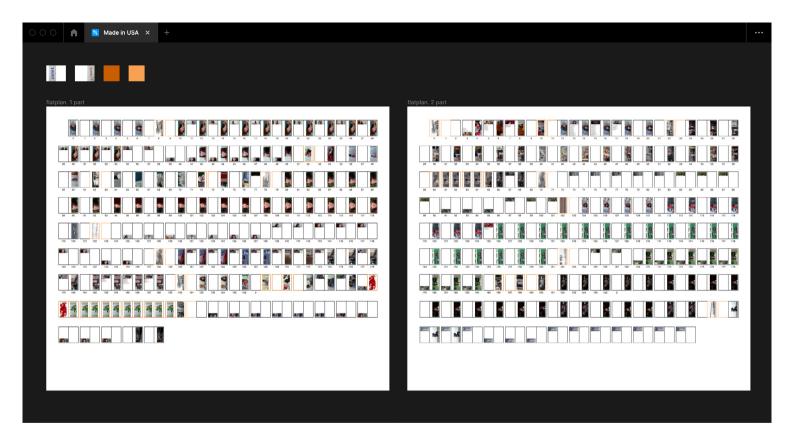
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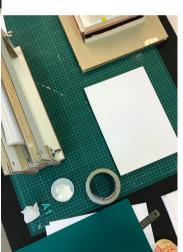






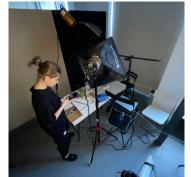




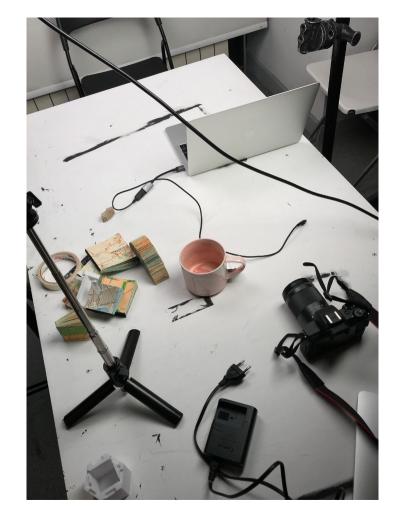




















#### № 23. "KIND OF MAGIC"

-> choose a time-related subject to work with.

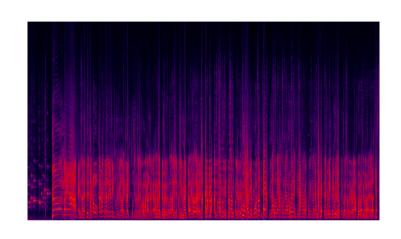
-> make a 1-min video about this subject.

# WHAT IF TYPOGRAPHY CAN EXPRESS INTONATION?

\* the struggle is already in the brief. you will struggle with animation. so, try to choose and make a topic as fun as you can. at least you will be giggling half of the time...



01. tracking + stretching:	= speed
02. typeface:	= tone of voice
03. size:	= loudness
04. weight:	= pitch
05. colour:	= emotion



// yep, spectrograms again.

and guess what? another fun adventure downloading a bunch of software hoping one isn't completely useless.



#### CODING, FORUMS, YOUTUBE TUTORIALS

- online css tests
- drawbot drafts
- coldtype trials - figma plugins

#### 3 WEEKS OF TRYING TO GET THIS CODE TO WORK...

// i thought auto-generating it with code would be the best way. nope, manual was the right thing all along...

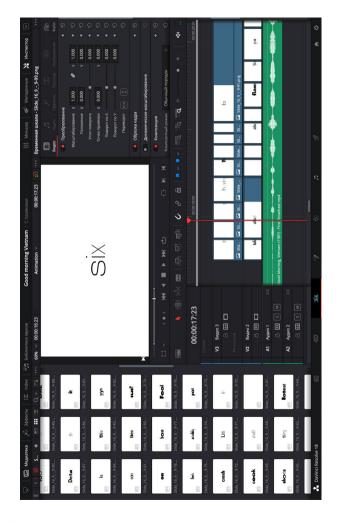
## WHEN YOU HAVE A BAD DAY

a bad coding experience.

