PROCESS BOOK

Pei Jung Ho

PROJECT 1 Graphic Translation

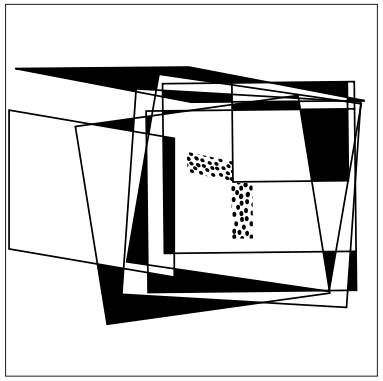
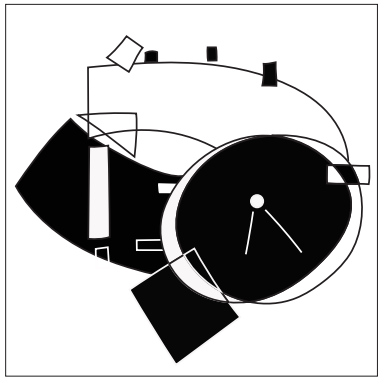
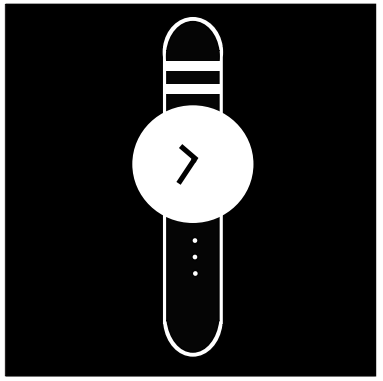
PROJECT 2 Spatial Translation

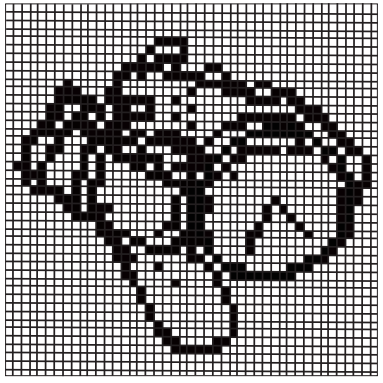
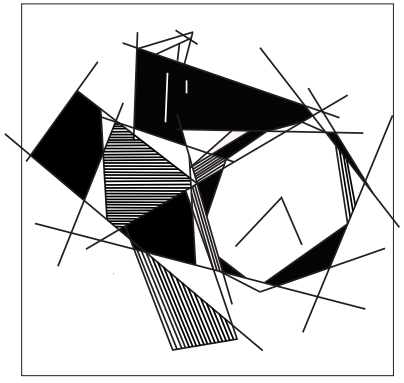
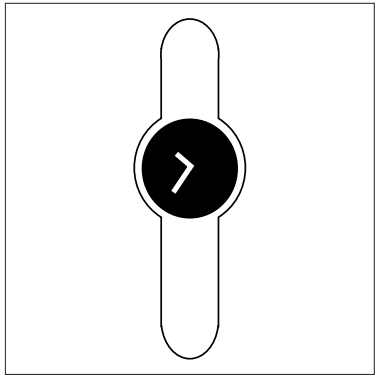
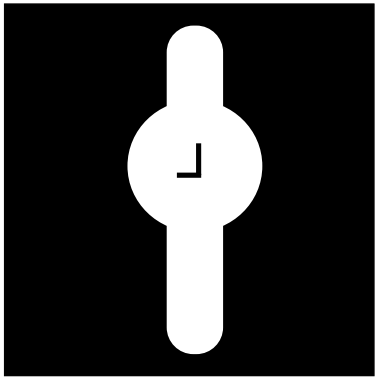
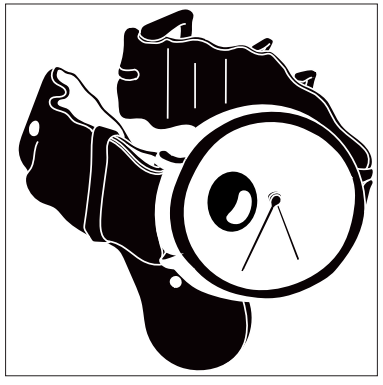
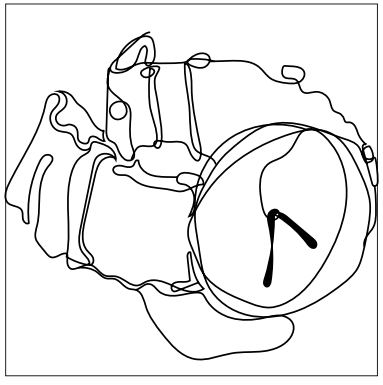
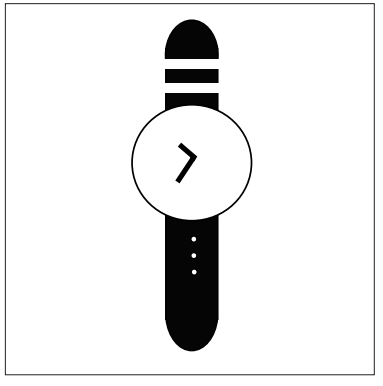
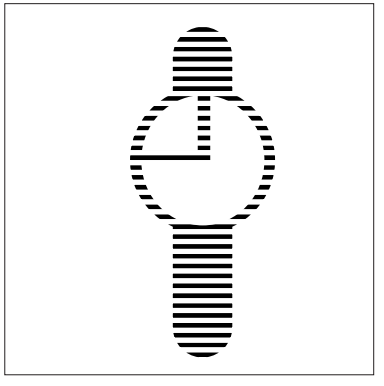
PROJECT 3 Contrast and Harmony

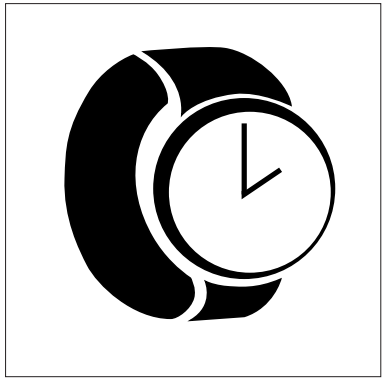
PROJECT 4 Hello MICA!

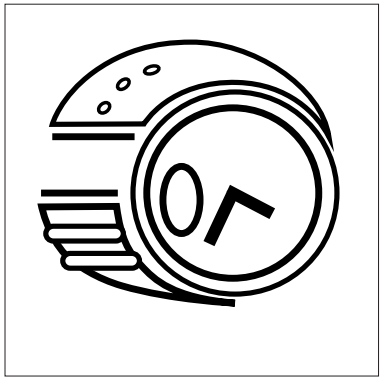
Graphic Design I Spring 2017

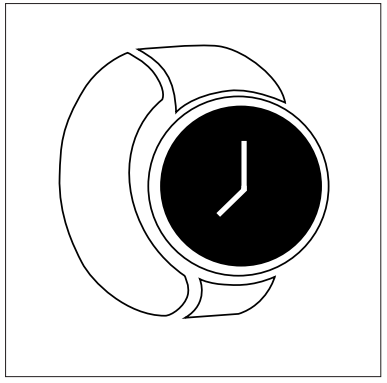
PROJECT 1 research and ideation- watch icon iteration

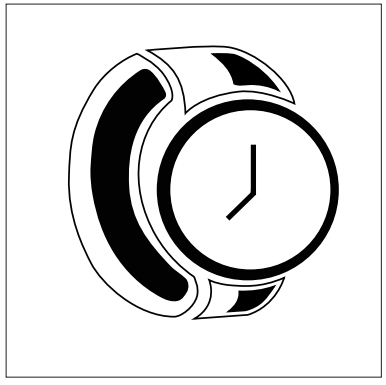
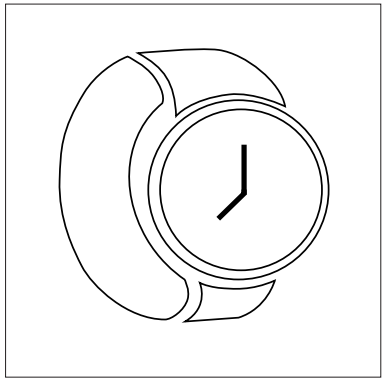




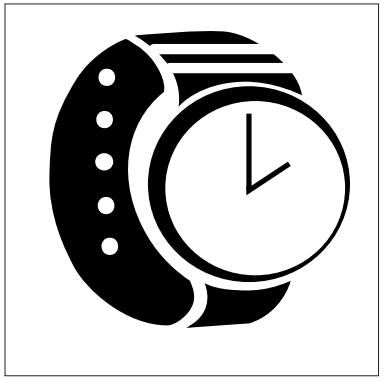









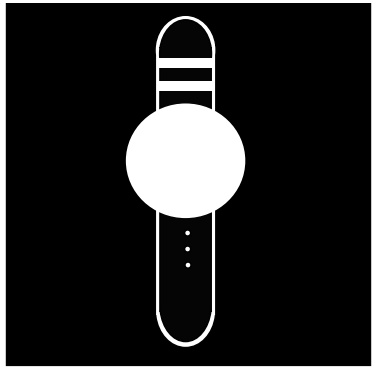
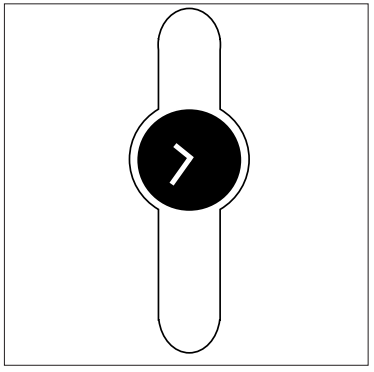
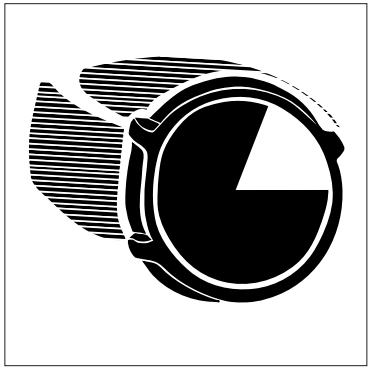
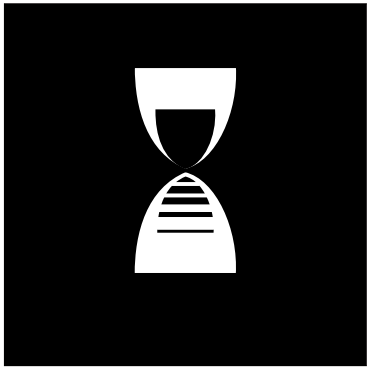
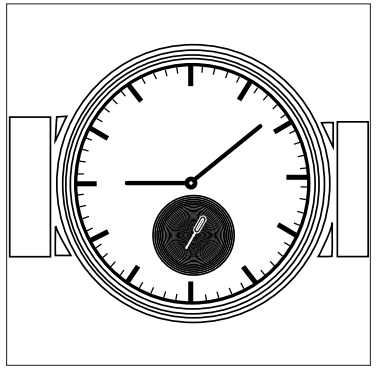
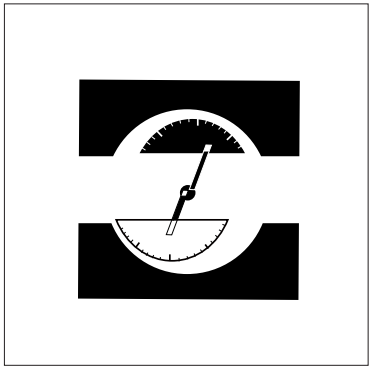
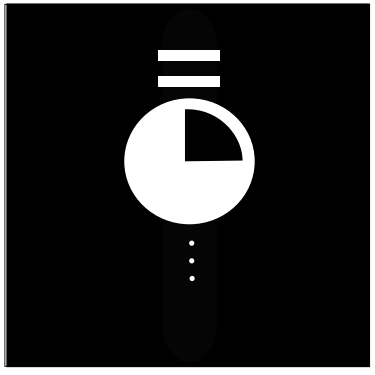
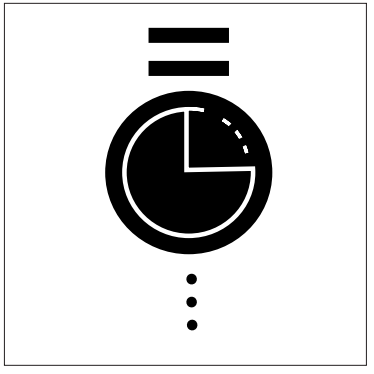
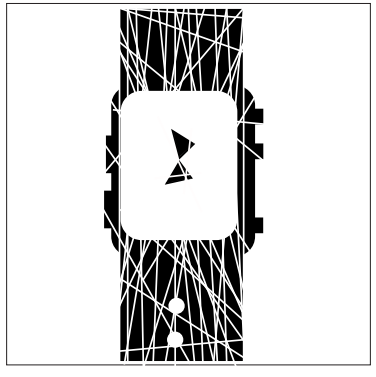
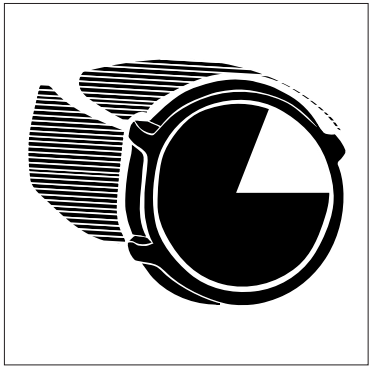
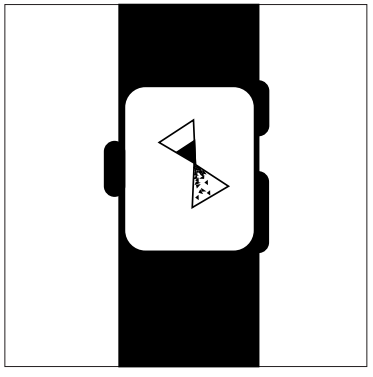
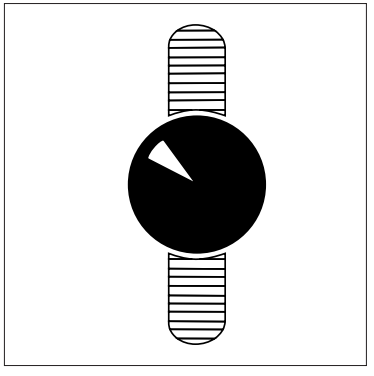


