




# Beyond Web Development and GIS for Social Change: Critical Data Studies for Transforming Civil Society

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How are you feeling?

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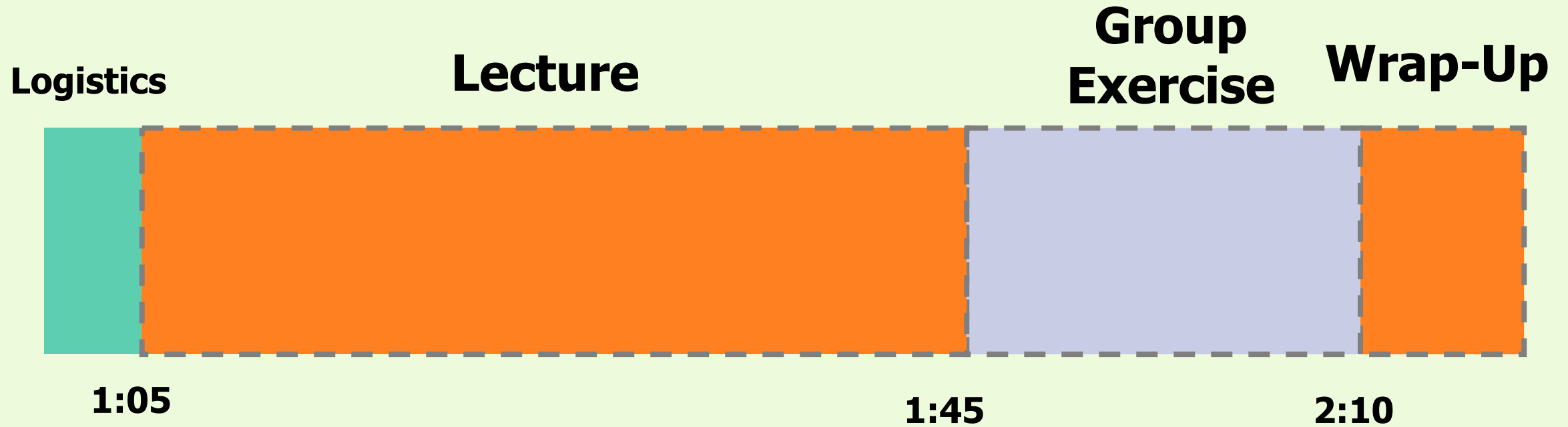
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excited!

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Top 50 Words Cloud

# Today's Agenda



# **Final Presentation Guidelines**

## **Point of the presentation:**

**Pitching the project to the audience, not simply demoing your website!**

# Presentation Guidelines

1. **Introduce** the project (< 30 seconds)
2. **Who** is the project for and why is it important? (2-3 mins)
3. **What** does your website do, and **how** does it empower people? (2-3 mins)
4. **Demo** of the website (or screenshots) (2 mins)
5. How would you like your project to be **used** in the **future** or **by the community members**? (2 mins)

[https://github.com/albertkun/21S-ASIAAM-191A/blob/main/final\\_group\\_assignment.md#presentation-guidelines](https://github.com/albertkun/21S-ASIAAM-191A/blob/main/final_group_assignment.md#presentation-guidelines)

**Theme of the week**

**Thank you for an empowering 6 weeks!**



# **Beyond Web Development and GIS for Social Change**

**Enough stooling for time!**  
**Wood you get on with the last lecture?**



# But don't forget this imbalance on technology



# A CAUTIONARY TALE



## MOBILE

# Google Photos will start charging you for uploads today

By Christian de Looper

June 1, 2021 5:31AM PST



Google Photos has been one of Google's most popular services ever since it was launched in 2015, offering unlimited free photo storage at so-called "high-quality." As [was announced in November](#), however, that's coming to an end. Today, June 1, Google Photos will begin charging you for any [storage over 15GB.](#)

