

# Module-2 Section 2.3

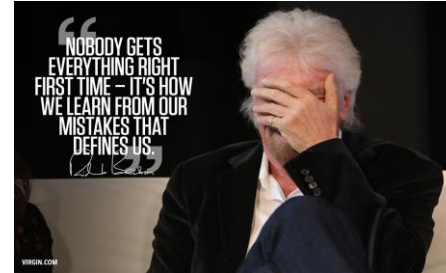


Obstacles: Behavioural design, dark patterns...

Human characteristics in design

# Obstacles And Pitfalls in development path:

1. Nobody ever gets it right the first time.
2. Development is chock-full of surprises.
3. Good design requires living in a sea of changes.
4. Making contracts to ignore change will never eliminate the need for change.
5. Even if you have made the best system humanly possible, people will still make mistakes when using it.
6. You must have behavioral design goals like performance design goals.



# Behavioural Design???

- Behavioural Design:
  - Combine psychology, design, technology and creative methods to find out why people do the things they do and to figure out through experimentation how to activate them to change their behaviour.
  - <https://suebehaviouraldesign.com/what-is-behavioural-design/>
- Dark pattern:
  - Is a user interface that has been carefully crafted to trick users into doing things, such as buying insurance with their purchase or signing up for recurring bills.
  - <https://darkpatterns.org/types-of-dark-pattern.html>



# Human Characteristics in Design???

- Perception
- Memory
- Sensory Storage
  - Sensory Adaptation and Habituation
- Visual Acuity
  - Capacity of eye to resolve details
- Foveal and Peripheral vision
  - Focus on directly on something or surrounding
- Information processing
- Mental models
  - Internal representation of a person's current understanding of something
- Movement control
  - Time to acquire a target is a function of the distance to and size of the target.
- Learning
  - Process of encoding in long-term memory information
- Skill
  - Performance of actions or movements in correct time sequence with adequate precision
- Individual Differences
  - Feeling, Motor ability, intellectual, learning ability, speed and so on.





# Human Characteristics In Design

- Knowledge Experience
- Psychological Characteristics
- Job/Task/Need
- Physical Characteristics

Age Young, middle aged, or elderly.

Gender Male or female.

Handedness Left, right, or ambidextrous.

Disabilities Blind, defective vision, deafness, motor handicap.

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|------------------------------------|---|
| Type of System                     | Use Mandatory or discretionary use of the system.   |
| Frequency of Use system.           | Continual, frequent, occasional, or once-in-a-lifetime use of system.                     |
| Task or Need Importance performed. | High, moderate, or low importance of the task being performed.                            |
| Task Structure                     | Repetitiveness or predictability of tasks being automated, high, moderate, or low.        |
| Social Interactions required.      | Verbal communication with another person required or not required.                        |
| Primary Training                   | Extensive or formal training, self-training through manuals, or no training.              |
| Turnover Rate                      | High, moderate, or low turnover rate for jobholders.                                      |
| Job Category                       | Executive, manager, professional, secretary, clerk.                                       |
| Lifestyle                          | For Web e-commerce systems, includes hobbies, recreational pursuits, and economic status. |

Computer Literacy

System Experience

Application Experience

Task Experience

Other Systems

job.

Education

Reading Level

Typing Skill

average

Native Language or Culture

Highly technical or experienced, moderate computer experience, or none.

High, moderate, or low knowledge of a particular system and its methods of interaction.

High, moderate, or low knowledge of similar systems.

Level of knowledge of job and job tasks.

Use Frequent or infrequent use of other systems in doing

High school, college, or advanced degree.

Less than 5th grade, 5th–12th, more than 12th grade.

Expert (135 WPM), skilled (90 WPM), good (55 WPM), (40 WPM), or "hunt and peck" (10 WPM).

English, another, or several.

Attitude

Motivation

Patience

Expectations

Stress Level

performance.

Cognitive Style

Positive, neutral, or negative feeling toward job or system.

Low, moderate, or high due to interest or fear.

Patience or impatience expected in accomplishing goal.

Kinds and reasonableness.

High, some, or no stress generally resulting from task

Verbal or spatial, analytic or intuitive, concrete or abstract.

