

Navigating Theory on Demand



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New objectives

Re-designing the Publications webpage

Interview with Silvio Lorusso

General tips/recommandations on how to proceed further
Confirmed our assumptions

Website Development

30 Jan.



Final
Website

New factors in play

New book: *Gray Zones*

New deadline: Moneylab (3rd Dec.)

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Final Draft



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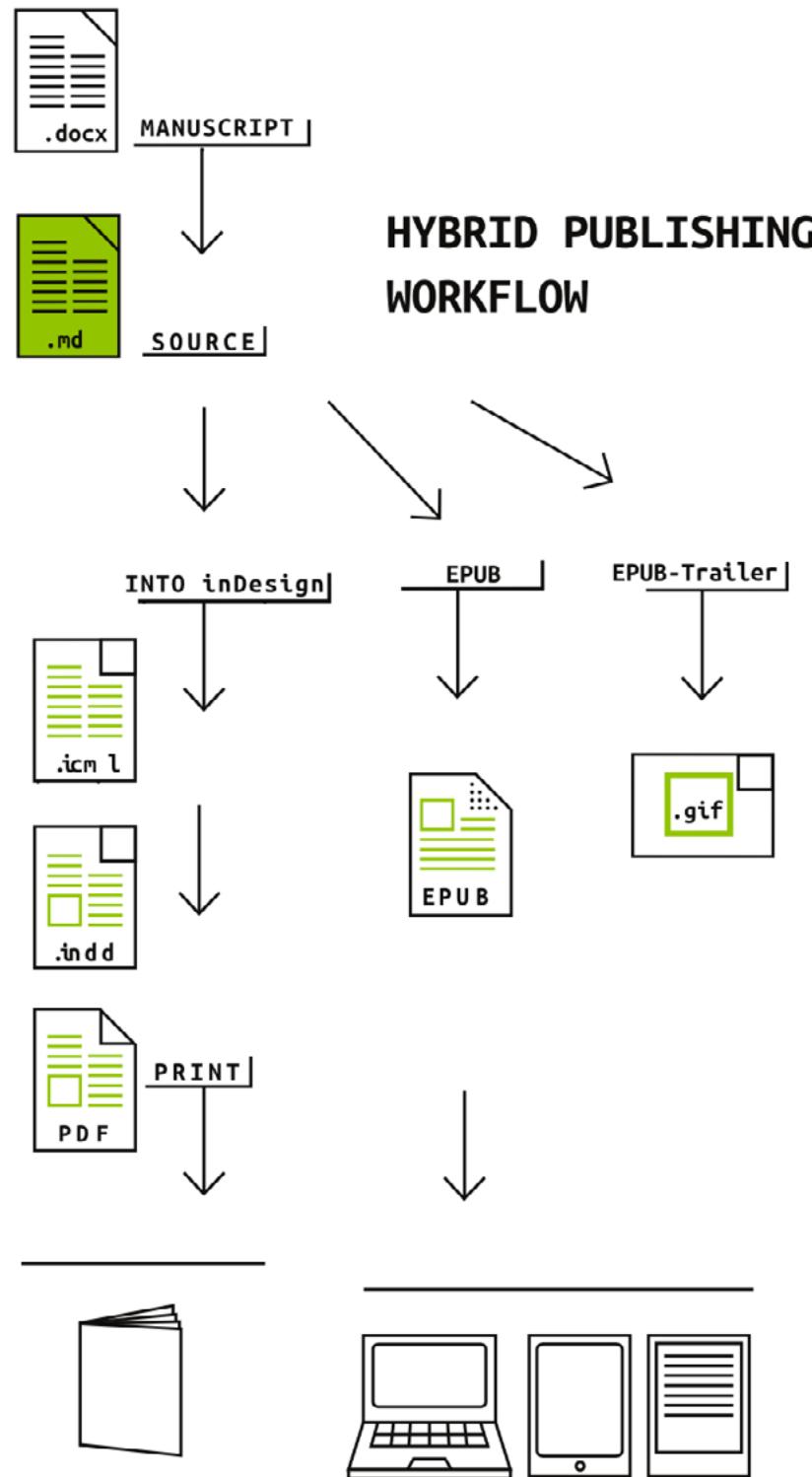
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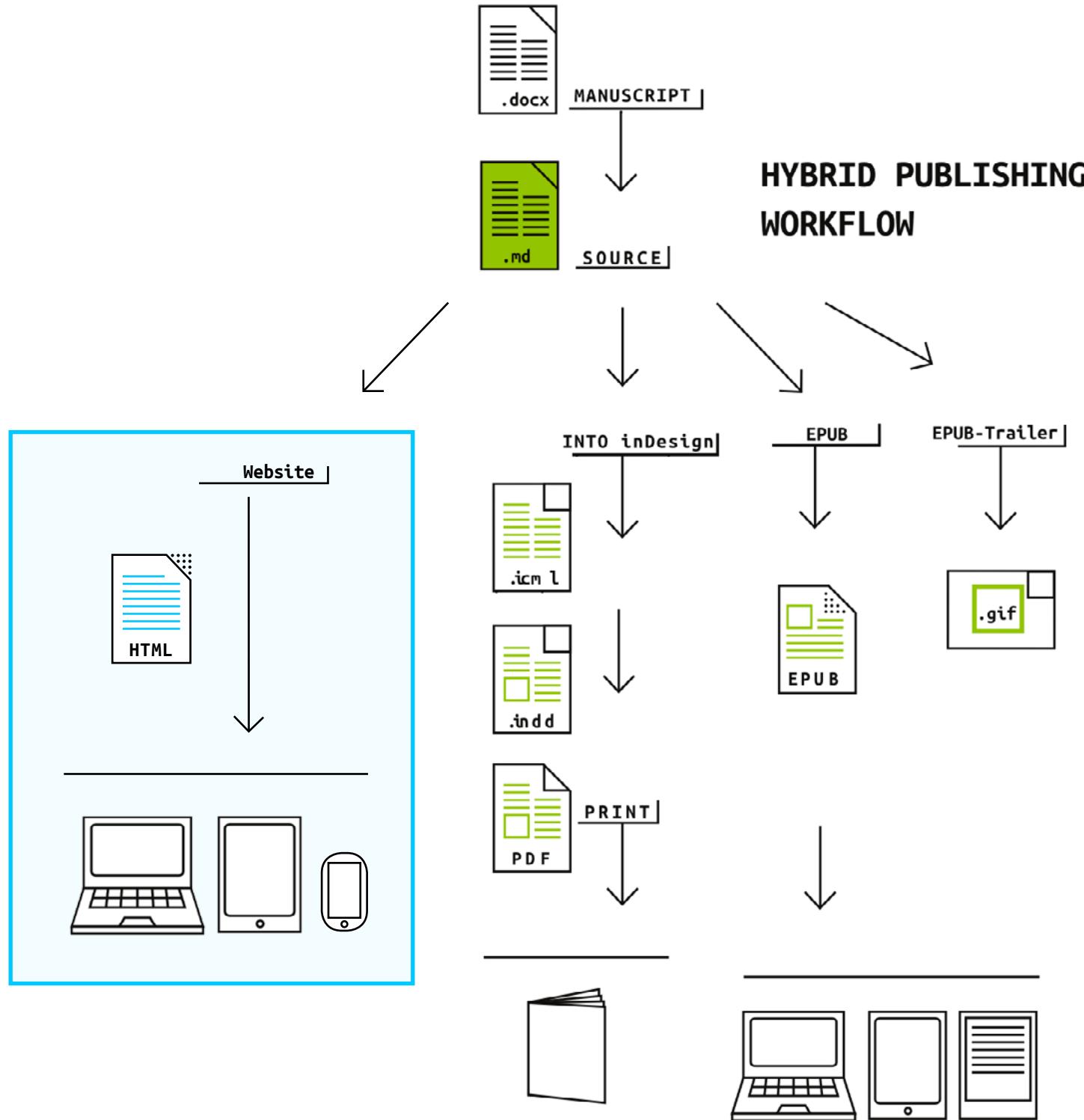
HTML:

Control & Consistency with the project,
More freedom for the layout,
Infinite potential,
Contributing to the Hybrid Publishing Workflow (Pandoc)

Wordpress:

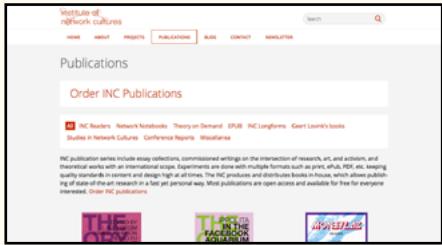
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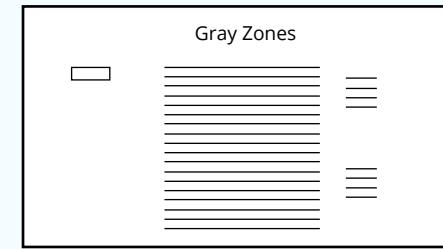
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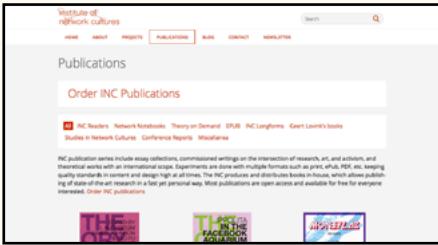
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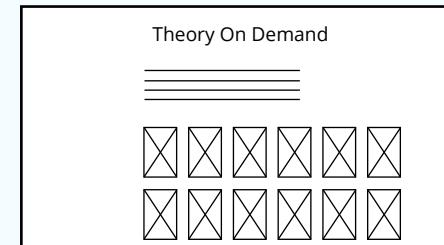
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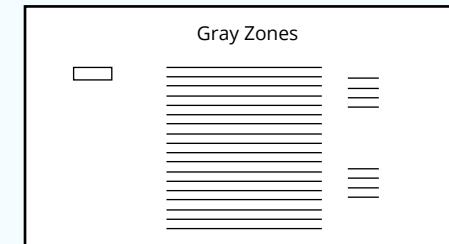
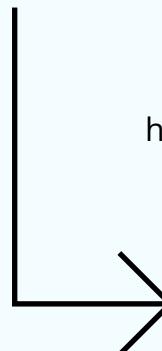
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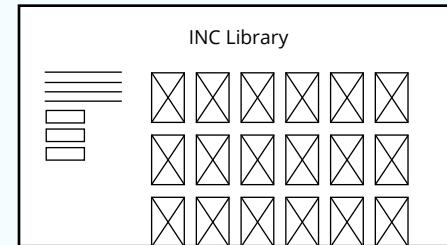
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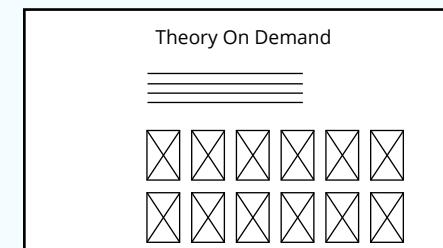
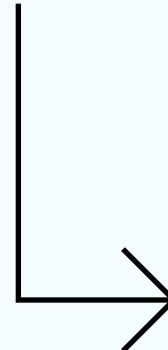
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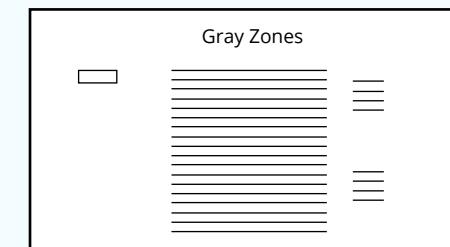
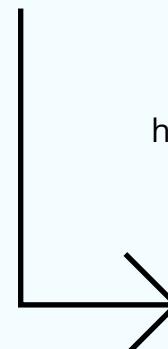
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80 réponses