GIVE UP. GO HOME AND SLEEP

FUCK IT,
TRY AGAIN
TOMMOROW

try doing it in figma. create 135 slides and animate everything in davinci.



## º 24. " BASIC OPERATIONS "

-> choose a genre of mass-produced things.

#### **FASHION** MAGAZINES

-> design a simple, mechanical, repeatable action.

#### HORIZONTAL CUT IN THE MIDDLE

the result:

#### UNEXPECTED COMBINATIONS OF SIMILAR **IMAGES**

\* think like a machine.



at first:

#### NO IDEA

later:

#### RANDOM TESTING

newspapers, children's magazines, sudoku, puzzles and crosswords.

#### FANCY GLOSSY MAGAZINES

prototypes with scanning, reprinting and overlay.

#### IMAGES ARE SO SIMILAR...

cut one out, and it can continue the next.







" this is a project where a bunch of students destroy stuff they bought on avito ".

sebastian campos.





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º 25.
" IF
/ ELSE / THEN "
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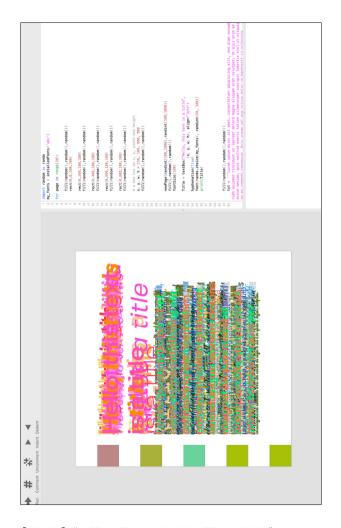
-> let's try to code something with in drawbot.

# AUTO GENERATIVE TEAR-OFF CALENDAR WITH ANECDOTES ABOUT STIRLITS

AND NOT ONLY:)

// i call it "разрывной календарь". hope you got the joke...





#### 4 CODING LECTURES

#### 25 TESTS

including "kind of magic".

#### ENDLESS ATTEMPTS TO COME UP WITH IDEA



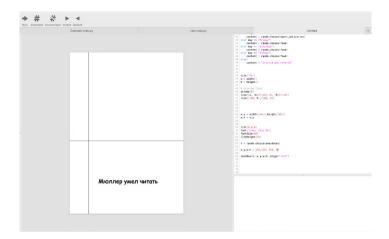
// but right after the crisis the idea stricked...



#### CALENDAR

+

## ANECDOTES ABOUT STIRLITS



#### other iterations:

- штирлиц играл в карты
- шелленберг дал штирлиц выстрелил
- мюллер умел читать штирлиц стрелял
- из окна дуло. штирлицу за шиворот
- мюллер шел по лесу и штирлиц перешел

#### ACCIDENTS HAPPEN

## WHO KNEW THEY COULD BE THIS FUN?

#### № 26. " TALENT SHOW "

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-> learn a new skill from youtube. it has to be unrelated to art & design.

Help! I am an artist / philosopher /
poet / historian / postman / intellectual
/ architect / rock star / writer / scientist
/ director / entrepreneur / hacker /
painter / musician / plumber / Marxist
/ chef / fast food manager / doctor /
gangster rapper / \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ trapped
inside the body of a graphic designer!

-> film your learning and post the process on your youtube channel every week. subject underwent prolonged phase of analytical drift:

- skill selection
- projects research
- sketching and prototyping
- components hunting
- 3D workshop induction

#### - DAMN, I DON'T KNOW WHAT TO CHOOSE...

// my friend's ex:

"программирование на ардуино

ну плата маленькая в которую можно закачать простейшие функции. тебе условно нужно, чтобы плата заставляла робота что-то делать

закачиваешь в ардуино функцию специальную прописываешь ее

простейшее программирование. короче вот".

phase:

#### SOLDERING

// watching self-taught guys soldering on youtube is like watching stand-up. no, really. you should see it.

#### STEP 1:

buy the wrong wire.

#### STEP 2:

go buy the right one.