**It's up to you how you apply this class.**



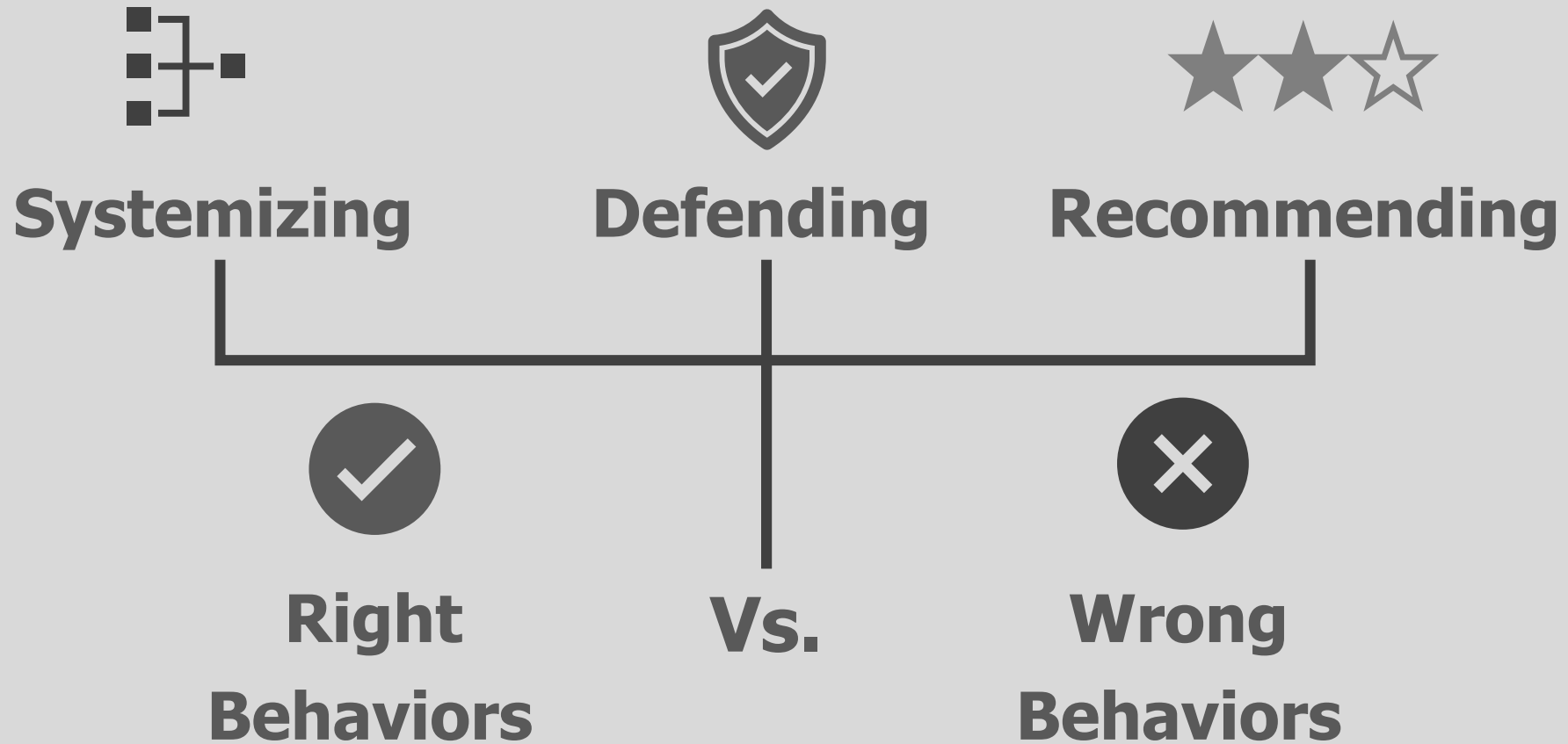






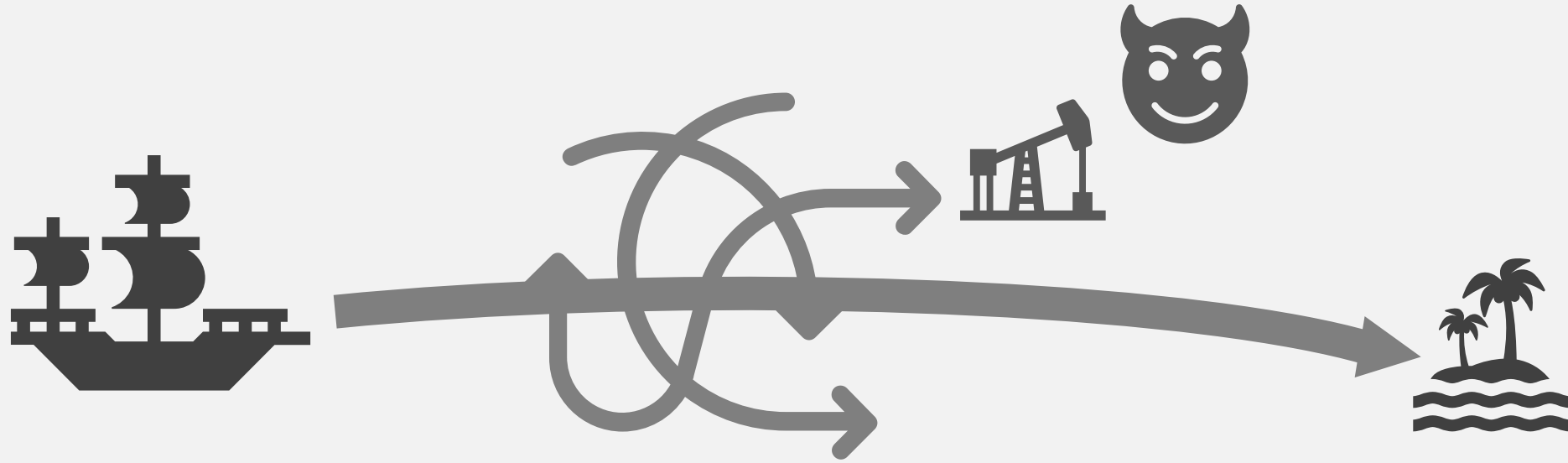
**Remember this?**

# Ethics is about:



There are no **right** answers in ethics, but just thinking about it is the first step in the **right direction**

