Visual perception

Past experiences

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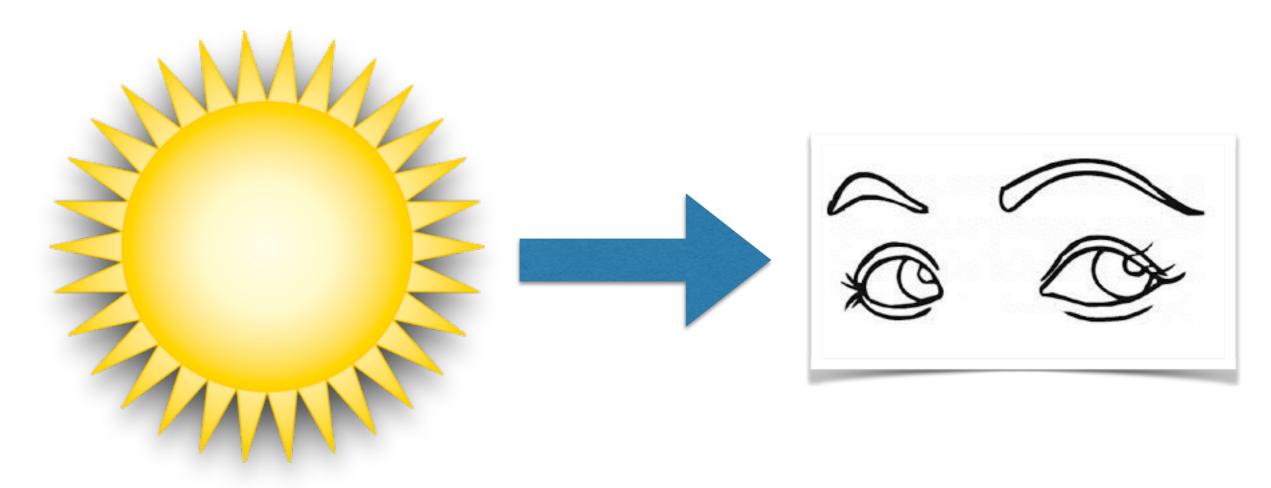
Similarities

Visual Perception

- Visual perception is what enables us to interpret information from light reaching our eyes.
- This perception is what you know as eyesight.

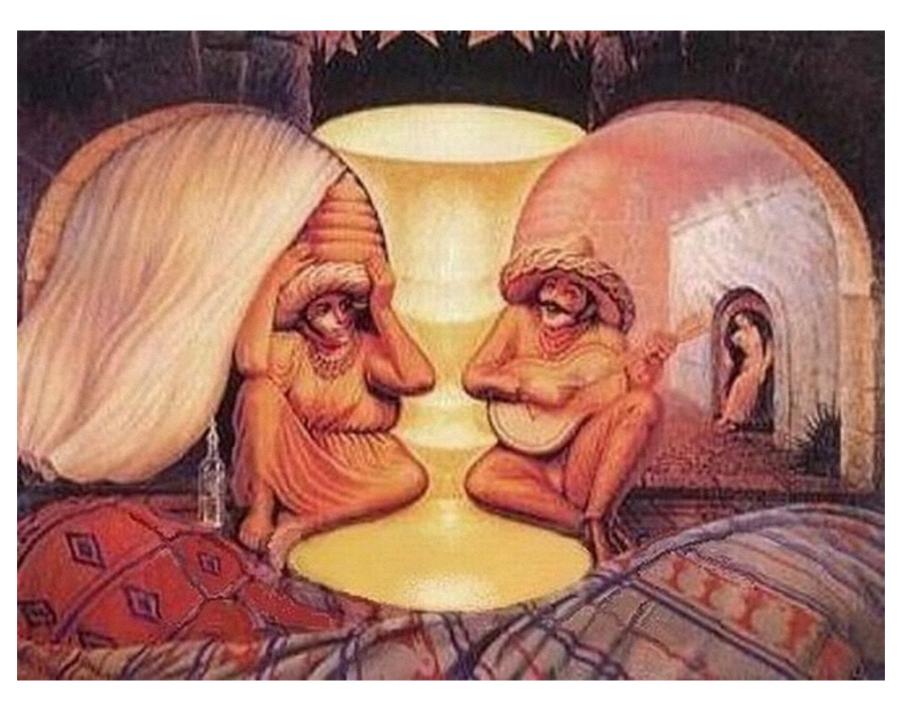
Our eyes are windows to the world

How does it work?