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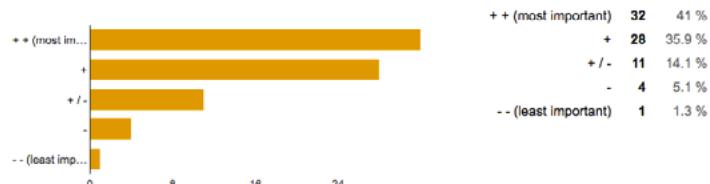
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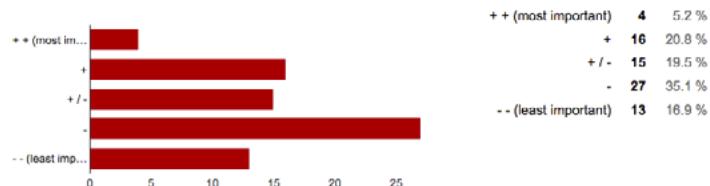
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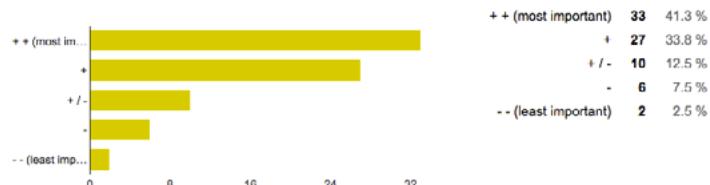
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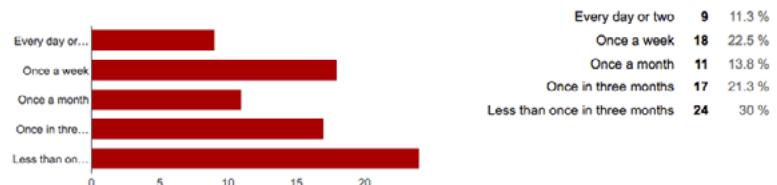


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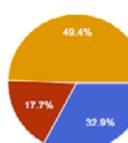


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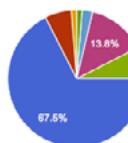
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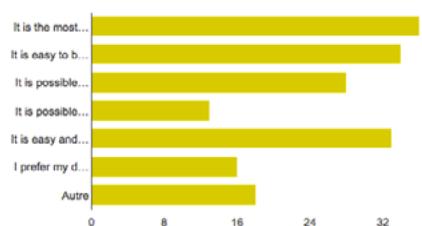
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5- a. Which solution do you usually opt for, when reading a long publication online on your computer?



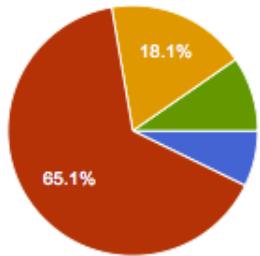
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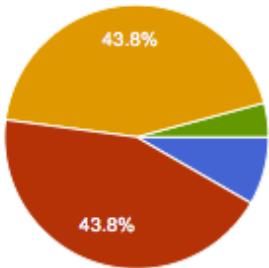


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To read one page on a screen and to scroll down to read the whole content.	54	65.1 %
To read one page on a screen but paginated (not scrolling, click on bottom to turn the pages)	15	18.1 %
Autre	8	9.6 %

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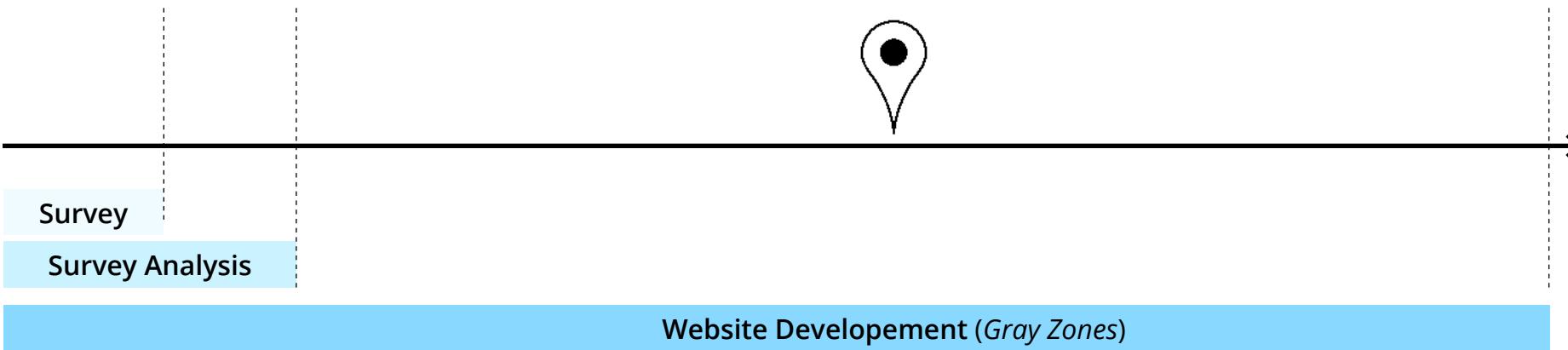
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To read on a "simple" webpage and to scroll down to read the whole content.	21	43.8 %
To read one page on a screen but paginated (not scrolling, click on bottom to turn the pages)	21	43.8 %
Autre	2	4.2 %

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Scope of Work

Produce different versions of the website,
Archive it on Github,
Using the survey to help us making choices.