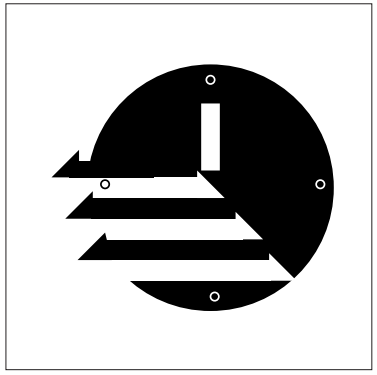


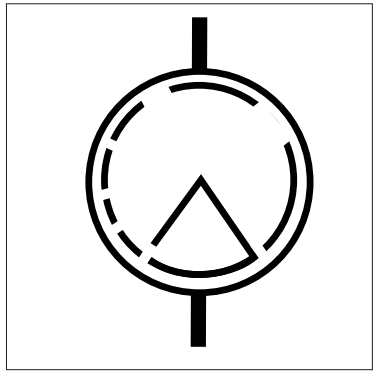


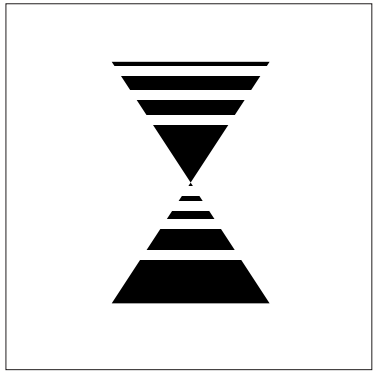



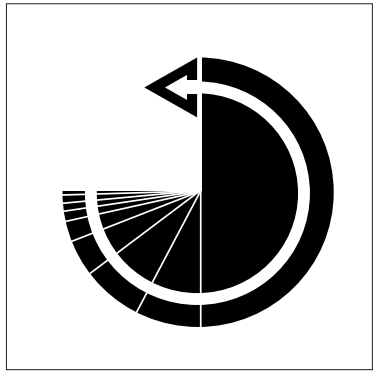


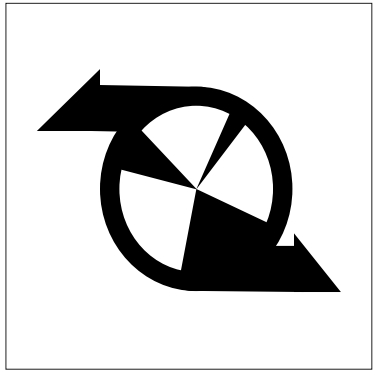













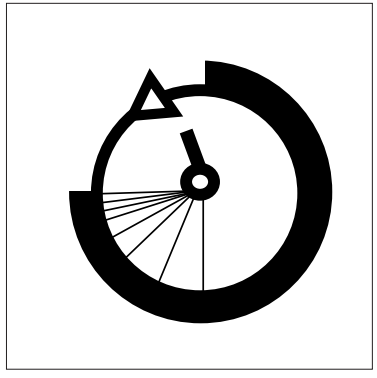




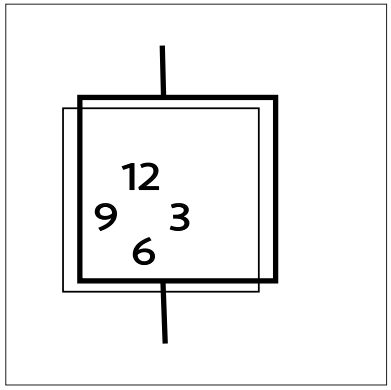


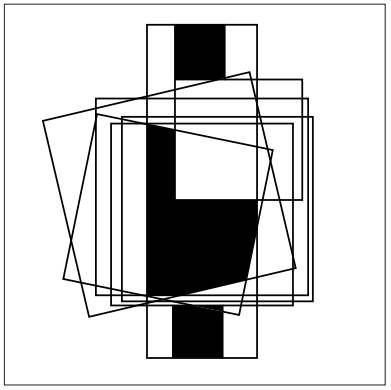
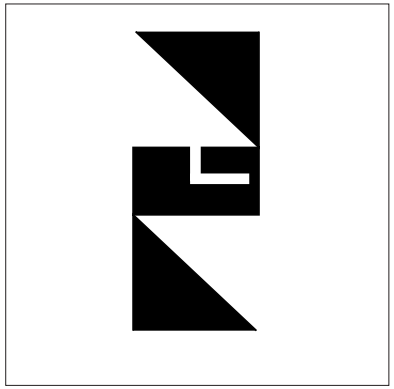
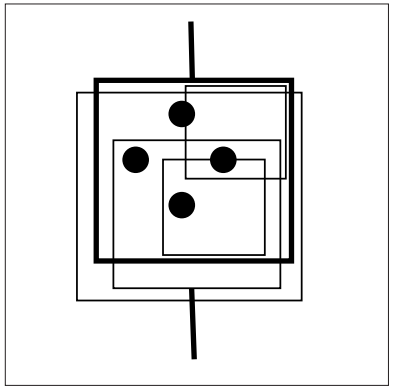
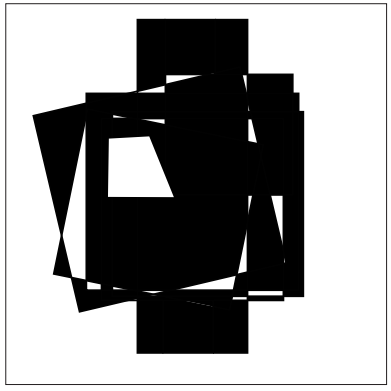
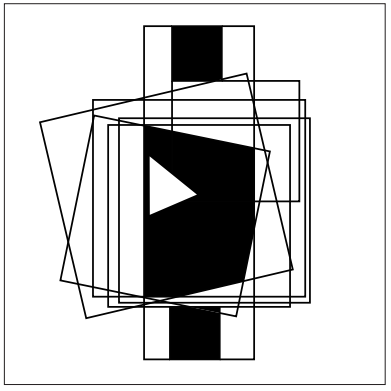
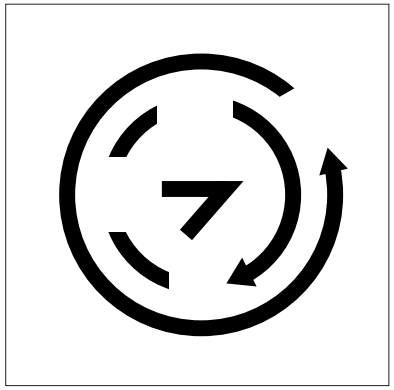
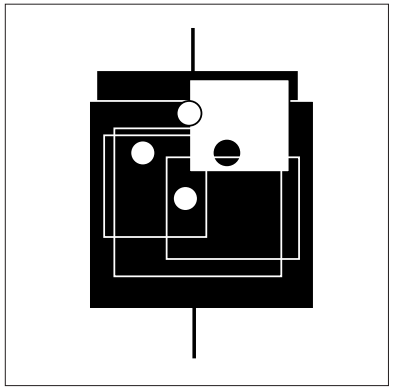
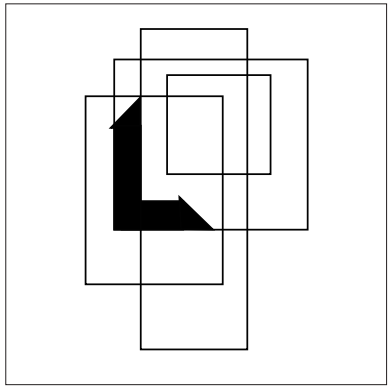
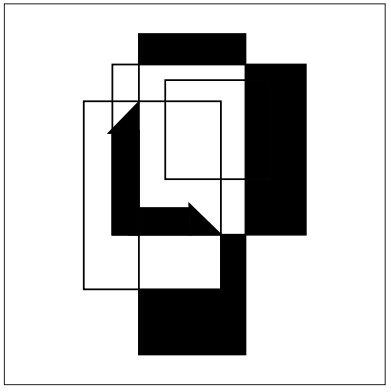
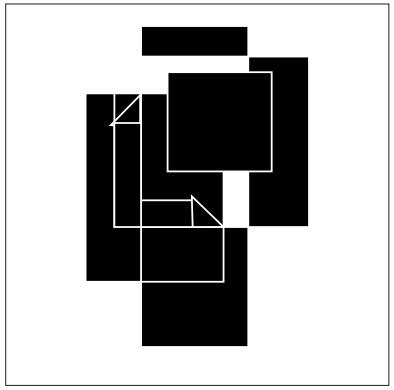
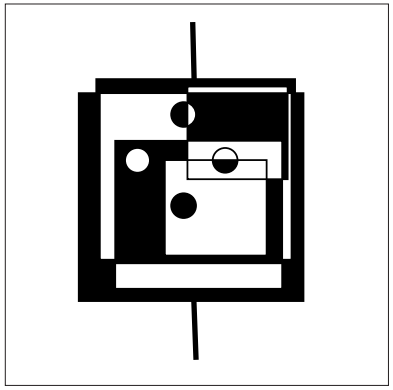


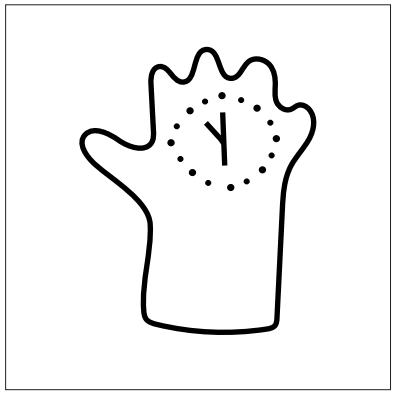


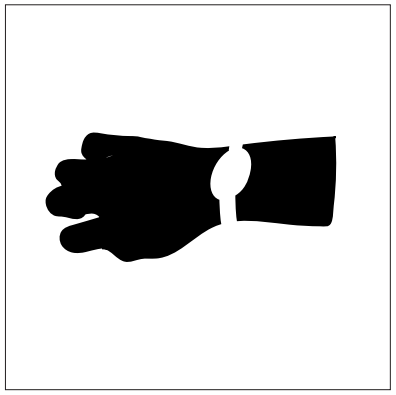


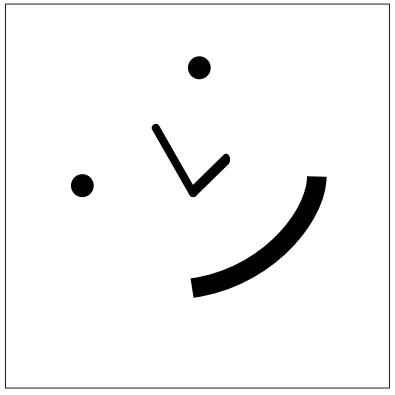
PROJECT 1 research and ideation- watch symbol iteration