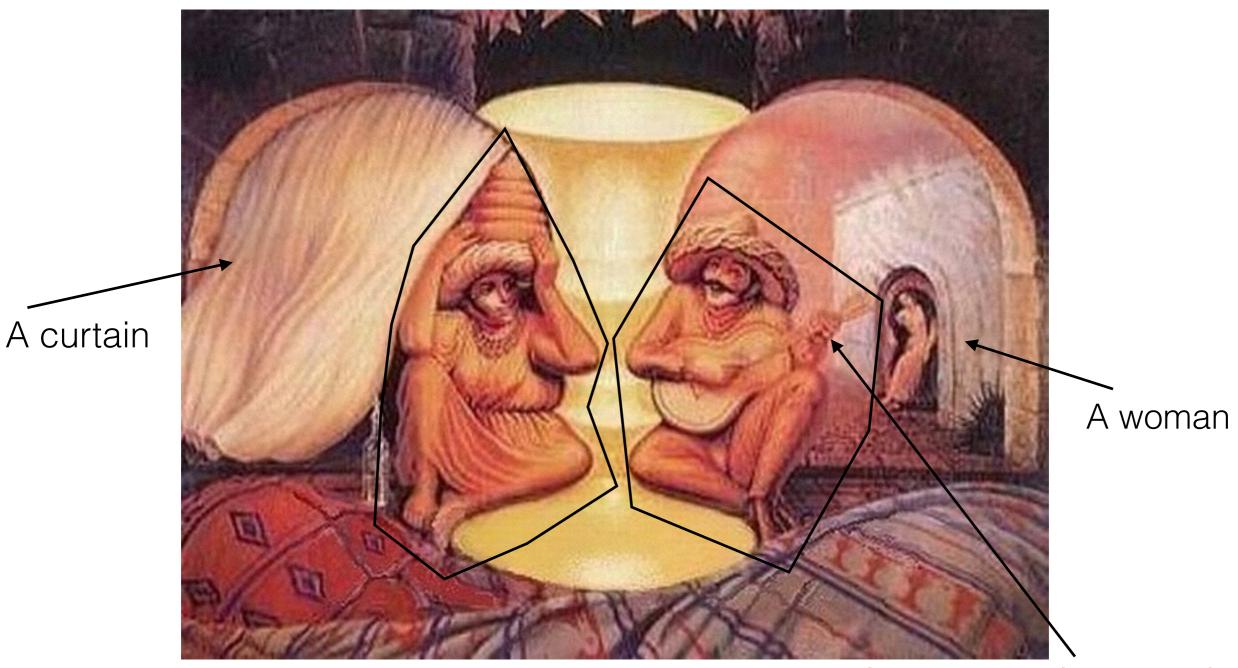


When light enters the eyes it first passes through the lens before reaching the retina

What do you see?

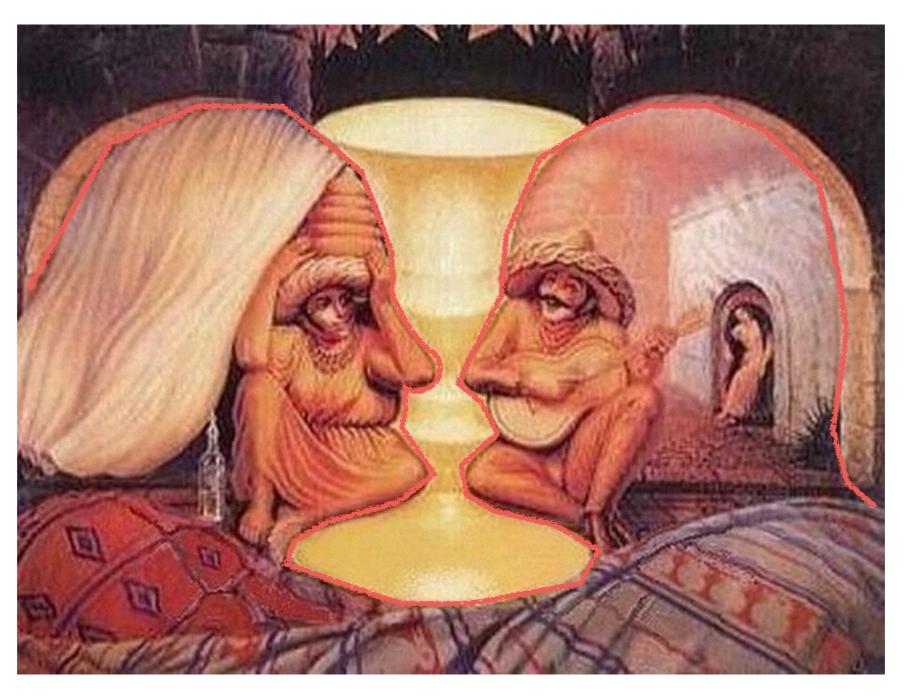


What do you see?