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Here is where the process is archived.

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Issues 0

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Graphs

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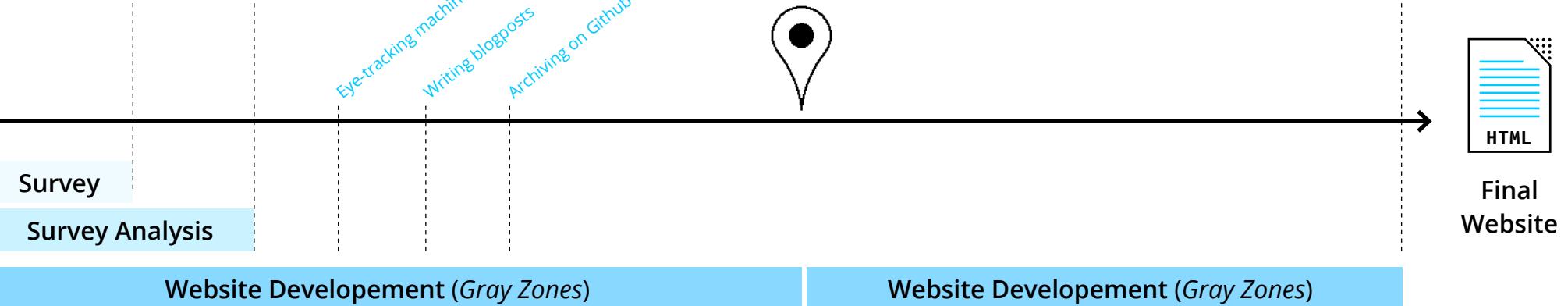
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Version 3...



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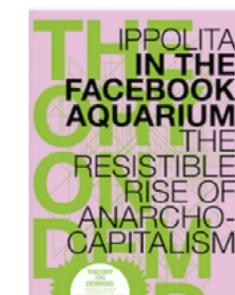
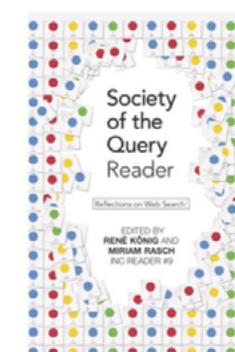
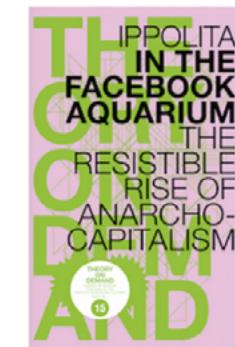
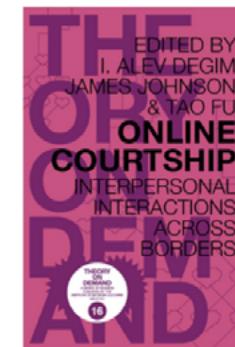
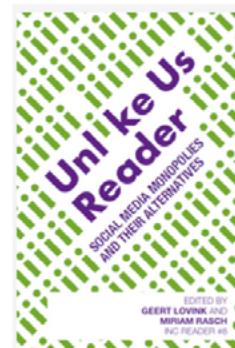
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This publication, then, occupies a position that treats “the networked world”, its democracies, cognitivities, attention and culture as domains wherein, or with help of which, forms of the reproduction of capitalism as a heterogeneous form of hegemony, primarily of the First World of capital or the West, are reorganized, “modernized”. The title “The Gray Zones of Creativity and Capital” does not, therefore, point primarily to instances of vagueness and dichotomy in the analysis of the social meaning of the cooperation between creativity and capital, but assumes a critical stance towards “gray areas” in those dominant interpretations of capitalism that try to view it as a post-ideological, post-class or post-bloc system.