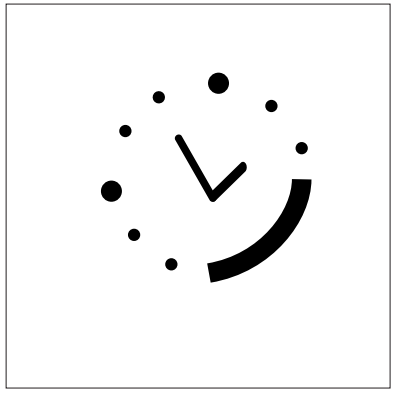


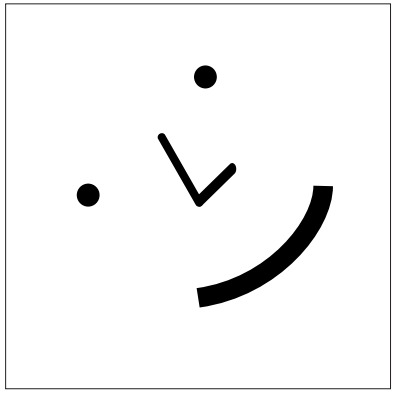












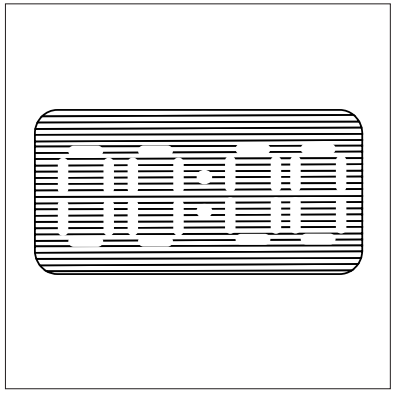


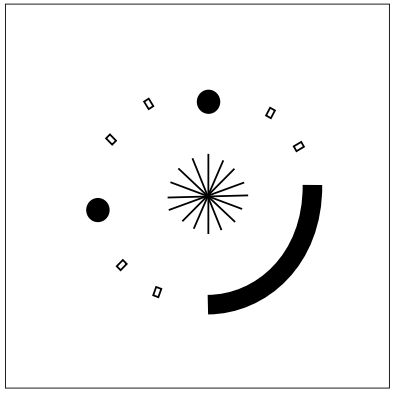


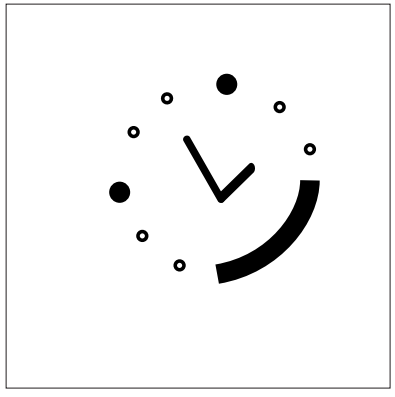


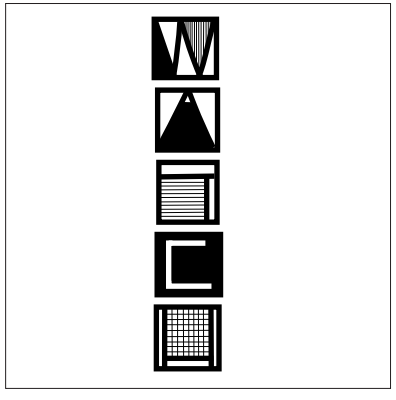


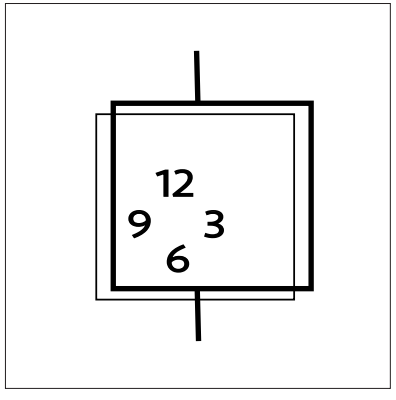


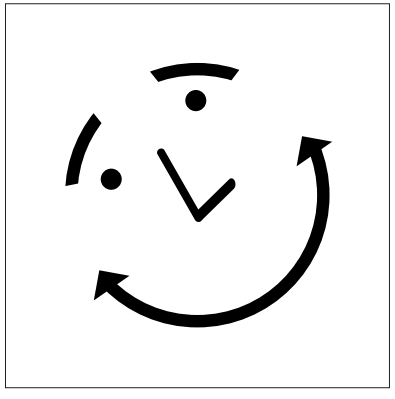


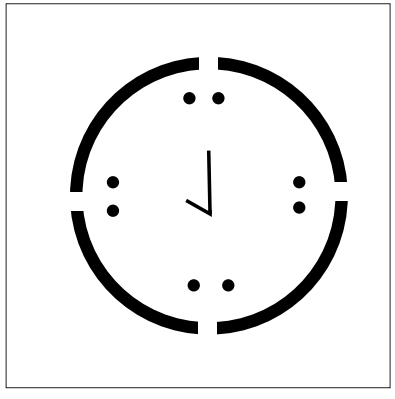




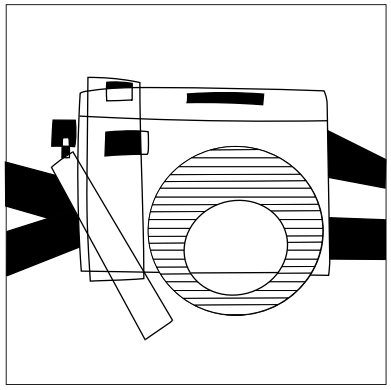


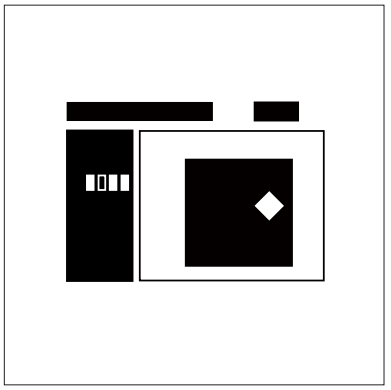
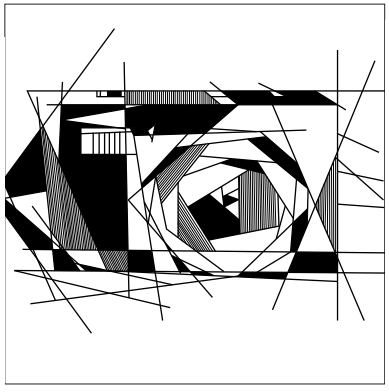
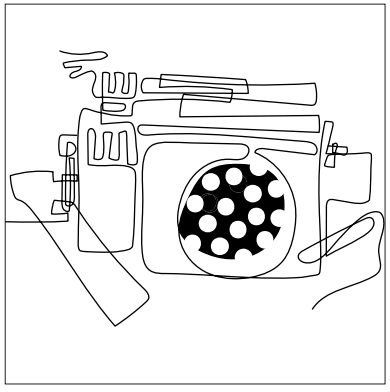
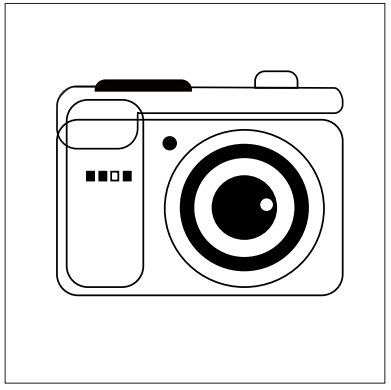
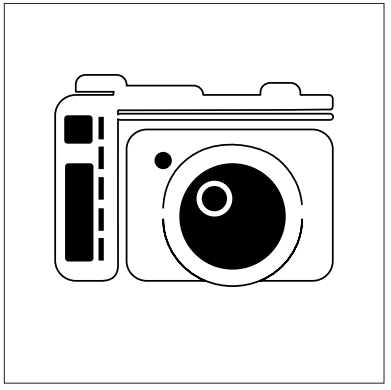
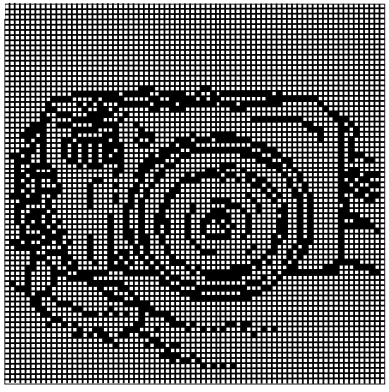
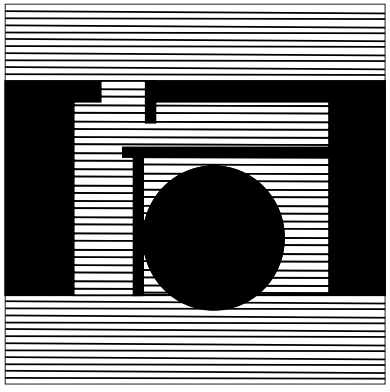
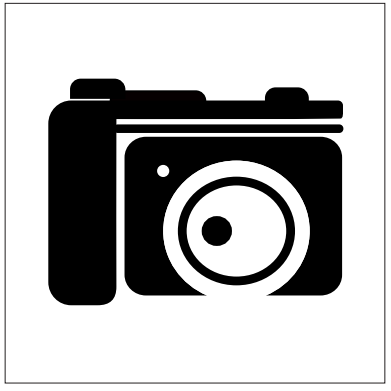
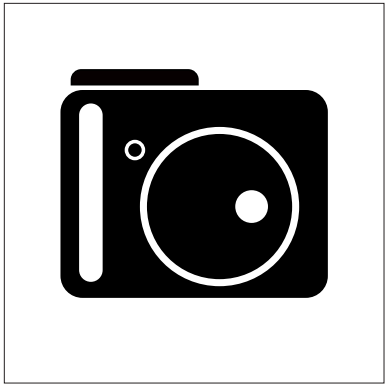