A man playing a guitar

What do you see?

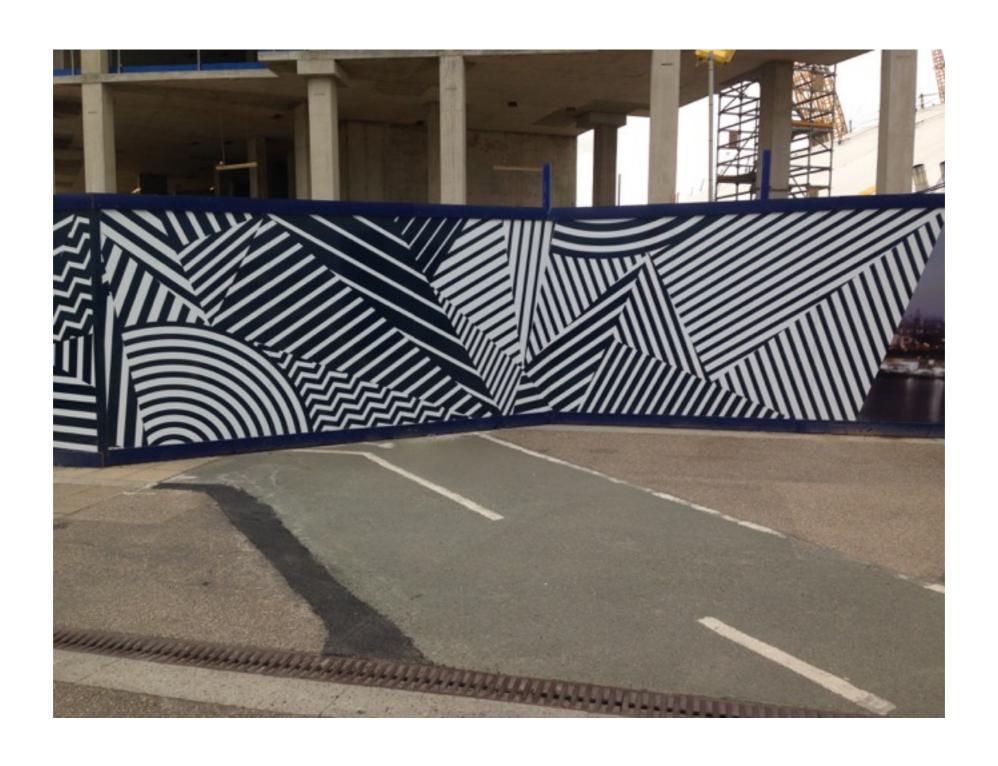


Two old couple

Past experiences

- A past experience could also influence how we perceive what we see
- For example if an art student and a business student look at an apple tree there is a likely chance they will see and think differently
- the art student might look at the colour and the shapes
- while the business student might look at how that apple tree could potentially become a commission

Due to past experiences and visual perception we all see different things when we look at the shapes on the wall.



Similarity

: a similar feature or aspect.

the state or fact of being similar.

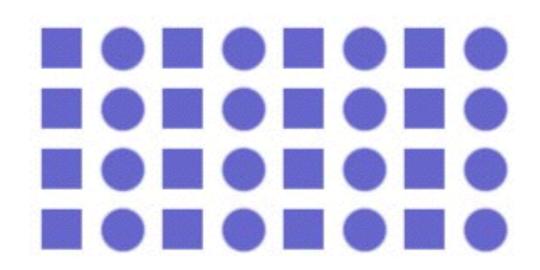


for example all of these fruits are apples which is there similarity but they are all different at the same time.

Law of similarity

:The way we group things together based on similar aspects (look, sound, texture, taste, etc.)

:Grouping fruits by what type of fruit they are, their size, their shape and their colour.