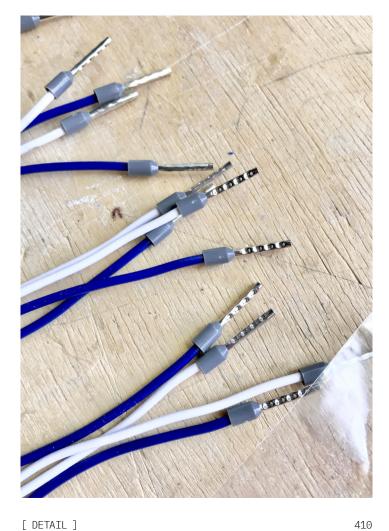
## NEW SKILL UNLOCKED:

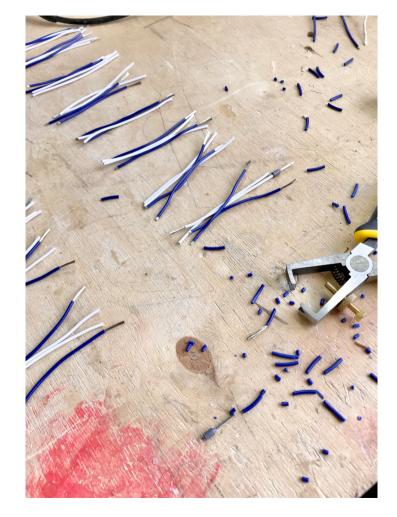
soldering without triggering the fire alarm.

## LIFESTYLE GAINED:

staying in the workshop 4 days straight until they close it.







stage:

#### THE SETUP

spend way too long decoding the wiring diagram.

#### NO COMMENTS

test the connection. blow up a capacitor.

#### FIXING

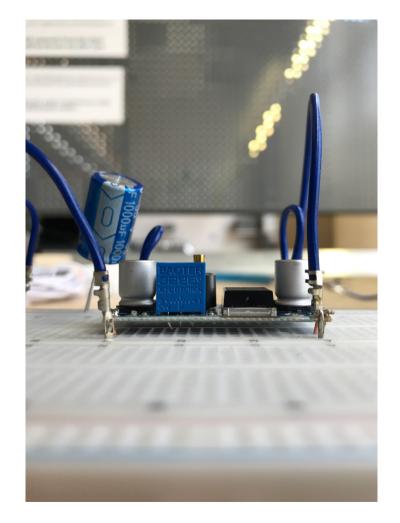
 desolder a new one from an ancient pc. solder it in.
 reconnect everything.
 make 100 attempts to make it work. no success.

#### DESPAIR

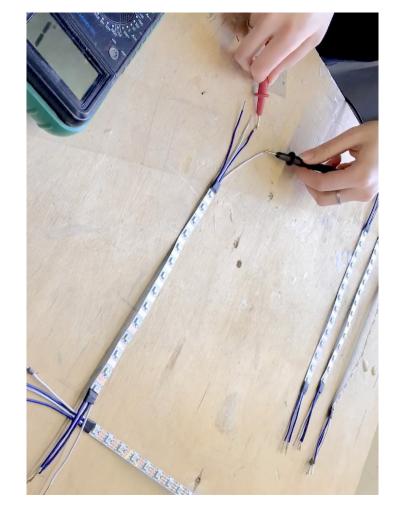
give up. go think.

#### REVELATION

realise that it was just one wrong contact. of course...



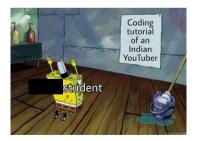




phase:

#### PROGRAMING

// yep, it's coding. again. this time on arduino.





#### PREPARATION

steal the code. download the editor. open it. install the code. try to uppload it to the device.

#### ...ERRORS...

recieve a ton of errors. device can't even connect to the laptop.