**Why? Remember this?**



**Decide where you want to be going with your mapplication.**

**Or external forces will decide that for you.**

**Be intentional and thoughtful**

**Without your ethics, you are following someone else's course.**

# With ethics in mind, you are all equipped to explore!





# Open Source Web Mapping

## 3D Mapping



<http://examples.webglearth.com/>



<https://github.com/wrld3d/wrld.js>

## Complicated 2D Mapping



<https://openlayers.org/>



<https://d3js.org/>

<https://mappingwithd3.com/>

# Open Source Web Mapping by companies



<https://cesium.com/platform/cesiumjs/>



<https://kepler.gl/>



<https://carto.com/>

# Closed Source Web Mapping by Companies

ArcGIS API for JavaScript

<https://developers.arcgis.com/javascript/latest/>



ArcGIS StoryMaps

<https://storymaps.arcgis.com/>

Mapbox GL JS

<https://www.mapbox.com/mapbox-gljs>



Google Maps Platform

<https://developers.google.com/maps/apis-by-platform>

**For this class...**

**Web** development is not just about **code**

**It's about developing a web of connections!**

**To software**

**To communities**

**To ethics**

**To each other**

**Remember this?**

**Design is relatively easy**



**Justice is hard**

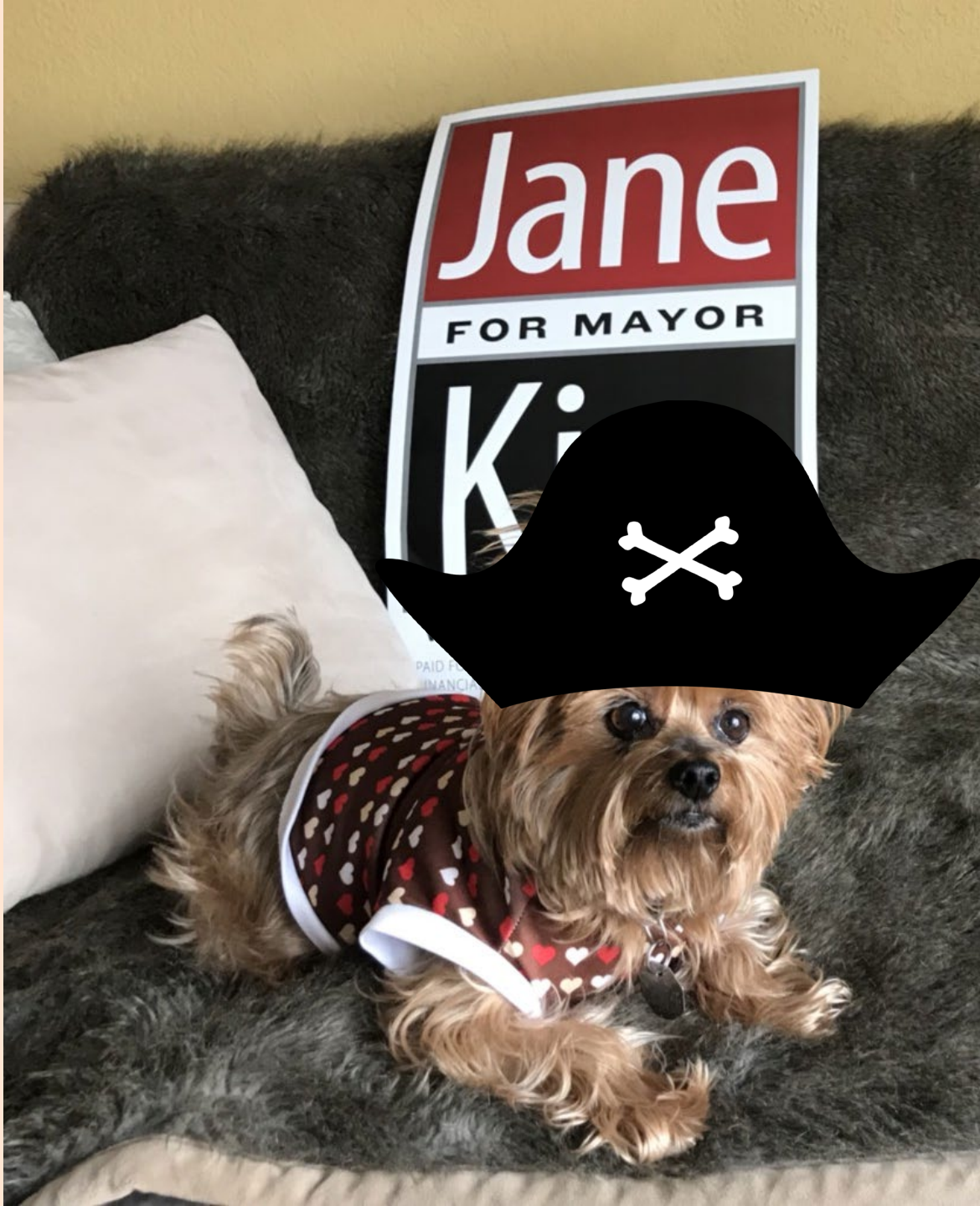
**But...**

**You don't have to go at it alone.**

**We are **Linked**  
together now!**



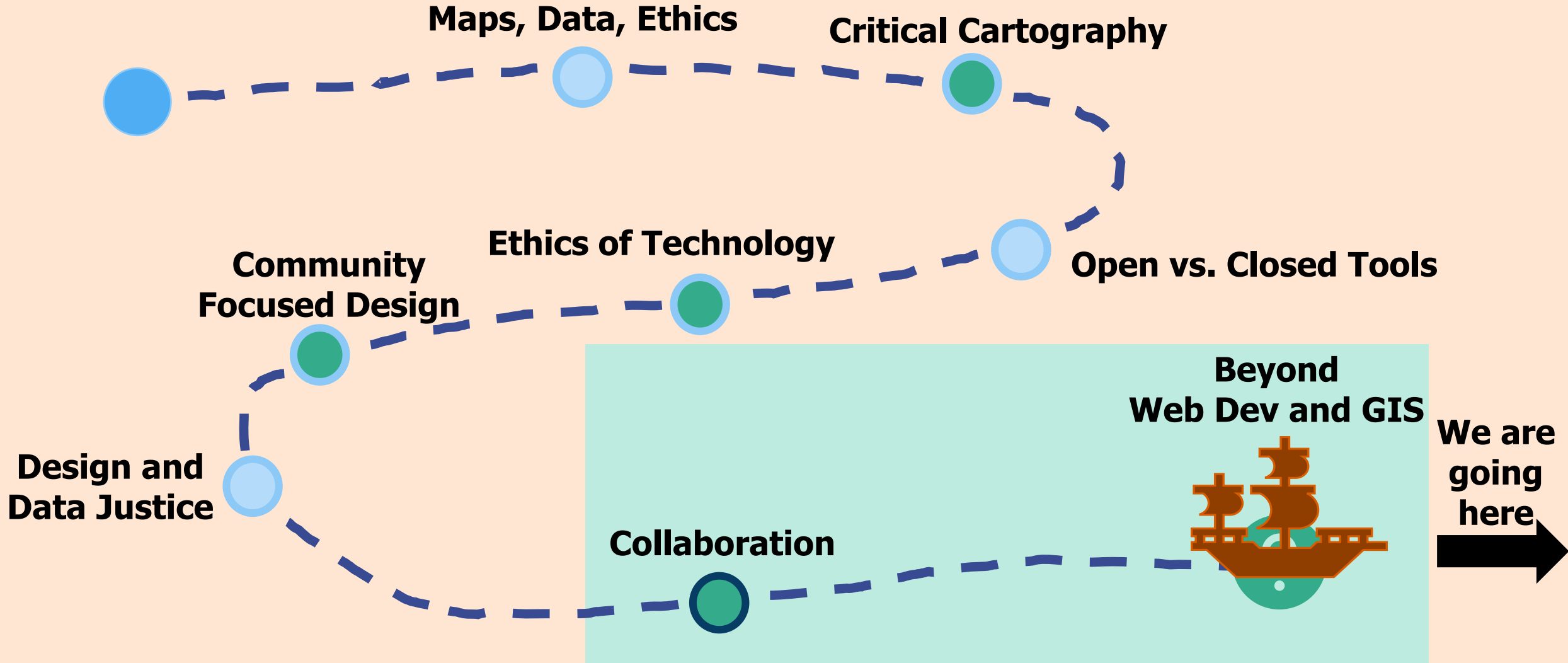
**Our journey has come to an end...**



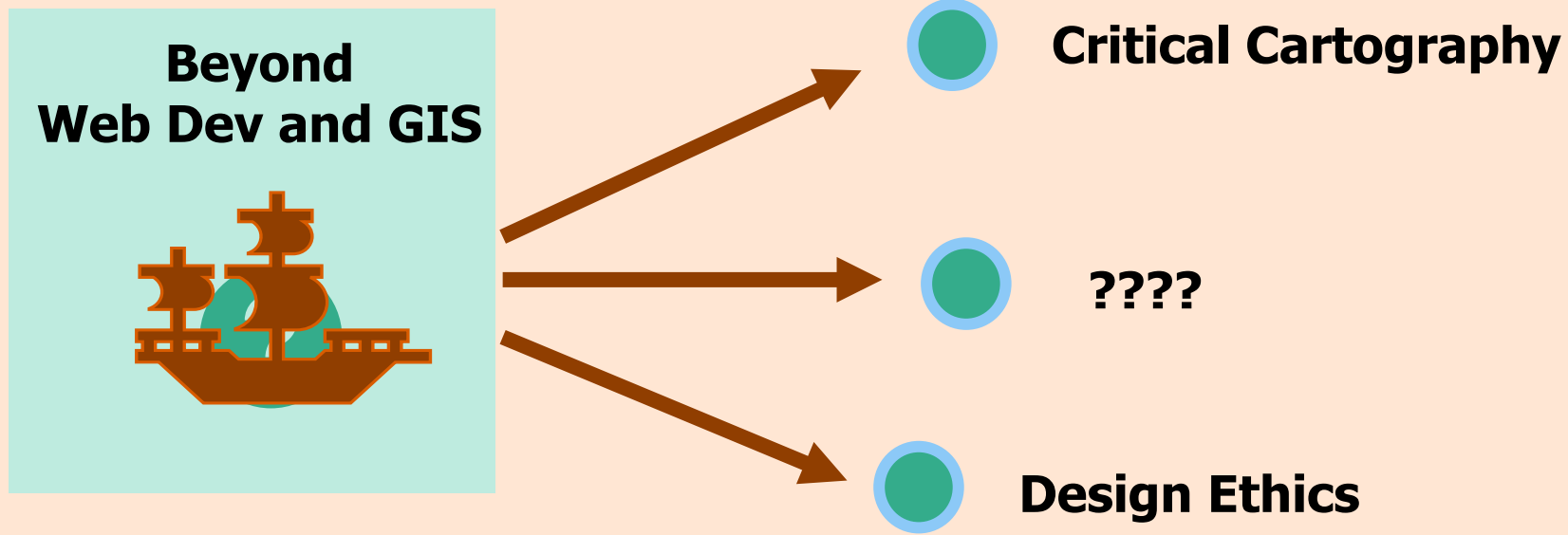
Hopefully it wasn't too  
(Yorkshire) Terriarr-ble!



# The Course



# The End of a Journey...



Is the beginning of a new one...

