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IDEATE

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Problem

During meetings, many voices often don't get heard.

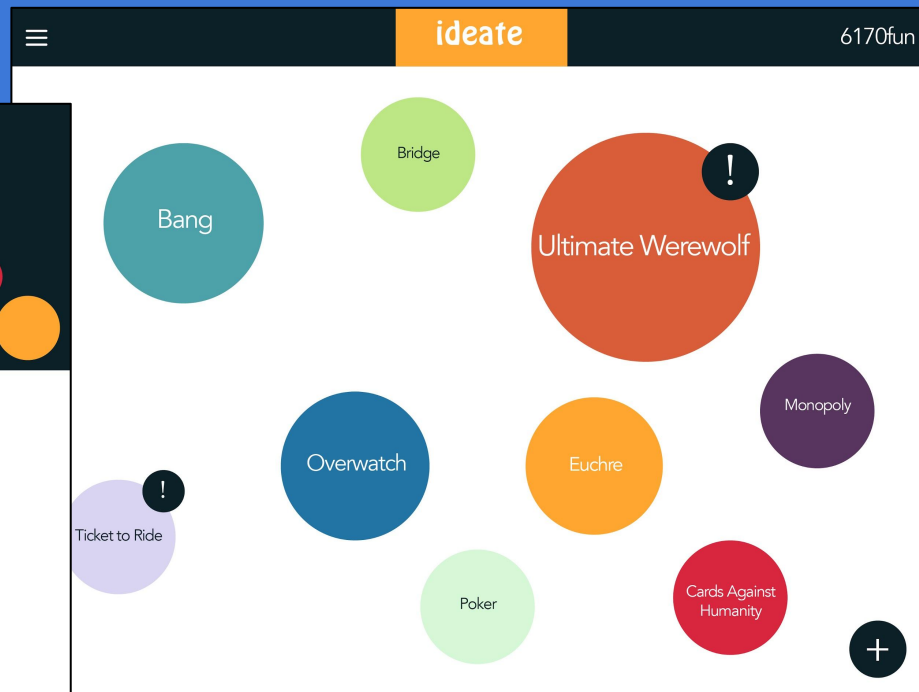
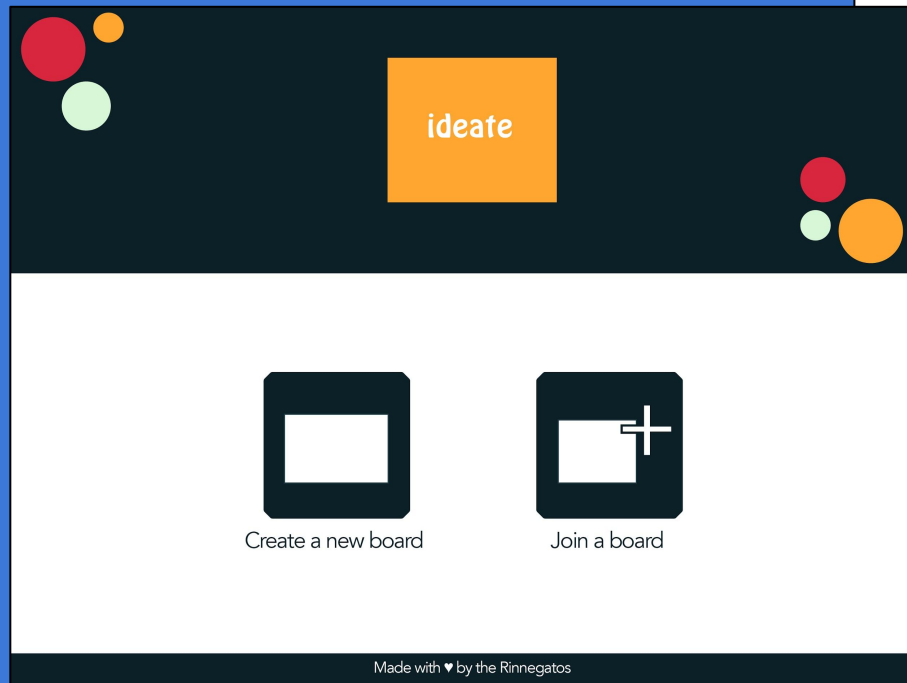
This can be because of several reasons:

- Some people are shy or have a quiet voice
- Issues of seniority between group members
- Unconscious biases towards certain types of people
- Not enough time for everyone to talk

Ideate solves these problems by allowing everyone to share their ideas.



Solution



Key concepts

Idea

- Lets users anonymously propose solutions to a topic
- Ideas are anonymously submitted and appear in front of everyone in the group on the group's Board

Board

- Allows a group to consolidate all their ideas into a single location
- Users submit ideas to a Board, which then displays these ideas and their popularity as users vote on their favorite ideas

Risks

Colliding ideas

- Two users might submit the same idea
- Let the creator of the board delete ideas to counteract this

Misuse of anonymity

- All anonymous systems have built-in risk, especially in settings like high school classrooms...
- Let the creator of the board kick a person that submitted a certain idea, but never reveal the identity of that person