12
9
3
6



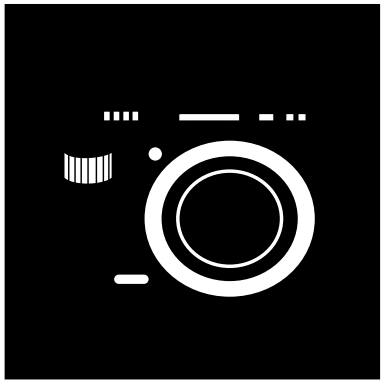
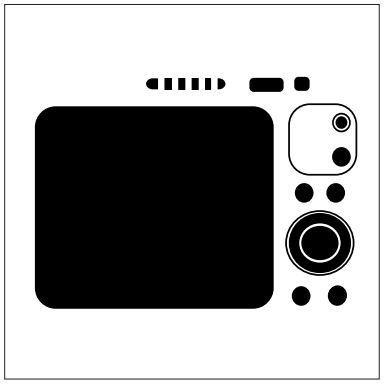
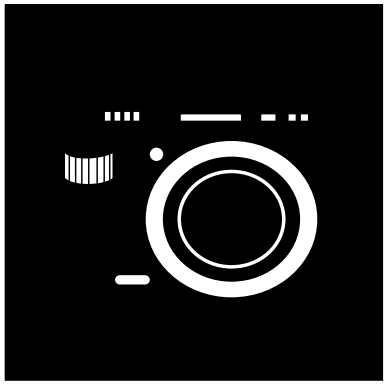
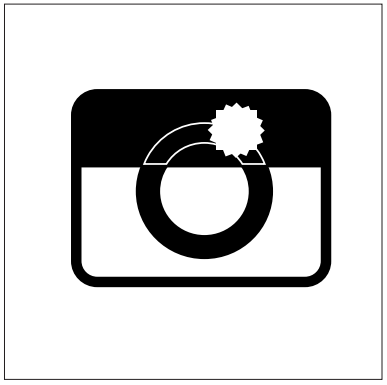
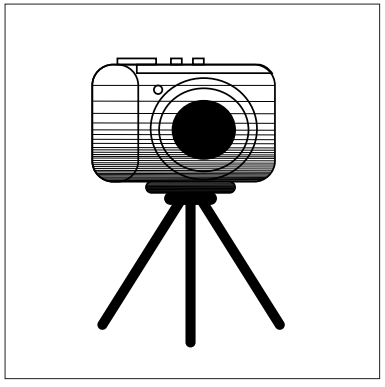
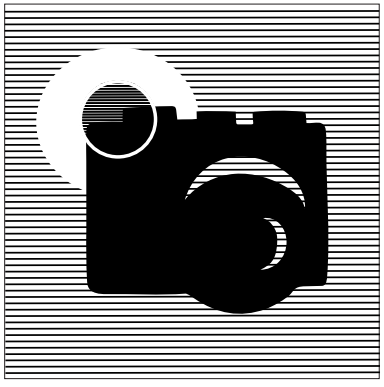
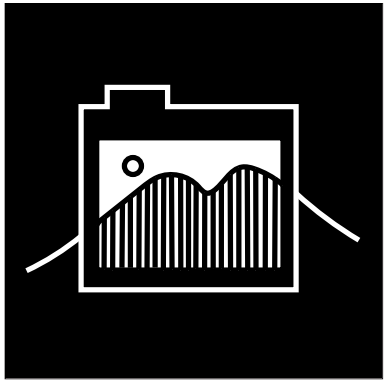
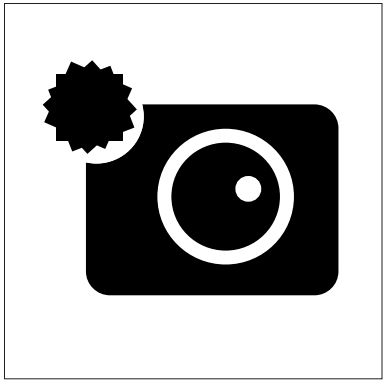
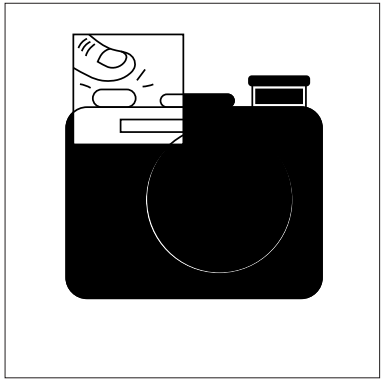
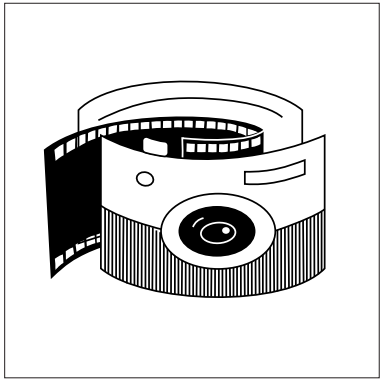
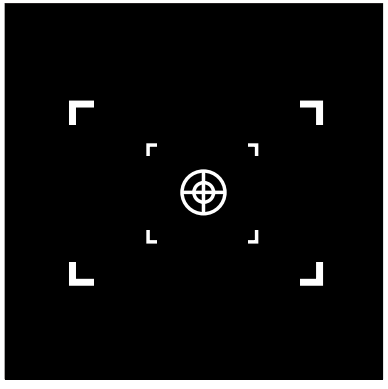
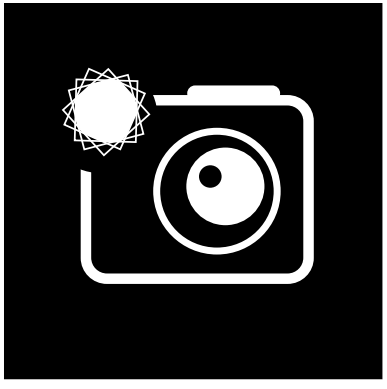


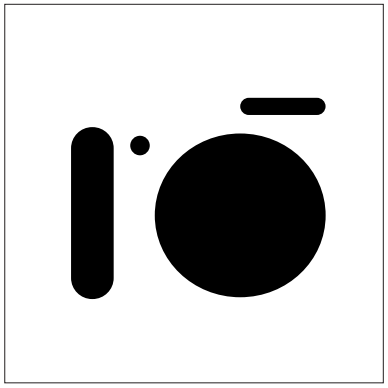
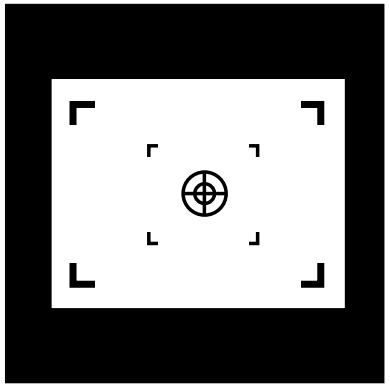
PROJECT 1 research and ideation- camera icon iteration

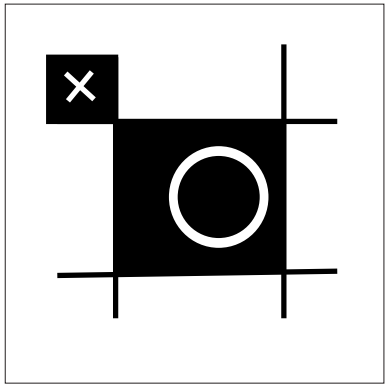
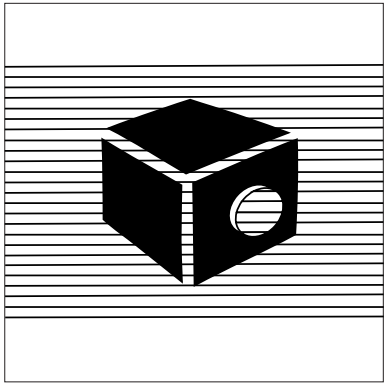
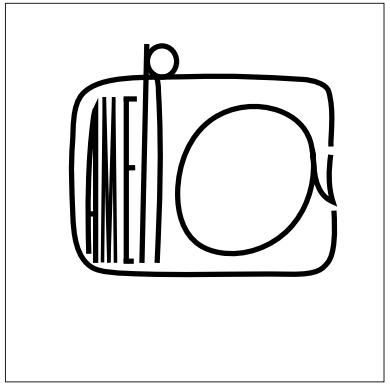
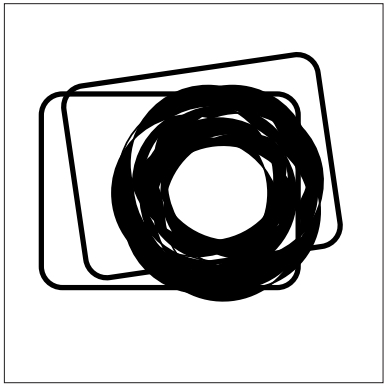
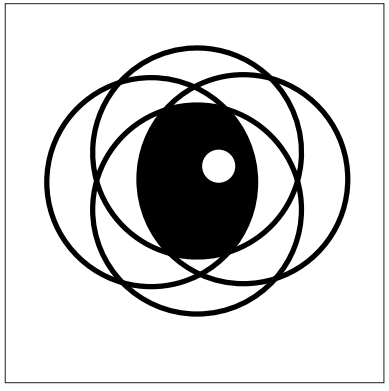
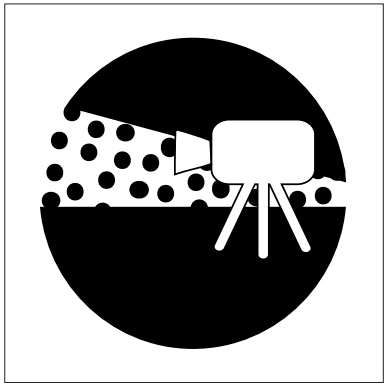
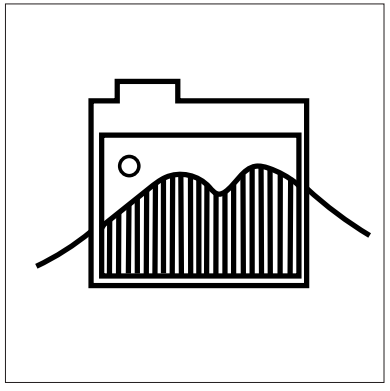
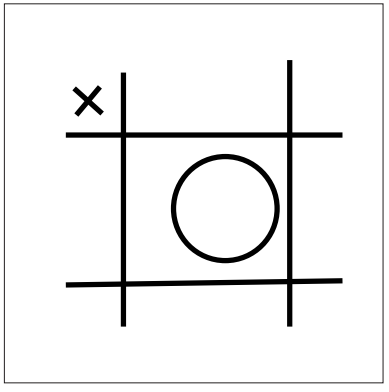
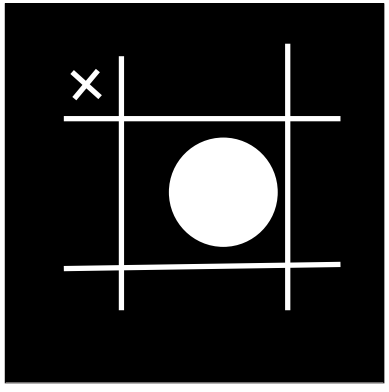


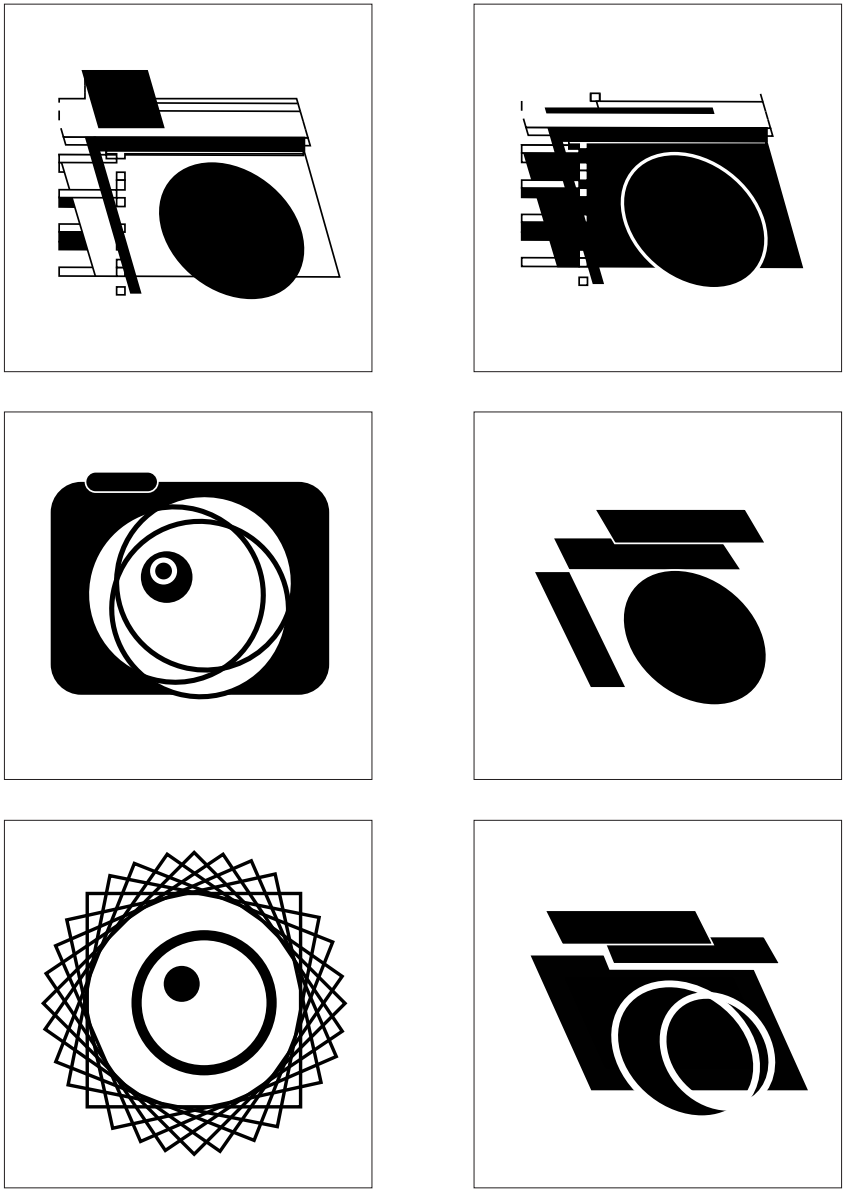
PROJECT 1 research and ideation- camera index iteration