# **SUPER SMASH BROS.™**

**U L T I M A T E L Y**

**RelationShips**



**Remember this?**

# What is this course, really?

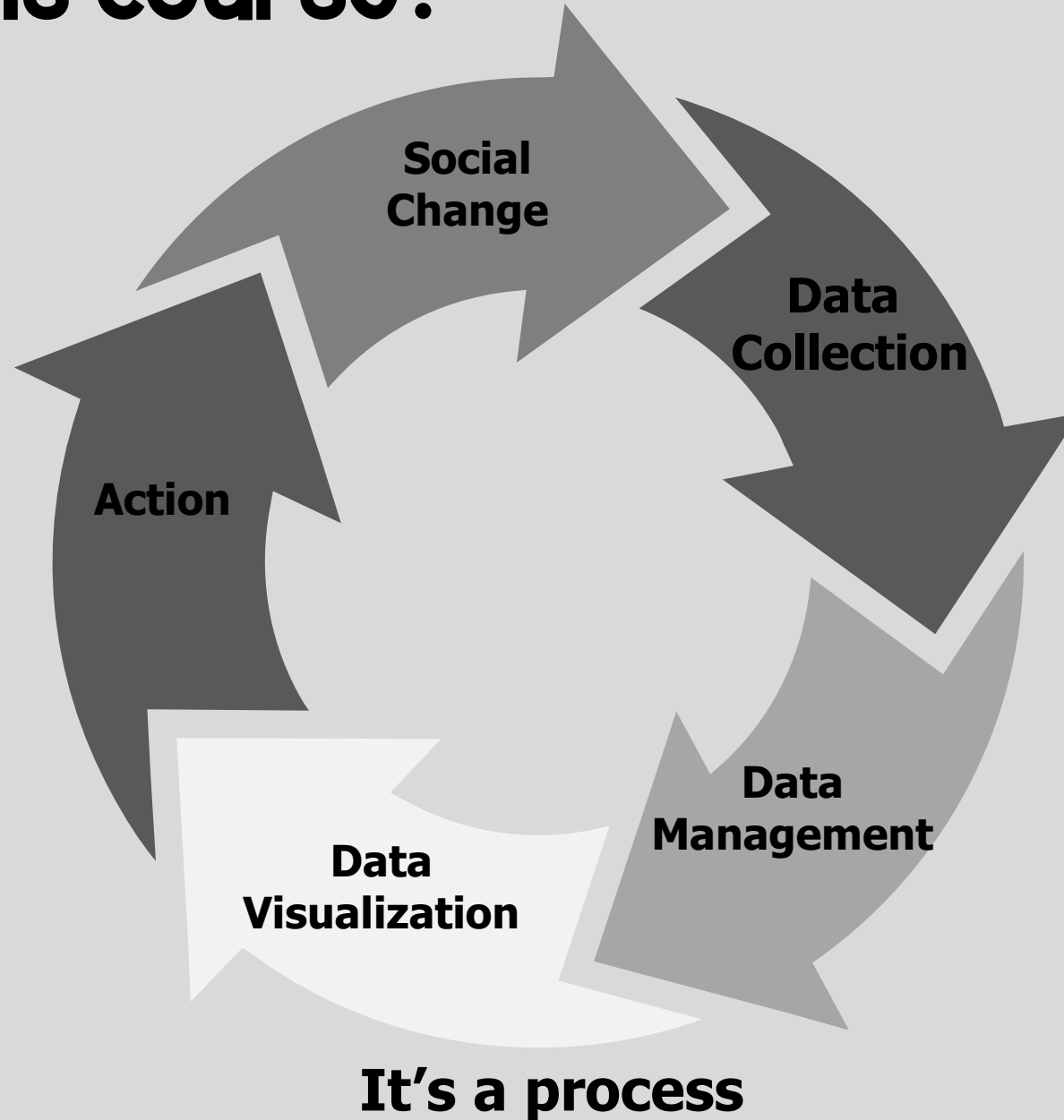


# Tackling social problems together.

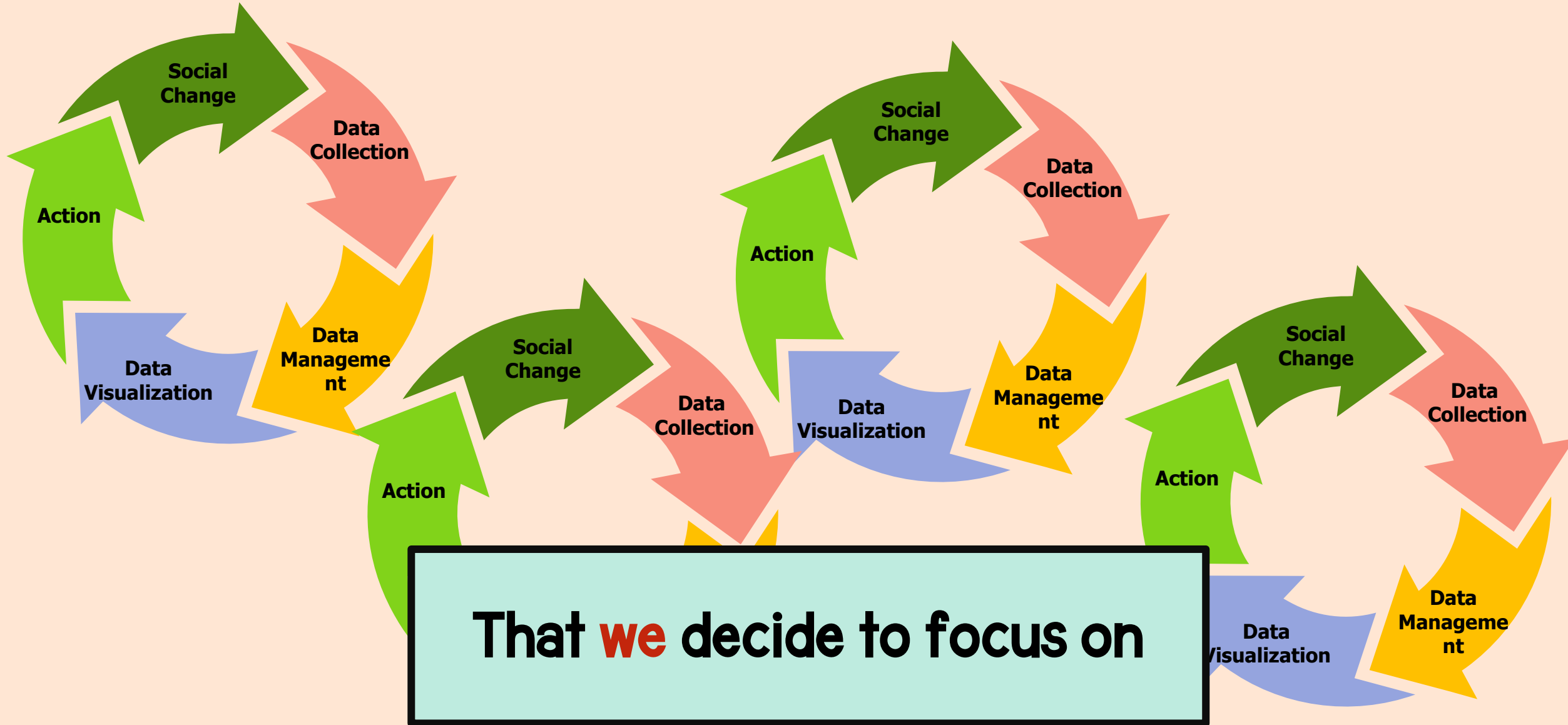


**Remember this?**

# What is this course?



# It's actually a collection of connected change processes





**Each Visiting Voice represents the relationships  
between us and social change processes**

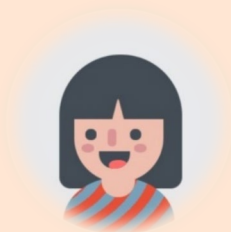
**WEB DEVELOPMENT AND GIS:**



**CODING WITH MANY LENSES**



# Each Visiting Voice represents these processes



# Weren't boxes separate from each other

Software development and  
design



Ethnography



Activism



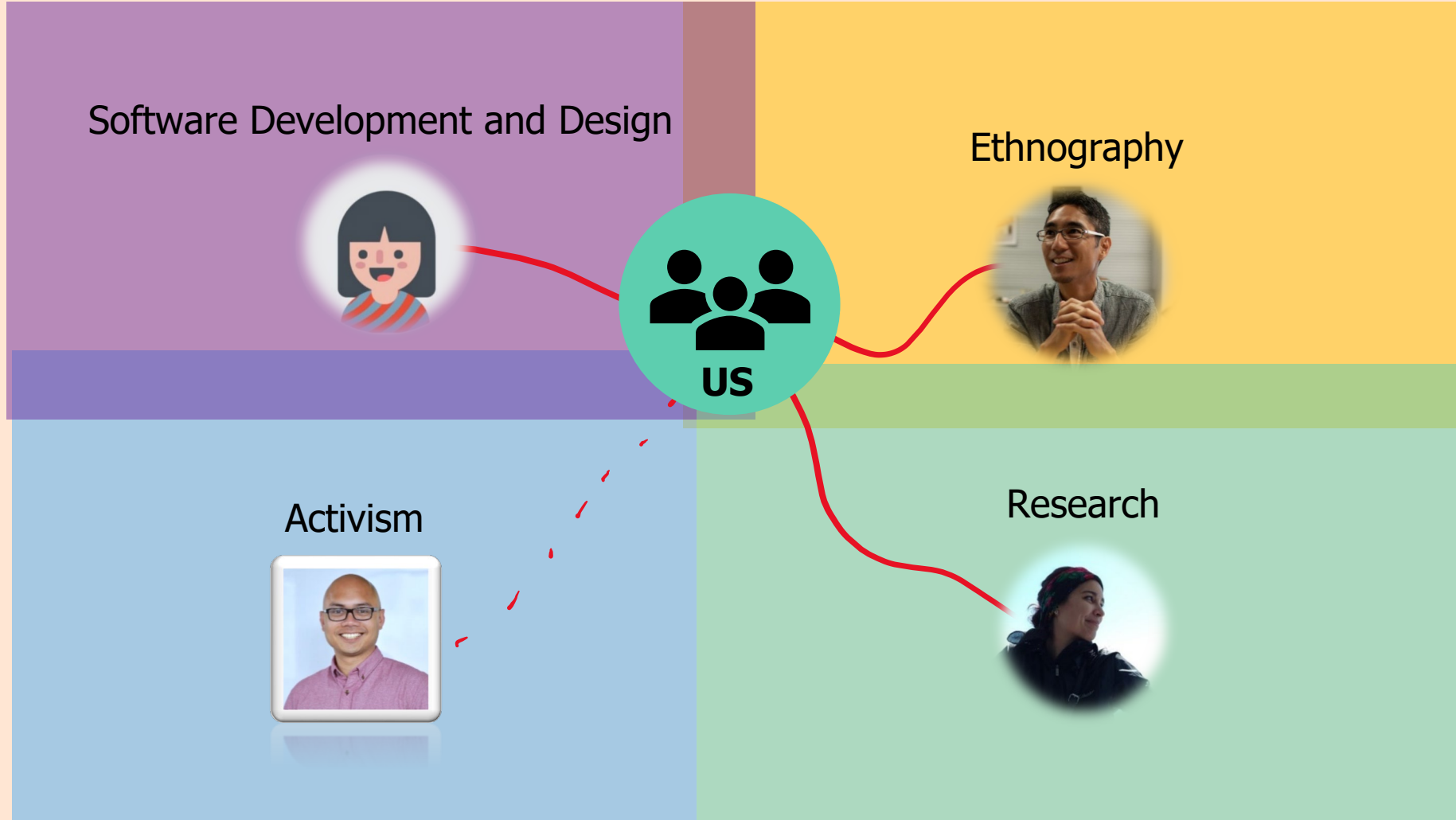
Research



# They are interconnected non-boxes



# Building our network together



**Point of the visiting voices:**

**let myNetwork += yourNetwork!**

# One more JavaScript for the road:

```
let you = "Your Name";
let here = Date.now();
let message = "You finished the course" + you;

if ((you) && (here)){
    message += "and you are now my peer!"
    return message
}
else{
    message = "I spent way too much time than I should have
    preparing these slides."
}
console.log(message)
```

**Time to flip the (Java)script: We are all peers now!**



**We should share our knowledge and experiences with those beyond this class.**

**Don't worry about...**

# Imposter Syndrome

# Impostor



Everyone