## TRY TO IDENTIFY THE PROBLEM.

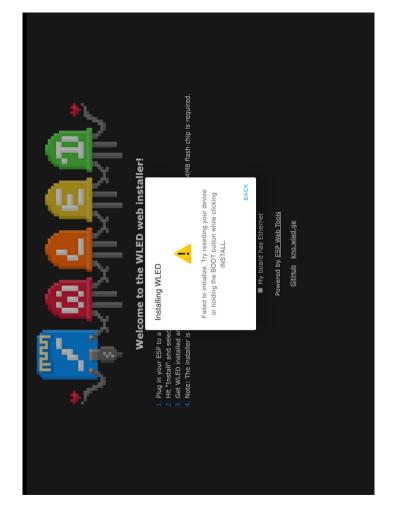
watch tutorials and try to unsuccesfully fix it.

#### GIVE UP

emotional support protocol: complain to sebastian. receive an advice to seek help from product designers.

## CROSS-DEPARTMENT DIPLOMACY

ask a product design tutor for help.



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#### THE GREAT LAMP SAGA

4 days of coding. change 2 computers. change 2 arduino boards. lamp still refusing to shine.

#### ENLIGHTENMENT

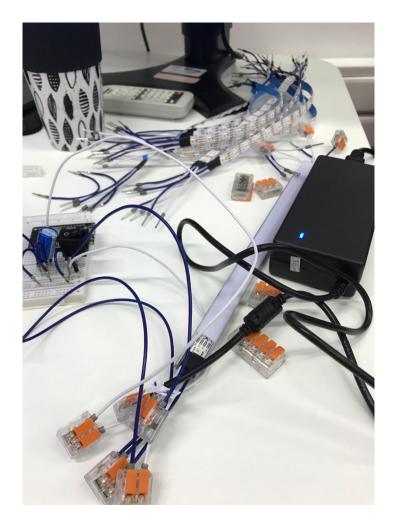
realise that it was one wrongly connected wire all along. just one...

#### GRATITUDE

// special thanks to the dmitry who cracked the mystery. absolute legend!

#### ДМИТРИЙ ЛЮБИМОВ, ЭТО ТЕБЕ!





#### 3D

start modelling mounts. try to invent joints that will fit and work. fail. adjust. repeat at least 4 times.

### COLLABORATIVE

buy the plastic. print 4 variations. bother the 3D workshop technician with progressively weirder questions. get a feedback befor the last one: "Вы как у стругатских: люди, которые хотели странного".

#### **VICTORY**

fifth print = functional.
miracle achieved.

#### WAITING

3 more days just to print enough copies.

#### dialogue:

- модель готова, а как сделать подпорки для печати?
- а подпорки у нас делает раб божий александр...



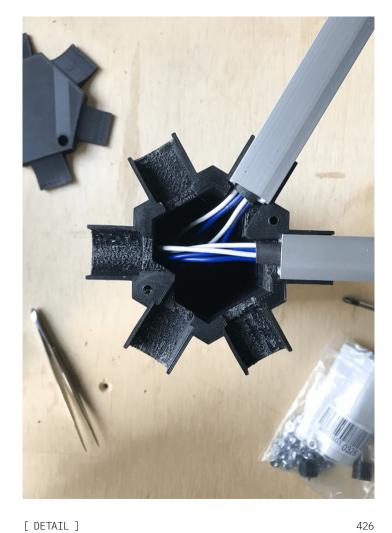
the hardest part isn't fixing. it's figuring out why it's broken: you messed something up, or it's not meant to work at all.

top 3 reasons it refused to
work (chronologically):

[1] USB PORT

[2] FAULTY WIRE CONNECTION

[3] A SINGLE LINE OF CODE





#### THE FINAL BUILD

start assembling the lamp. begin testing.

// it does work properly!

## DOCUMENTATION PLANNING

schedule the final outcome shoot. plan every single detail. forget the camera cable. obviously.

#### RELOCATION

deside to carry the entire thing home to meet the deadline. rigt in the middle of "кортофельный спас".

#### FINAL ATTEMPT

reassemble. reconnect. shoot the video demo.

#### DONE!





// like, subscribe to my channel to see the whole process. > node\_export: complete.....
projects....: 12.......
pages.....: 430......
linked\_node..: [ OUTPUT ]
linked\_module: / MEMORY......
> access....: extended notes
memory\_type..: digital.....



// scan to view full process. it may take a while.

[ DATA ] 430