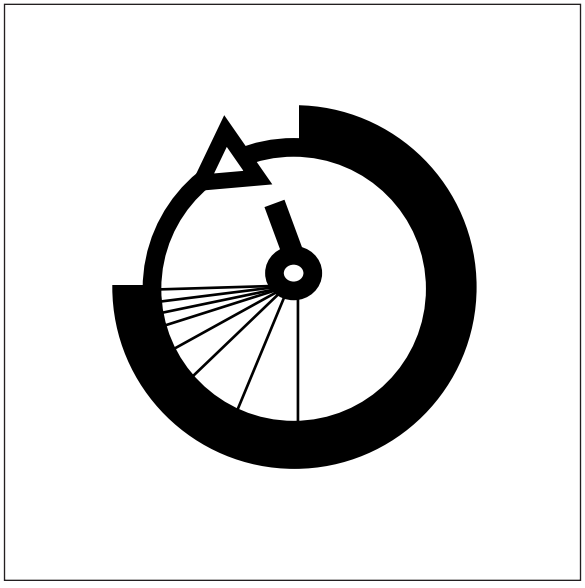



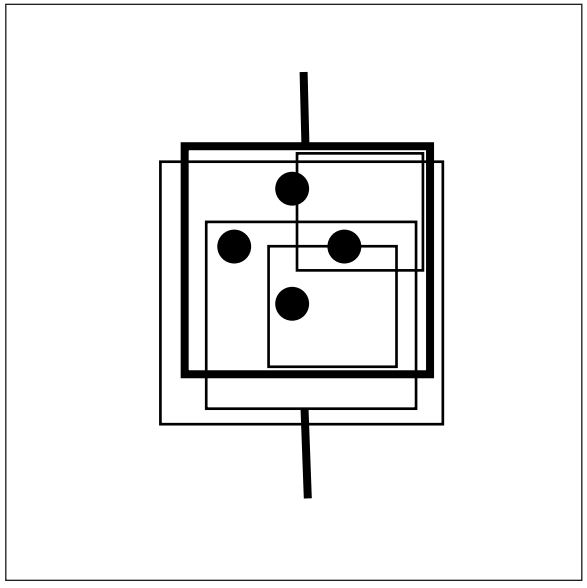










PROJECT 1 research and ideation- camera symbol iteration

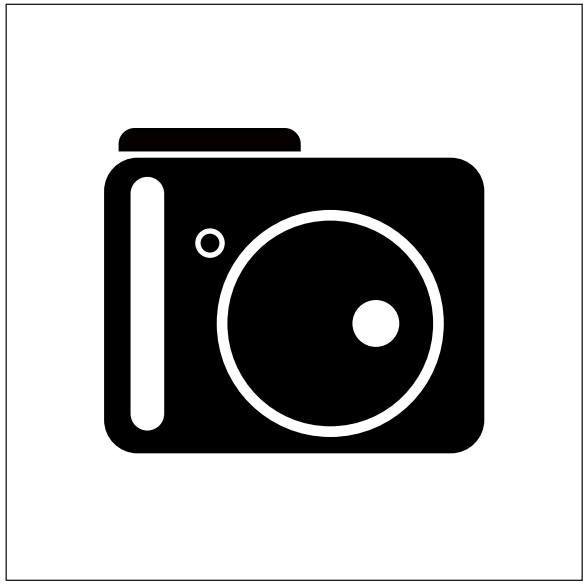


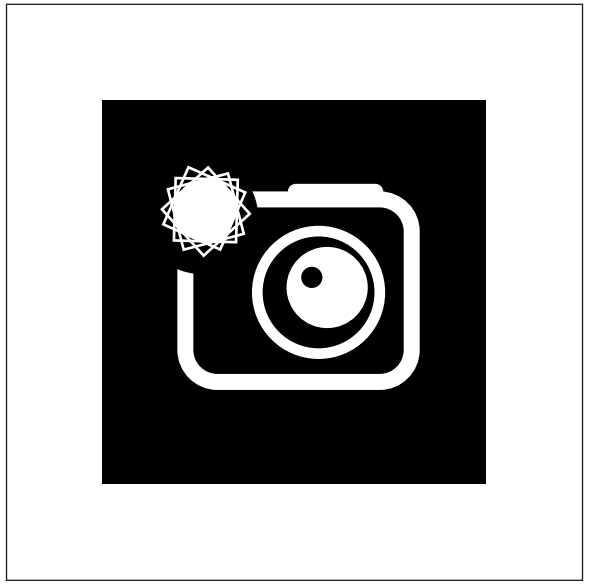
PROJECT 1 final solution- watch: icon/ index/ symbol

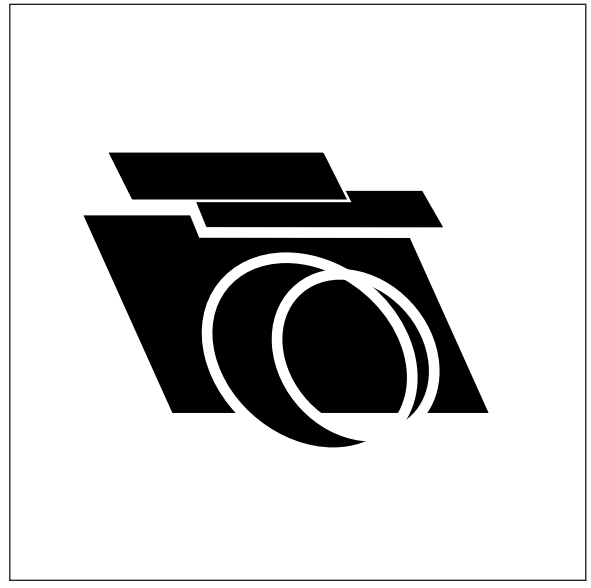




PROJECT 1 final solution- camera: icon/ index/ symbol







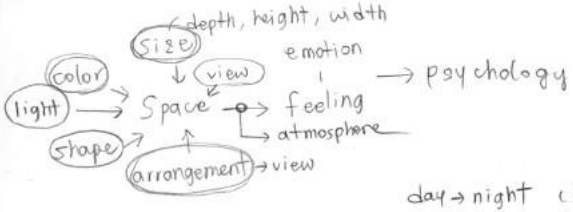
PROJECT 1 written reflection

This is the very first time I do the design work. My chosen objects are camera and watch. From visualizing the objects to translating them into graphic images, I took a lot of time and effort on the process. But I think I still did not get the successful final solution. I confused about the difference between icon , index and the symbol at the beginning and then I had clearer recognition after working on them a few weeks. This is the most important part I learned from the first project. However, the ambiguousness between three types of sign in my final work is the reason I think I didn't get the satisfying solution. Although I did know more about icon, index and symbol than before, I still have a lot of rom for improvement. I paid too much attention on the outward appearances of my design instead of that whether they successfully conveyed the information. That's the problem I need to improve in the future.

PROJECT 2 research and ideation

What are the psychological effects of the space ?
What are the visual qualities of the space?

- psychological effects



day → night (light)
Monday → Sunday
Emotion changes

- visual quality

structure, material, configuration, color, light, dynamic.
harmony. size

shopping place

accordian book - group project / space - MICA STORE

△ sequence → from outside to inside (building out look & connection inside)
atmosphere adjective: cool funny happy desire. Base on the constructure of the building.
visual effect: colorful. tidy, neat, unify, classify
color tone: desaturated color ☆ point & color.

connection elements: doors☆ (overlapping, modify, different angle), stairs.

swirl, a two different space transition

~~The painter foreground technique very well~~

* light. shopping. color.

△ outside to inside
day to night
sense: curiosity; ~~send~~ comflict spend money
classify.

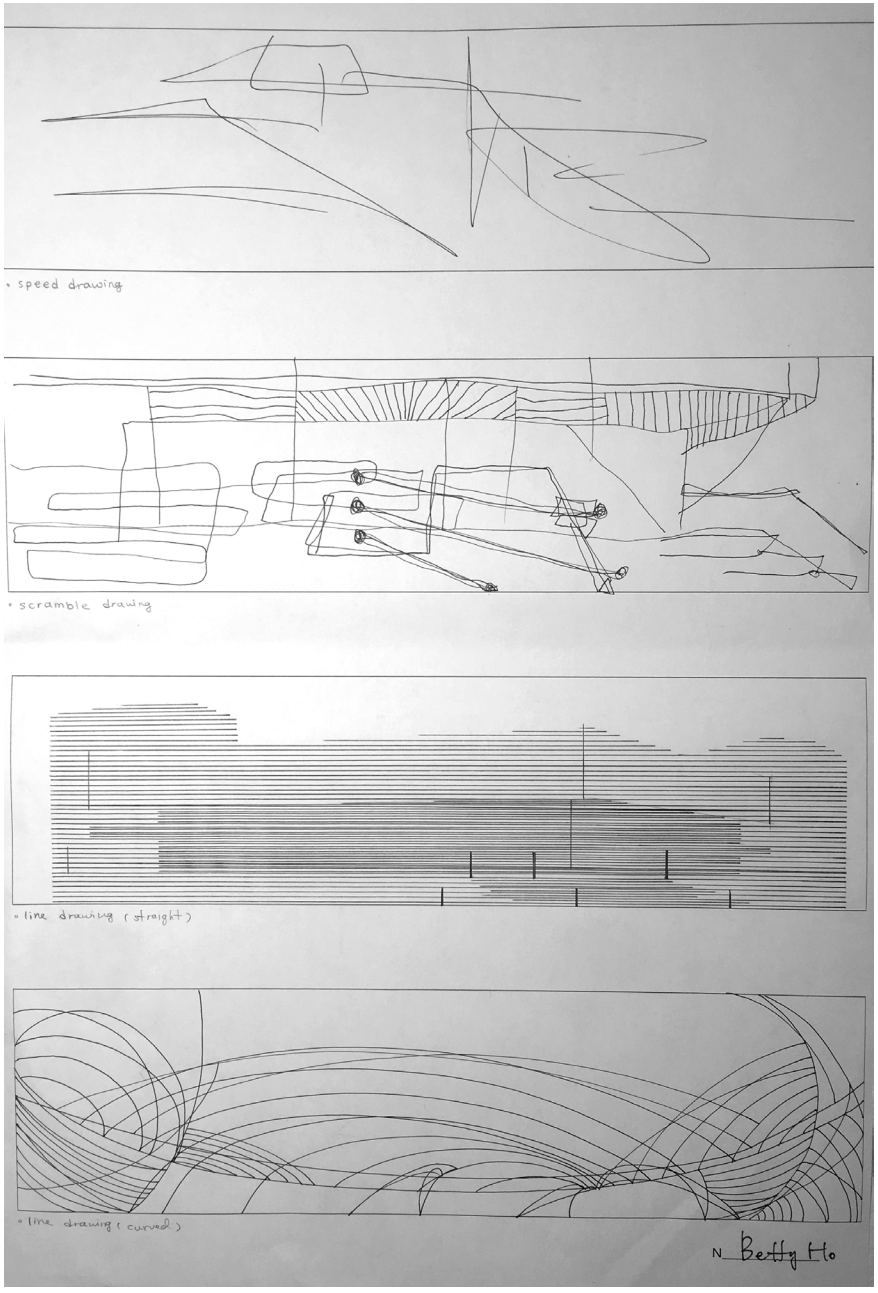
plan A - outside to inside
① shopping
building → shelves → goods
② building → constructure