# Syndrome

# Remember: this class is a continual process!



**So, keep staying engaged!**

**How?**

# GIS



<https://gis-for-good-giscorps.hub.arcgis.com/>

# Design



<https://designjustice.org/>

# Coding



<https://www.progcde.org/>



**Each of those have a “get involved” page**

**Best way to stay engaged:**

**Try something *you are curious or passionate* about and *share* that with the community to channel your energy**

**41.18. Case in point today**



## NEWS

# As anti-camping zones return for LA City Council vote, some experts map impact of such limits

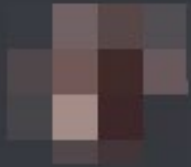
Team of public health researchers maps out just how much of city would be subject to such a ban, if the ordinance passes on Wednesday.

By **ELIZABETH CHOU** | [hchou@scng.com](mailto:hchou@scng.com) | Daily News

PUBLISHED: July 27, 2021 at 6:42 p.m. | UPDATED: July 27, 2021 at 7:20 p.m.

# How my involvement in this issue started:

June 29, 2021



06/29/2021

hi Albert! I was wondering if you're still around on Discord. We're in need of urgent mapping for the proposed 41.18 motion

# How its going:

 **Albert K** 🌹 @albertkun · 3h

As a city we already spend way too much on policing in Los Angeles, why pass ordinance 41.18 to spend even more and further criminalize houselessness? We should be focusing on providing #HomesNotZones and a #Right2Rest.

More info:

**Where can we be in the City of Los Angeles?**

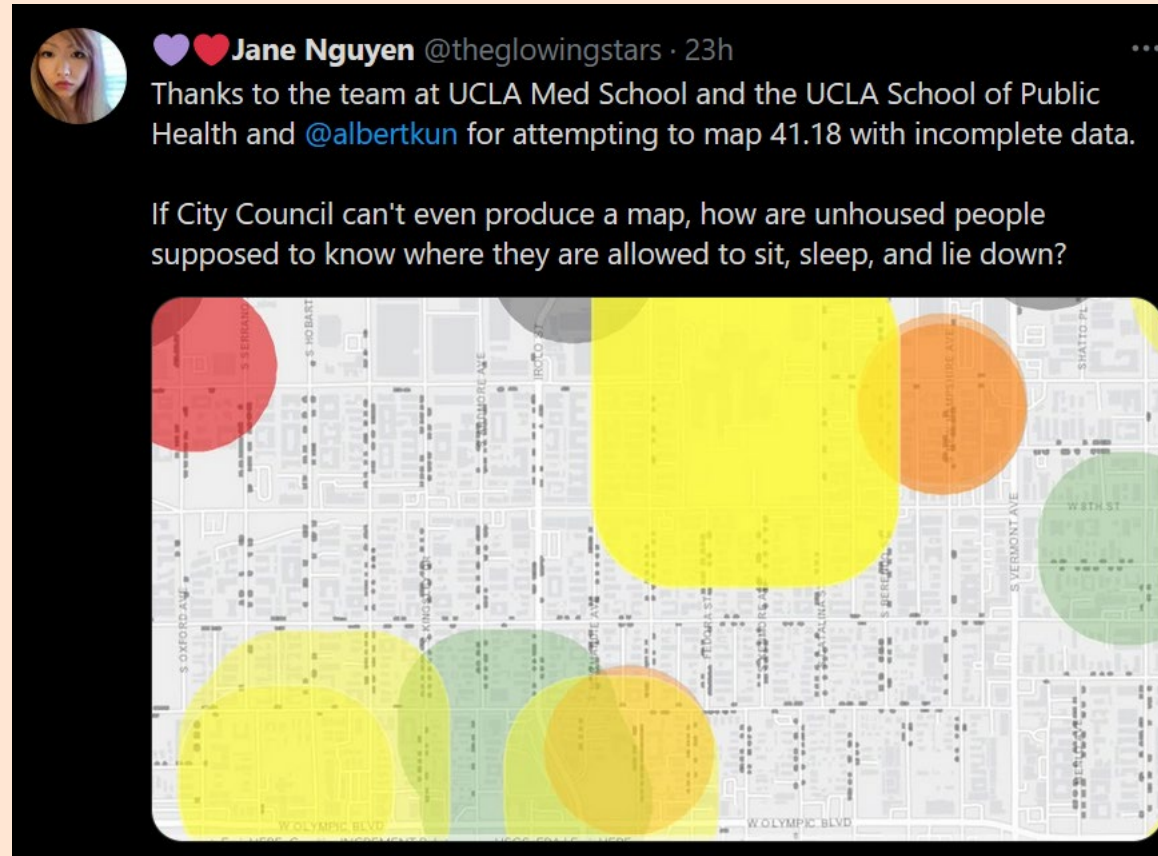


2 sections out of 11 in Ordinance 41.18 would **increase** the policed area of LAPD by about **10%\***.

What about the rest

<https://twitter.com/albertkun/status/1420217742766993409>

# Community Organizations are always welcoming

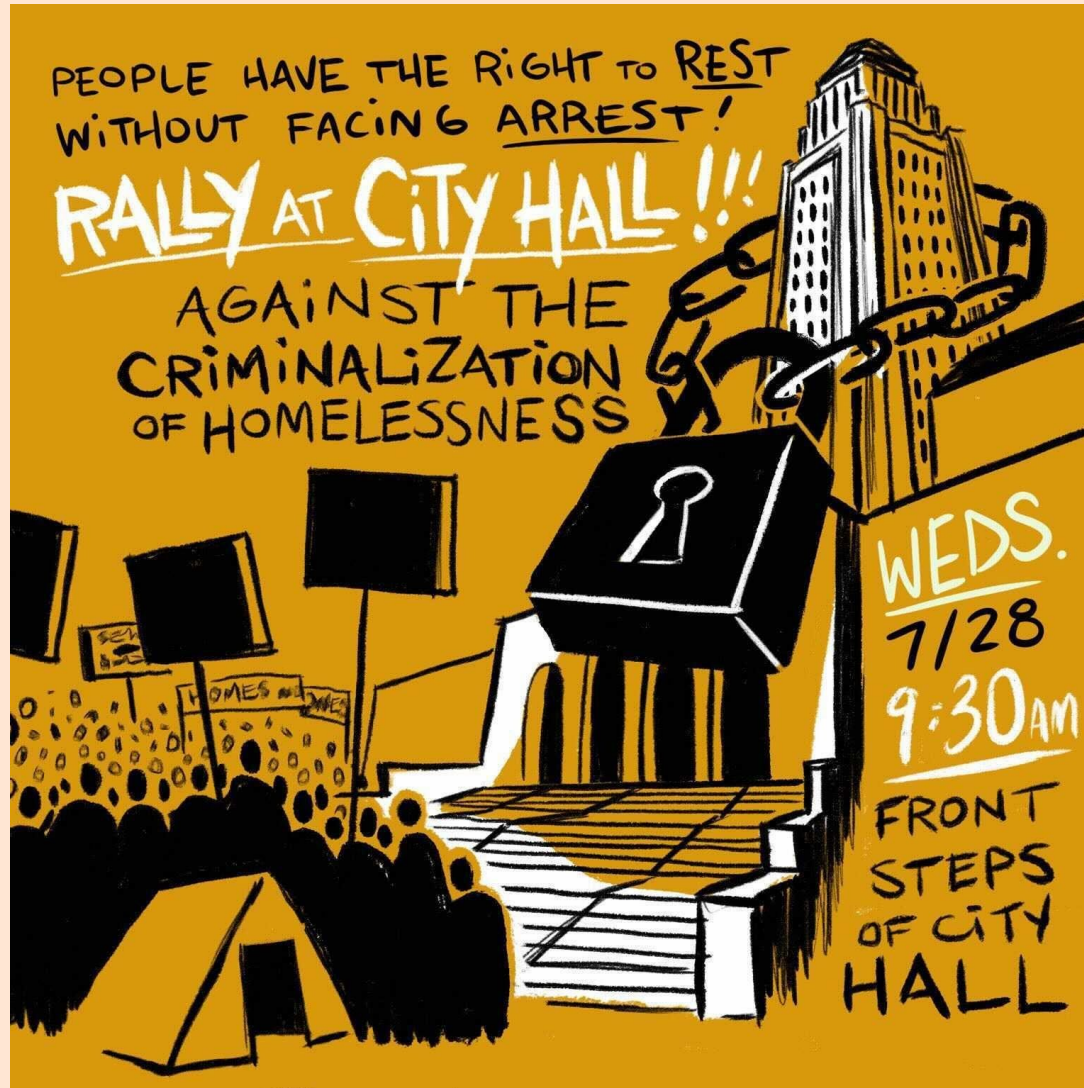


<https://ktownforall.org/>



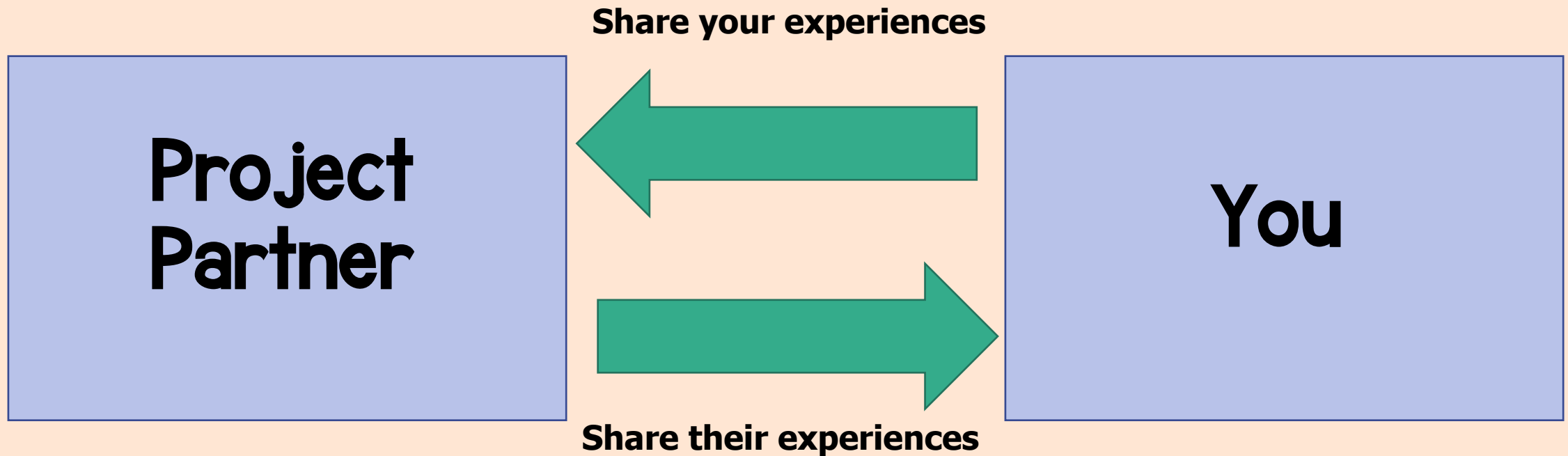
**You just have to find some time for it, so...**

