

Pre-research (June-July)

The Purpose of this stage:

• Decide project background and the artwork direction

1. First Proposal

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MSc Creative Making: Advanced Final Project Proposal

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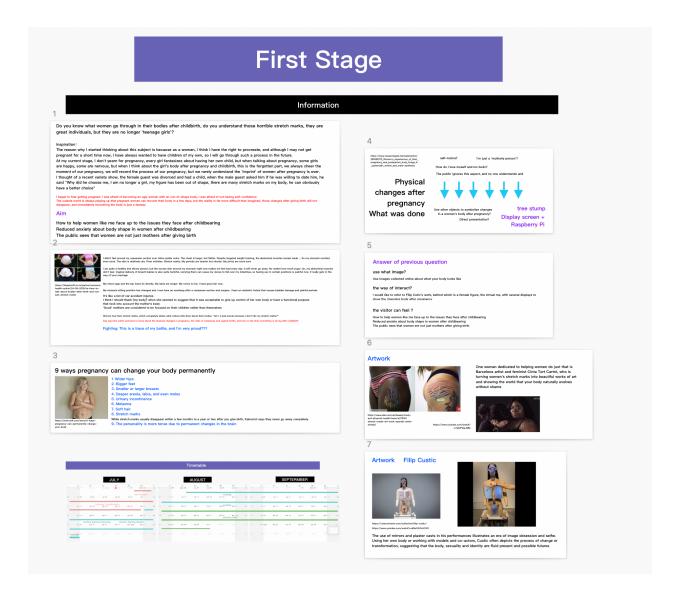
Research Background:

The female body has always been a constant topic of discussion, the traditional perfect body--slim body, tall height, but with the continuous increase in the discussion of the female body in the media, the female body is gradually becoming deformed in public opinion. In a book "Female Body Narratives in Visual Culture", it is mentioned that the body is a small word, feminism is a righteousness, the so-called pumpkin waist, elephant legs, such "body humiliation" is just consumerism enslaving women to spend money" A common means of creating an image. The prevailing economic concepts of "self-discipline" and "self-control" further rationalize the male aesthetic's gaze on the female body.

I want to accuse this phenomenon by retrieving comments on women's bodies on the Internet and combining real women's body photos to create different content of images through machine learning, and displaying these machine-learned pictures through the website; at the same time, I also want to Create a web keywords browsing[google chrome] tool to emotionally tag comments about women's bodies on the Internet, or display them on a website.

2. Meeting recording 6.23

Me:



Caroline Sinders:

- 1.think more deeper about your project theme
- 2.why use this topic , connect your experience
- 3.think about more information about this topic and then think about the way you want to show

2. 7.1 Meeting Recording

Me:

What

- the female body which discussed on the internet
- · traditional body [in china or Asia] slim body, tall height,white[let the female body bacome deformed in public opinion]
- · the male aesthetic gaze on the female body

How

·My project is as a woman's accusation of the excessive slander and insult of women's body on the Internet

this project can serve as an outlet for women to examine the unfair treatment of public discussions about women's bodies.

- ·my dataset might be about some somments on women's bodies on the internet then combine the real women's photos to create some images by machine learning
- ·recently , I just think about the way to display that [website/ vr world]
- \cdot if I have enough time , I'd like to reate a google chrome tool , that can tag some comments when user browsing the website ,show on the website

Research Contents:

- 1. Use second-hand information and first-hand research to understand the harm caused to women by the current Internet slander of women's bodies, and the meaning of women's bodies in feminist literature
- 2. Categorize various websites, and select the most defamatory website for criticism (the design is more centralized)

Caroline Sinders:

- How use image? the interact way?
- Help show the point your trying to make?
- How do machine learning to get there, what interaction?
- Body normize is not good?
- What image?
- How show are?
- · How people feel about that?
- Why machine learning?
- Fashion modle in their field?

Final Artwork Outline

The disciplined mushroom

A visual interactive installation shows a woman's eating disorder problem under patriarchal scrutiny

Introduction

The relationship between the female body and food:

It has been reported that the symptoms of eating disorders occur in women, and women are always inextricably linked to food, and the words feminine and famine present these two tight states

My experience:

In high school, there was a period of low self-esteem, fasting and dieting, and there was a period of special attention to the calorie index value of food, resulting in a tendency to anorexia now.

Purpose of the project:

The author insists on taking an ecofeminist position, discussing the health imbalance of eating disorders among women, criticizing the female body under the patriarchal gaze, and women's aversion to food in the process, and ultimately natural food waste and consumption, the author hopes to convey the natural value that society should liberate the female body and respect naturalness (the naturalness of the female body itself and the protection of natural resources).

Design direction:

(1) The relationship between the thin female body and food

Acquisition of image data/establishment of database

Reasons to use mushrooms:

- [1] During the eating disorder, the family remedy for the overall conditioning of my body, mushrooms can help digestion
- [2] The metaphor of the image, the metaphor of sex
- [3] The Matsutake of Doom mentions the deconstruction of the original dualism from the perspective of natural feminism; Matsutake represents feminist intentions;

Technology:

- Machine learning (VQGAN+CLIP) presents a distorted image of a mushroom woman
- Use Unity to show virtual AR inside a physical mushroom
- Two Video, both ends of the scene built by Blender
- Use distance to control the switching of the two videos