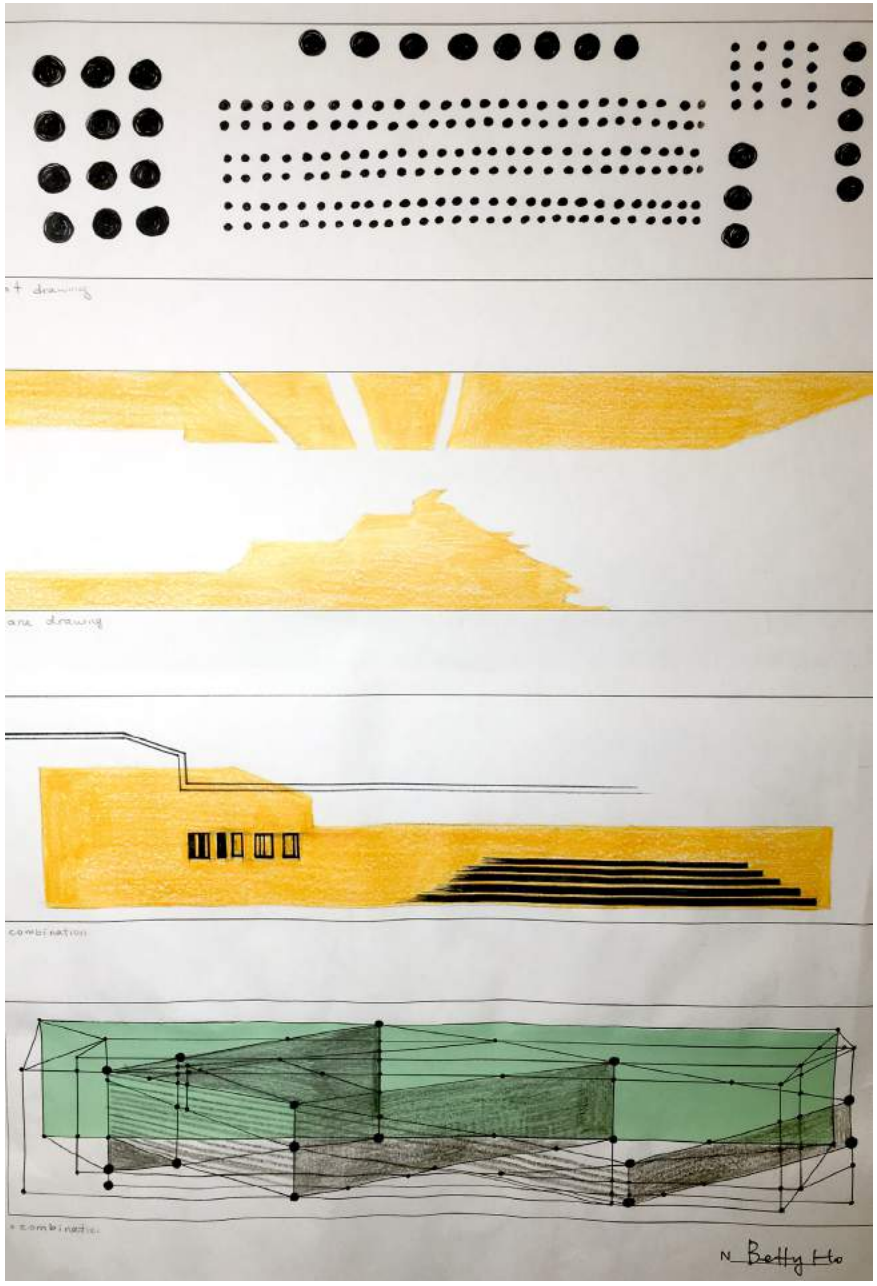
Red. White. Black
漸變色 (color less → many) 小 → 多色

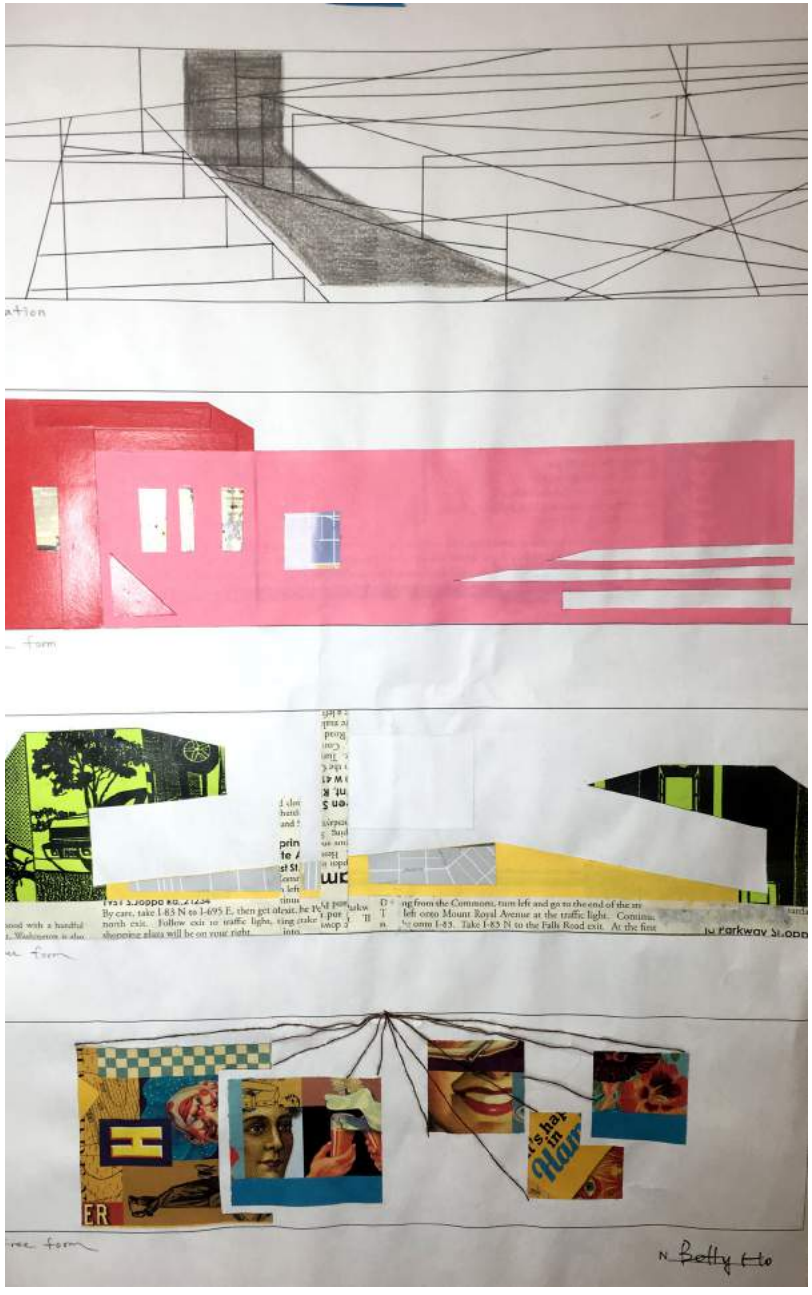
emotional 酷. 開心. funny. colorful. 購物. 慾望得到滿足. 整齊. 統一

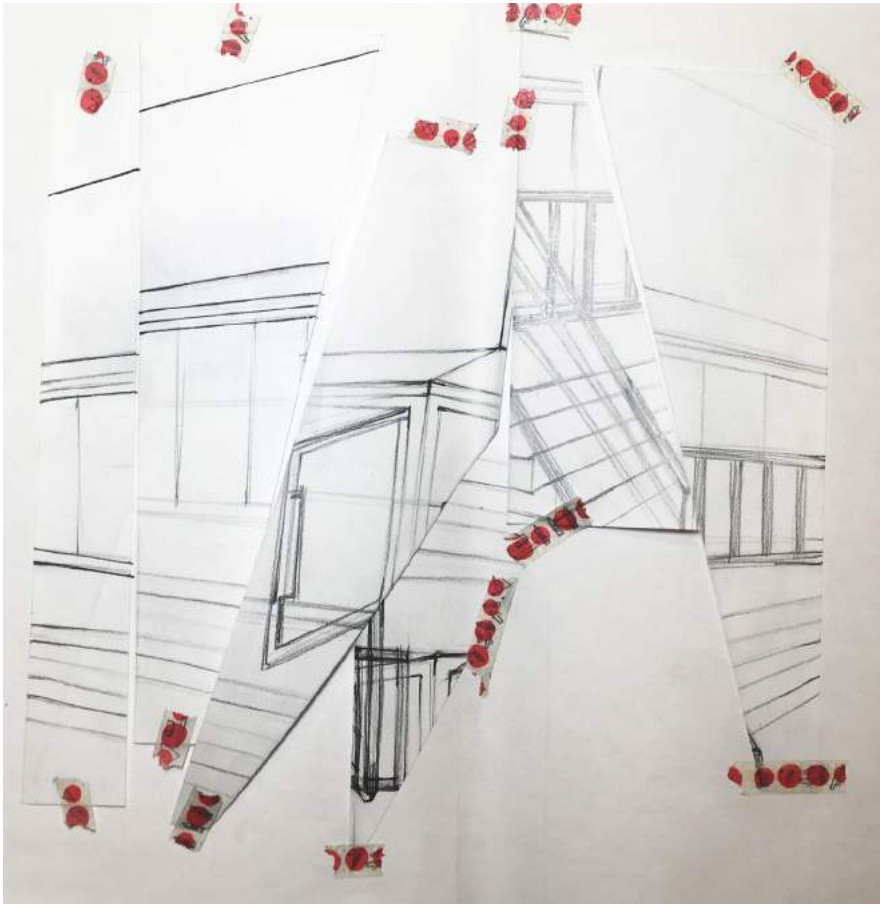
~~visto~~ visual : 多彩. 整齊

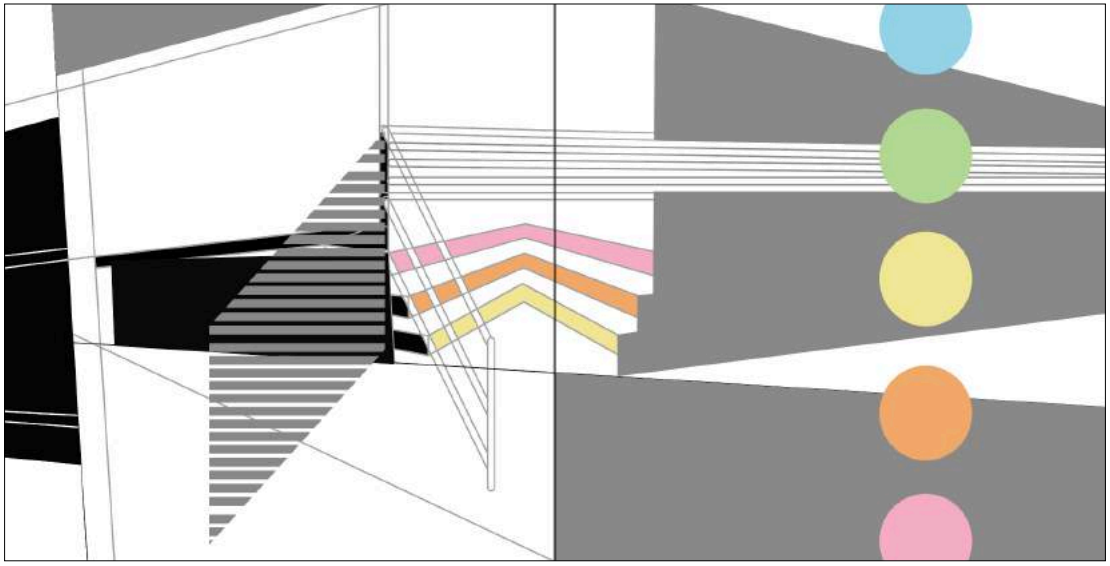
BRUSHWORK ☆

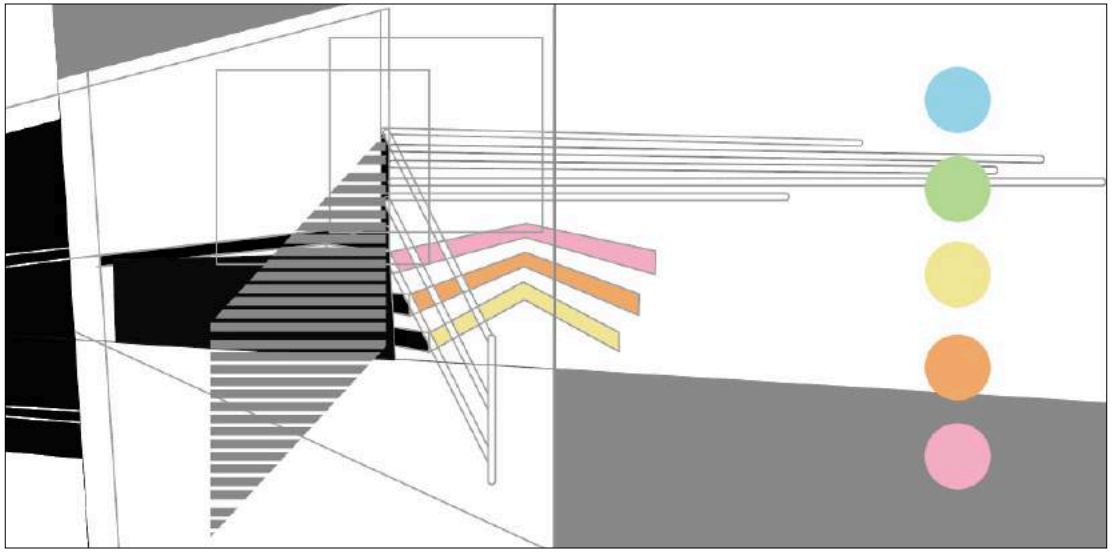

• speed drawing
• scramble drawing
◦ line drawing (straight)
◦ line drawing (curved)
N Betty Ho