In this sense, the introductory text by Santiago Castro-Gómez, entitled “The Missing Chapter of Empire - Postmodern reorganization of coloniality and post-Fordist capitalism”, critically addresses the interpretation of contemporary capitalism (presented in the text “Empire” by Antonio Negri and Michael Hardt) that views it as a system of equal exploitation of all. Castro-Gómez sees the capitalism of today as a modernized form of the colonial division of the world,

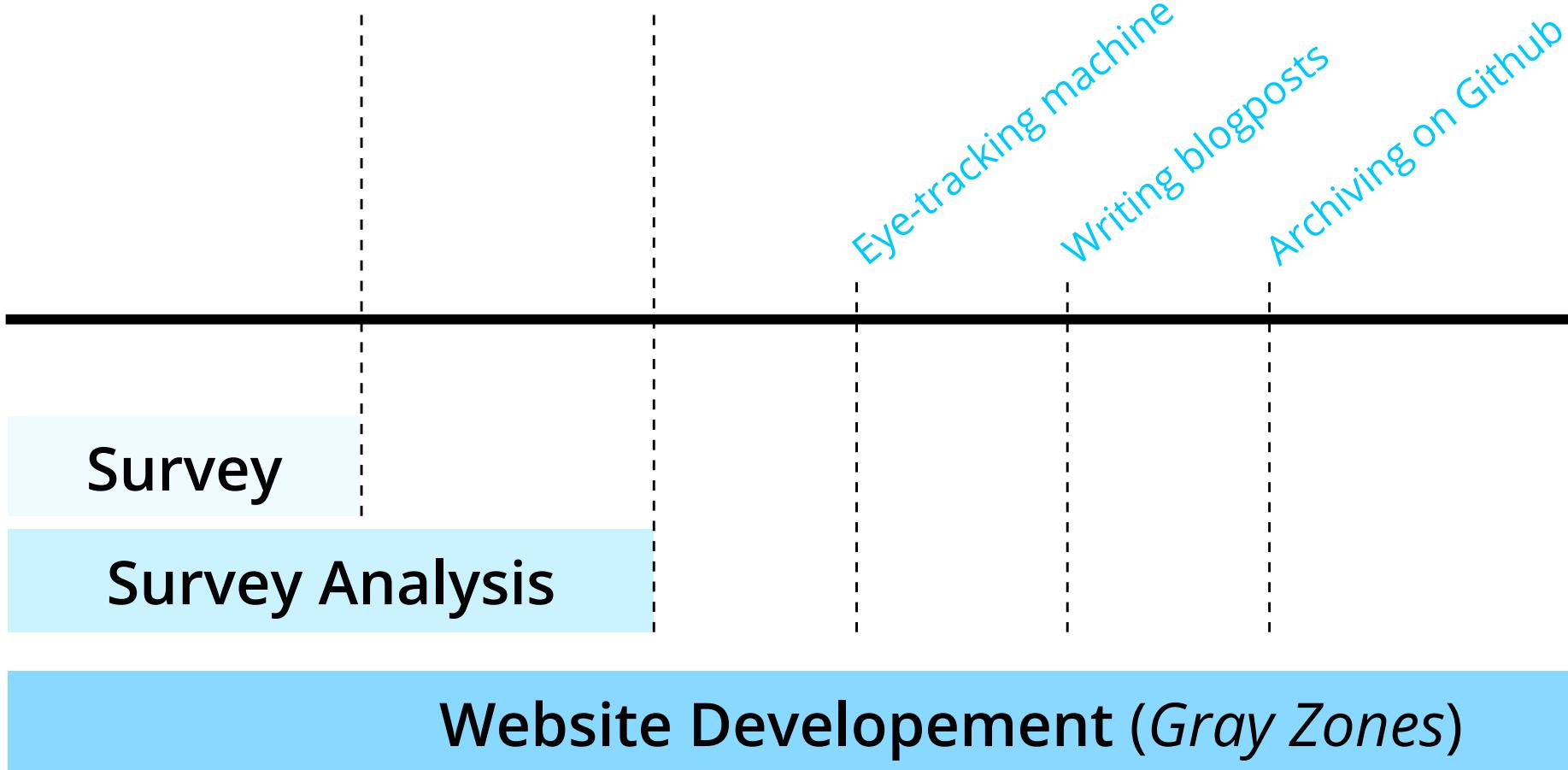
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Survey

- Analysis of the survey
- Which functions should be implemented?
(based on the collection of references)

Design

- Designing countless prototypes

MoneyLab

- Planning the unfolding of the event
- Thinking about the functions which can be implemented