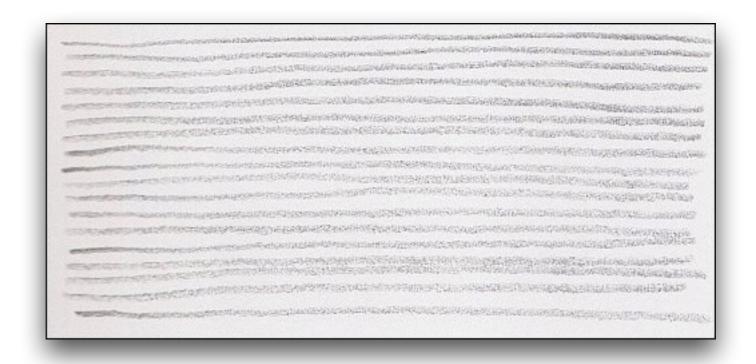


Similarities & Past experiences

- If you were shown a picture and told to describe the picture and what it reminded you of you would have different view point to someone else it would be similar description but it would be the same.
- Why?
- Because of past experience our past experiences shape the way we see and the view the world. you will appreciate details that i might not recognise

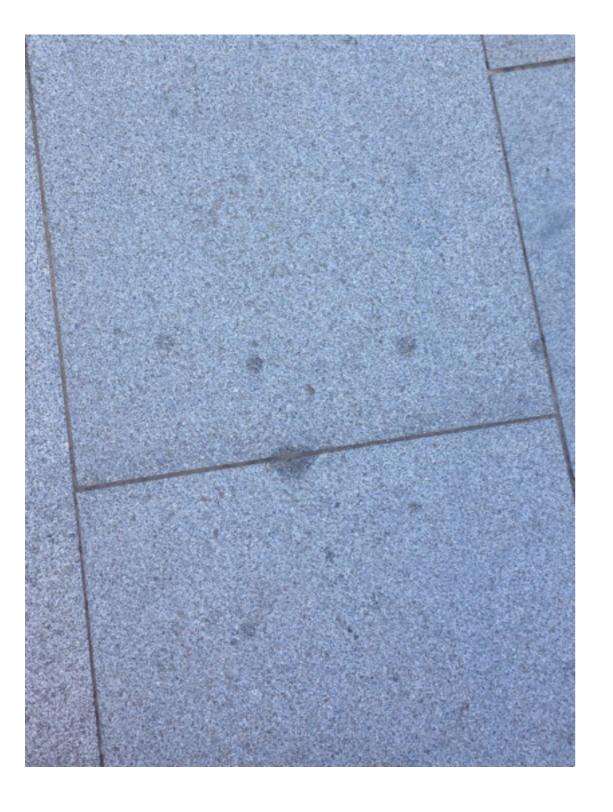
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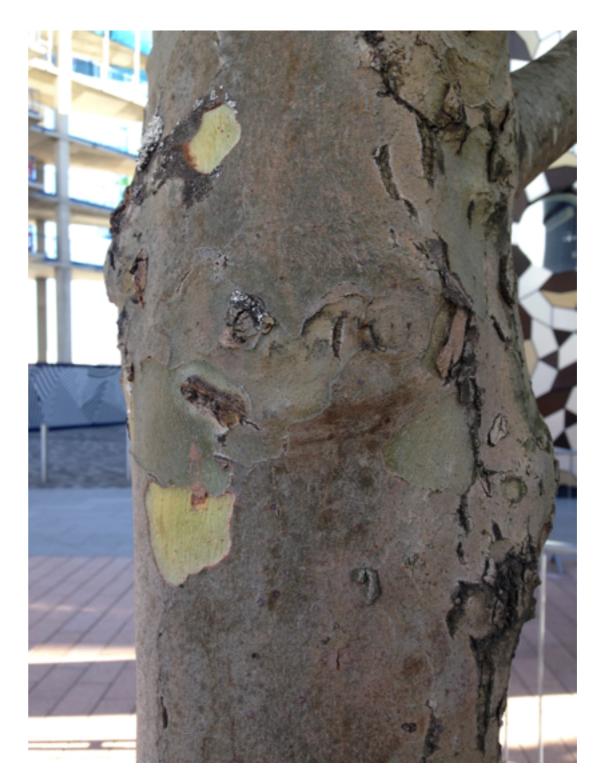
- everything in life is ultimately similar not really the same
- For example if you drew a line on paper without a ruler your first line wouldn't every look the same and the second line they might look similar but they are not the same.



Past experiences

- Our past experiences is said to only determine our behavioural patterns which in turn constrain the aspect of the environment that we perceive
 - Our past experiences affect our thoughts, ideas, beliefs, and also our action
 - Which would mean that our past experience would affect our visual perception





Thank you for listening