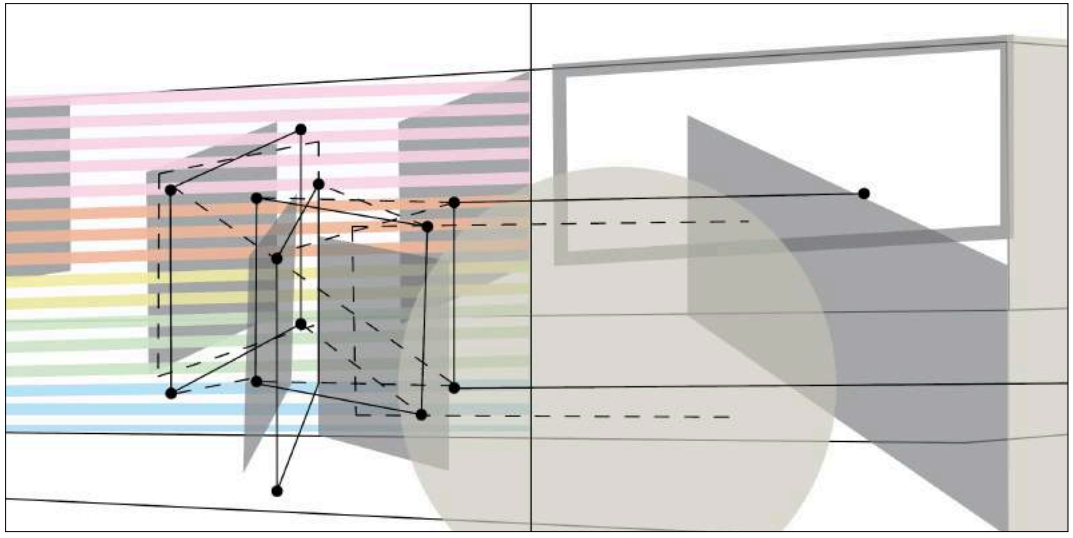

combination
N Betty Ho

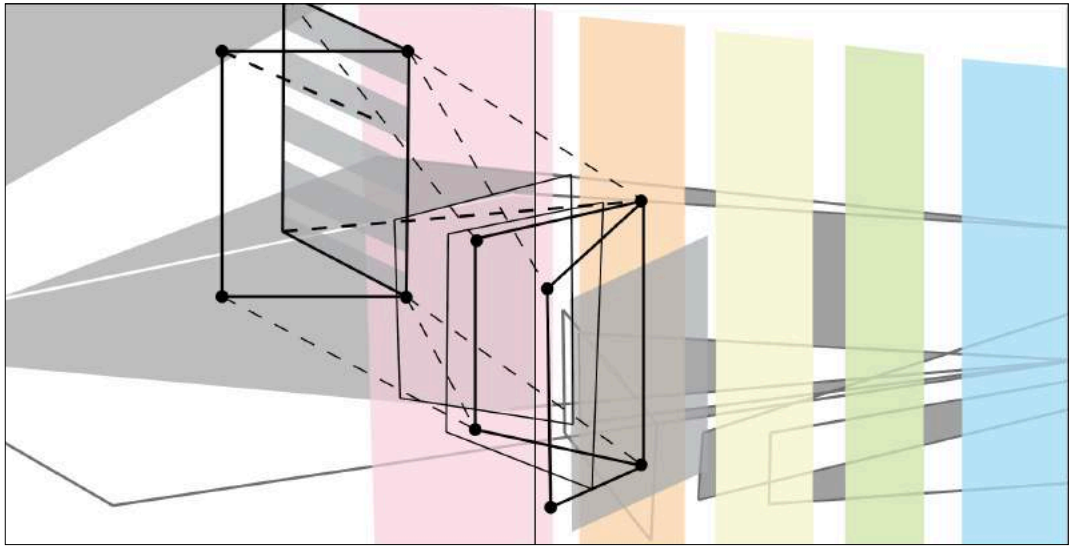












For project 2, I appreciate that group project gave us chance to collaborate. I got a lot of inspiration from my teammates about how they perceive our assigned space and how they translate their thoughts into graphic works. We usually work in a box when we make our own design or artworks, it's a great opportunity for me to consider different opinions and aspects to finish a project. Also I can see how other people work, it is what I'm curious very much.

I think our group did great conversation before and during the process of working. As for the most challenging part, there is some compromise I have to make which is difficult for me. Although each of us has our prefer style and expectation for the result, we have to find a balance in this group project. I enjoy both the collaboration and process of spacial translation!

• How did working in groups affect your design process?

I used to try as many experiments as I can to make a preliminary design, but for the group project, we didn't have that much time to do these preparations. However, we discussed a lot and made sure that we reached an agreement before starting collaboration. During the discussion, each of us addressed our thoughts and then we talked about how everyone's ideas could be combined. Although we had the same assigned place, everyone had different visions. I got a lot of inspiration through this process.

• How did collaboration benefit your overall design?

Considering multiple interpretations helped to promote the better works. After deep discussion, the result was totally different from my initial expectation.

Rather than working with the individual parts at the same time, the way our group worked was finishing each part one by one. According to the previous teammate's work, we had to continue it with suitable visual style to reach the sense of unity and sequential. This was what I appreciated in this collaboration project.

• Was the collaboration a good experience? Why or why not?

Yes. Although there are a lot of challenges when worked with group, I got more benefit through this experience. It made our project have more possibility. I enjoy sharing my thought and got the feedback from others. Also being inspired by my teammates' awesome thoughts was a wonderful experience.

• Strongly disagree to strongly agree on a scale of 1- 5:

1. My ideas or suggestions were considered by my teammates (4)
2. I valued and considered my teammates' ideas or suggestions (5)
3. Members of the team completed responsibilities for the project equally (3)

Graphic Design

PROJECT THREE – contrast & harmony

exaggeration & understatement 誇張 淡漠

·understatement – the representation of something as being smaller, worse, or less important than it actually is.

spontaneity 自發性 & predictability 預測

·spontaneity – the quality or state of being spontaneous (a.) 自發

accent 重音.強調 & neutrality 中立

·accent – a special or particular emphasis

The accent is on participation.

·neutrality – the state of not supporting or helping either side in a conflict, disagreement, etc.; impartiality (公正性)

② absence of decided views, expression, or strong feeling.

asymmetry & Symmetry

instability 不穩定.易變性 & balance

fragmentation 碎片 & unity 統一.聯合.1個体

·fragmentation – the process or state of breaking or being broken into small or separate parts.

·unity – the state of being united or joined as a whole.

economy 系統 (synonym: system) & intricacy 錯綜複雜性

·intricacy – the quality of being intricate (a.) very complicated or detailed.

boldness & subtlety 明敏

·subtlety – the quality of being subtle (a.) 微妙.細微.奧妙

·subtle – (especially of a change or distinction) so delicate or precise as to be difficult to analyse or describe.

transparency 透明度 (明了.透通性) & opacity 不透明度

·transparent (adj.) 透明.清澈.明細明析的

·transparency – the condition of being transparent

variation 變異.變動.變奏.異樣 & consistency – 致性

·variation – ① a change or difference in condition, amount, or level, typically with certain limits.

② a different or distinct form or version of something.

complexity & simplicity

distortion & realism

depth & flatness 平整度 flat (n.) 平面.片.平板

sharpness & diffusion (n.) 擴散.漫射

·diffusion – the spreading of something more widely

·sharpness – the quality or state of being sharp 銳度

active & passive 被動

randomness & sequentiality

irregularity & regularity 規律性

·regular – arranged in or constituting a constant or definite pattern, especially with the same space between individual instances.

juxtaposition 並列 & singularity

·juxtaposition – the fact of two things being seen or placed close together with constracting effect

angularity 稜角 & roundness

representation & abstraction

verticality & horizontality ☆

PROJECT 3 research and ideation

△ How would you define the words in your chosen pairing?

(a.) 垂直, 直立的, 成直角的 (n.) 垂直線, 面

• verticality – The codition or quality of being vertical or perpendicular; vertical position; perpendicularity.

垂直性, 垂直狀態

* Of buildings or architecture
* In weakened sense: Erectness (直立), uprightness 垂直, 正直, 筆直, 誠實

vertical – of or pertaining to, placed or situated at, passing through, the vertex (頂點, 頭頂, 極點) or zenith (頂點, 極盛); occupying a position in the heaven: directly overhead or above a given plac or point. / vertical point: highest point, the point of greatest development or perfection

• horizontality – The condition or quality of being horizontal; horizontal point

水平狀態

horizontal – of or belonging to the horizon; situated on or occuring at the horizon. Now chiefly (多半, 主要) in special collocations, as horizontal 視差 → parallax, the geocentric (地心) parallax of a heavenly body when on the horizon

* Uniform; producing or based on uniformity

verticality – erectness – perpendicularity – integrity – honor – virtue – honesty

horizontality – even – uniform – parallel – accumbent – aligned – recumbent ?

(n.) 解線, 對比 (a.) 平行, 並行 (a.) 均衡的, 對齊的 (v.) 使成一線

△ List 5 examples for each word (concrete / real-life)

verticality – tree / calligraphy / human (tall) / skyscraper / roller coaster

horizontality – ground / western writing / human (fat) / Countyard /

△ List 5 example for each word (metaphor / symbolic)

verticality –

① How would you define the words in your chosen pairing?

不刻意, 沒有準備好, 沒有準則

Randomness – The quality or state of being random (in various senses)

隨机 不可預期 ; unpredictability; haphazardness 隨意性

Sequentiality – The quality of being sequential.

連續性 順序性

sequential – That follows as a sequel to. Of two or more things: Forming a sequence.

② List 5 examples (concrete / real-life) for each word

randomness → cloud / rain / defoliation / grain of the rocks /

sequentiality → life / sunrise sunset (natural principle) / youth & oldness (age) / arrangement

regularity — of petals / time /

③ List 5 examples (symbolic / metaphor) for each word.

randomness → mood / accident /

sequentiality → accumulation / growth / blossom and withering / process / adaptation / change (gradually)

遞進 / 減, 漸強 / 弱

④ How would you define the word contrast? / harmony?

Contrast – Comparison of objects of like kind whereby the difference of their qualities or characteristics is strikingly brought out / The degree of differentation between different individual

對比 對照.

harmony – Combination or adaptation of parts, elements, or related things, so as to form a consistent and orderly whole agreement, accord, congruity.

和諧, 調和

• randomness – accidental – aimless – arbitrary (隨意, 獨斷, 辭意) – odd – irregular

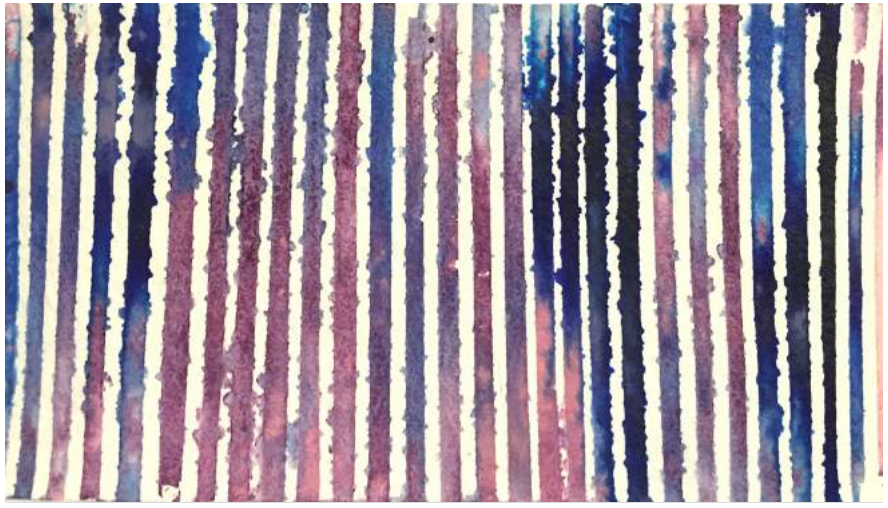
• sequentiality – subsequent – continous – following – regular

consecutive (a.) 連續, 連串, 隨後, 以後的

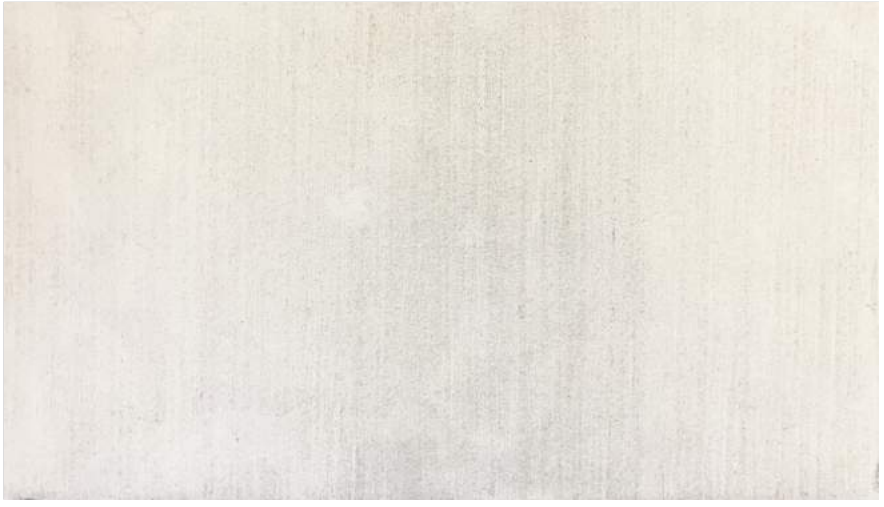
• contrast – distinction – opposition – variation – contradiction (交匯)