# Let's always pass on that goodwill forward!

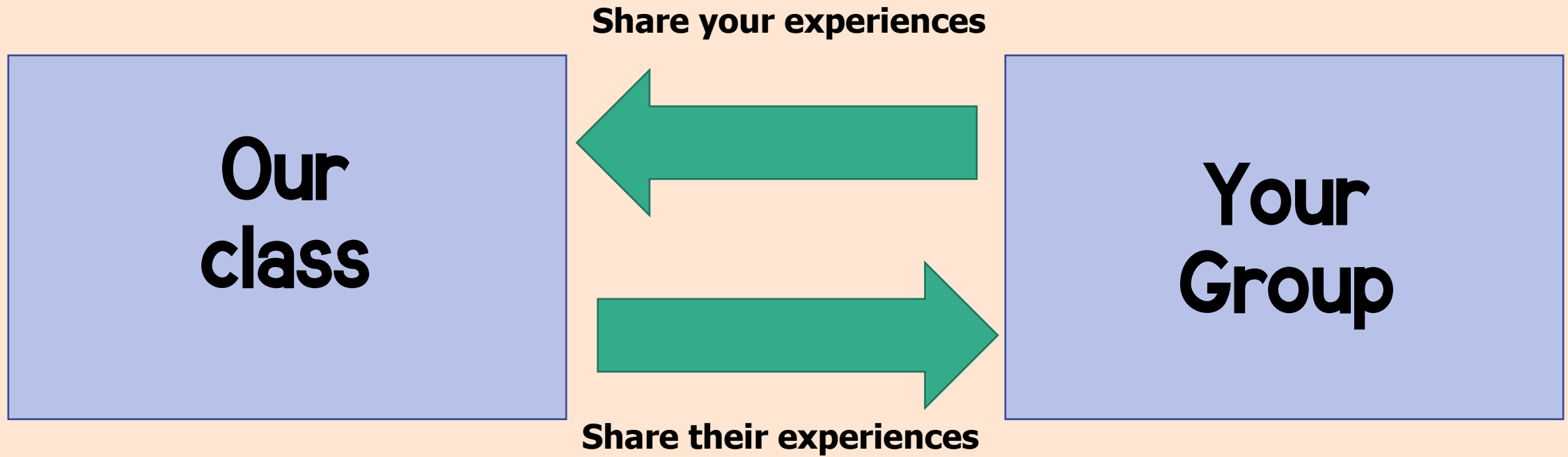


**The final project is your opportunity to put all  
this into practice**

# Final Presentations



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# Closing Notes

# Final Assignments

**Friday 7/30**

- **Rough Draft**

**Sunday 8/1**

- **Final presentation**

**Monday 8/2**

- **Extra Credit Thinking Cap**

**Friday is a group workday focused on  
feedback from the rough drafts**



**I'll meet with groups individually to discuss  
feedback**

**Class Material, GitHub repo, and Discussions  
will always be open source**

<https://github.com/albertkun/211A-ASIAAM-191A/>

**The Discord server will be around too!**

# **ALumni Newsletter**

# Staying connected after the class

## July "Welcome to Design Justice" Online Social

The [Design Justice Network](#) is having a "welcome" on July 10th, 5pm PST! I'd like to attend and also host a social event afterwards in the spirit of Lucy and not burning out, respond below if you'd like to participate in either the online social and the Design Justice webinar!

For the social I am thinking party games like, online pictionary, Jackbox.tv, and/or Among Us. We can also screen movies/shorts or raid Lucy's live stream! This event will take place on [Discord](#).

Register and learn more about the "Design Justice Network Welcome" here: <https://designjustice.org/events-1/2021/3/28/welcome-to-the-design-justice-network-meeting-1pm-et-gmt-04-rethl-sylde>

I'm interested in this event!

## Opport-June-ities

Here are some opportunities of interest:

### **[Paid] [June 21-24] [\$150] Asian American COVID-19 Public Service Announcement**

Breanne Hamilton is a producer local to Los Angeles and her team, [Lion Heart Films](#), is working on a PSA about the importance of the COVID-19 vaccine for

<https://albertmaps.com/newsletter/>

# **Final Exercise**

# Final Individual Exercise

**1. Live Share demo:**

<https://marketplace.visualstudio.com/items?itemName=MS-vsliveshare.vsliveshare>

**2. Go here and make a pull request!**

<https://github.com/albertkun/211A-191A-Git-Practicing>

**3. *(Optional)* Go to this Google Doc and find your name**

[https://docs.google.com/document/d/1MKUgUHEI8\\_6AQZH8RD\\_yksds3NzzTRAC-5AAHsA6EO0/edit?usp=sharing](https://docs.google.com/document/d/1MKUgUHEI8_6AQZH8RD_yksds3NzzTRAC-5AAHsA6EO0/edit?usp=sharing)



One Piece of last advice...





# Equivalent Exchange



Empowering civil society means that civil society empowers us all too.

**Remember this?**

**Our experiences and the communities we empower  
is objective.**

~~Equivalent Exchange~~



Above all that, the experiences we share together  
have no equivalence.

**If you are feeling low that this course is ending..**

Then let's end on a



note:

**This course never ends!**

**Why?**



**No matter where we go and what we do...**

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So, let's keep developing together!

**THANK YOU!!**

# Stay in touch!



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