• harmony – consistency – conformity (一致性) – unity – consensus (n.) 共識

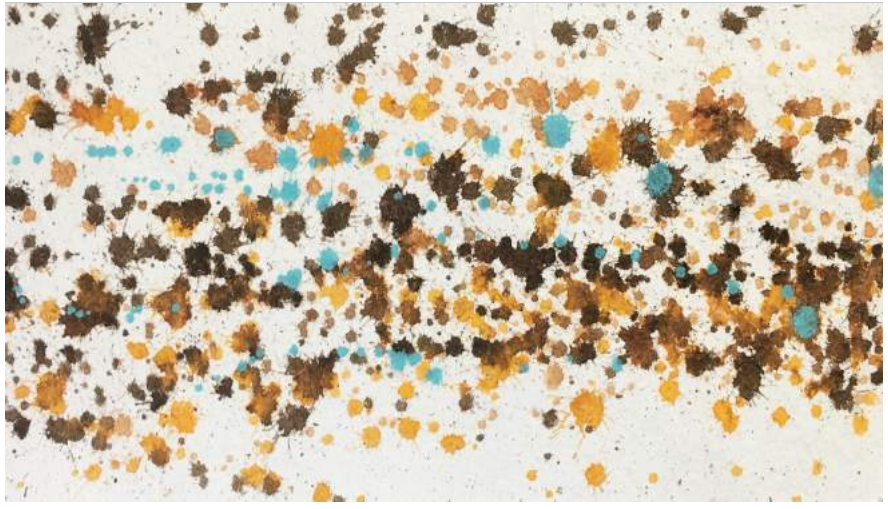
CONTRAST / veticality wet media / STUDY



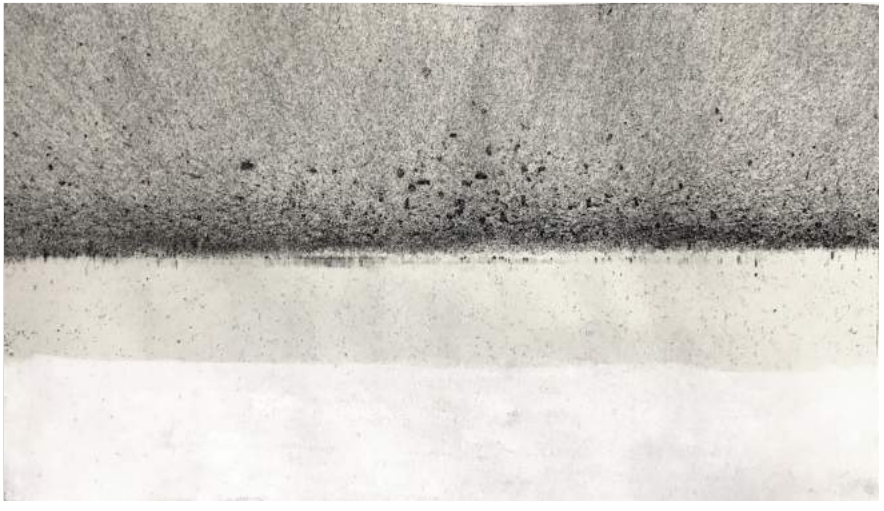
CONTRAST / veticality dry media / STUDY



HARMONY / horizontality



HARMONY / horizontality



:ONTRAST / veticality texture / STUDY

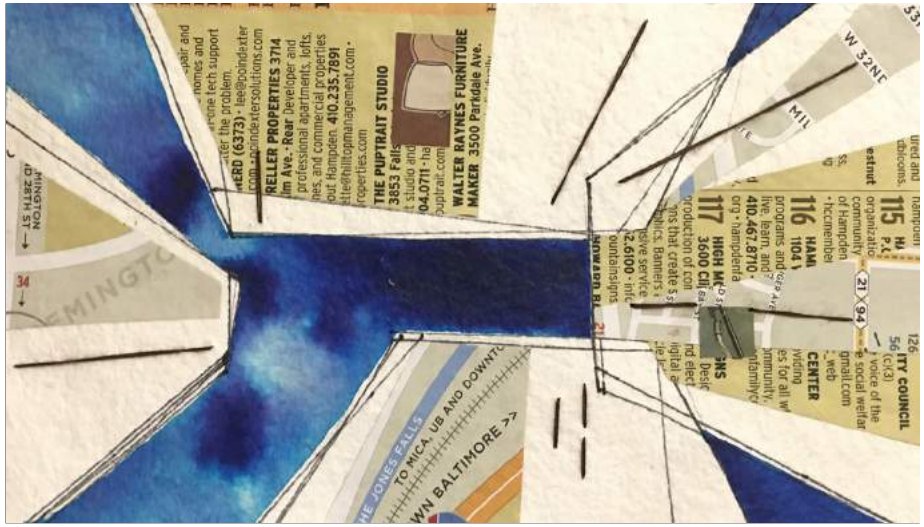
CONTRAST / veticality texture / STUDY

IARMONY / horizontality

HARMONY / horizontality

CONTRAST / veticality

combination / STUDY

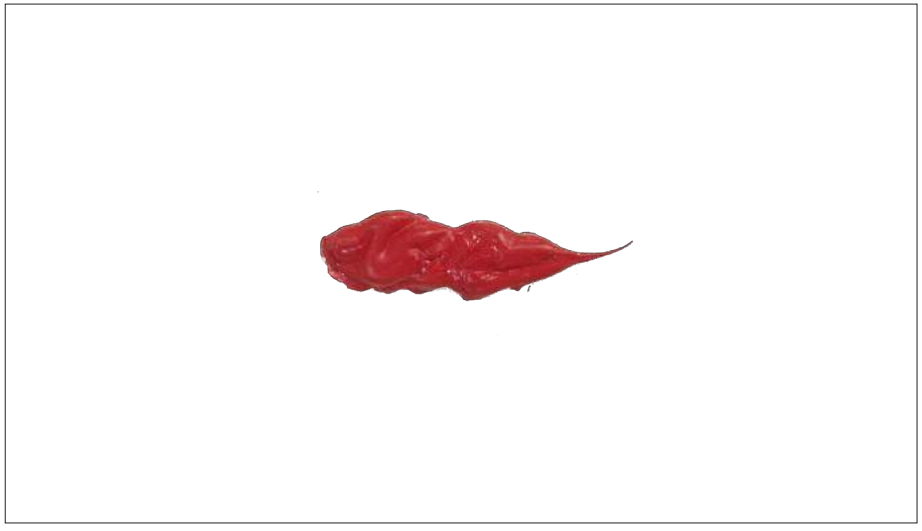


CONTRAST / veticality

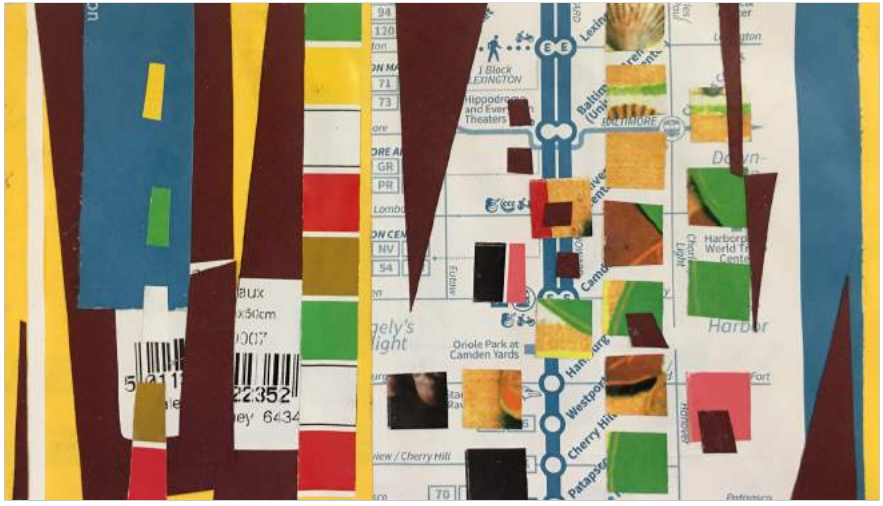
wet media / STUDY

HARMONY / horizontality

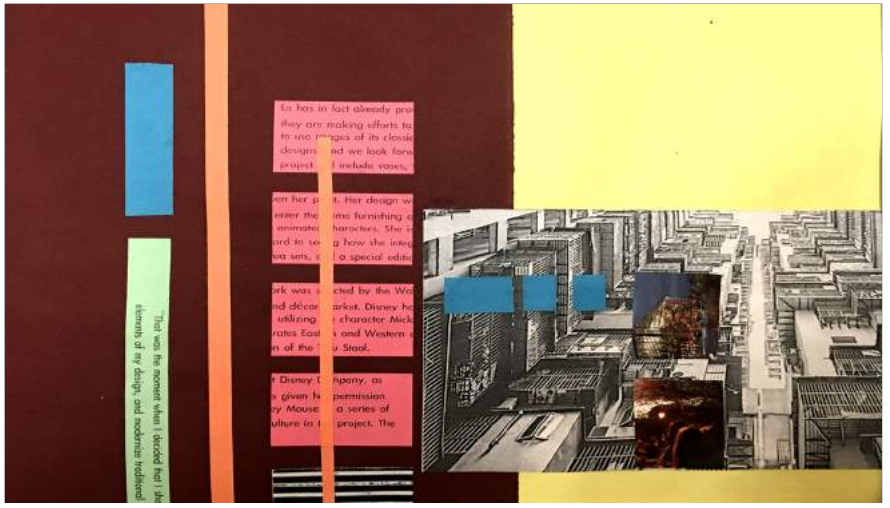
HARMONY / horizontality



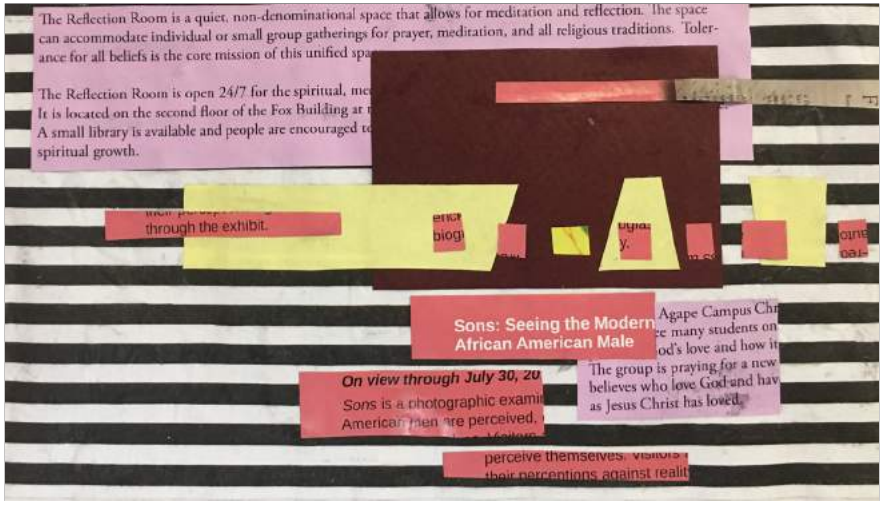
CONTRAST / veticality collage / STUDY



CONTRAST / veticality collage / STUDY



HARMONY / horizontality



HARMONY / horizontality

CONTRAST / __verticality___ __photography__ / STUDY

CONTRAST / __verticality___ __photography__ / STUDY

HARMONY / ___horizontality ___

CONTRAST / __verticality___ _photography_ / STUDY

HARMONY / ___horizontality ___

CONTRAST / __verticality___ _photography_ / STUDY

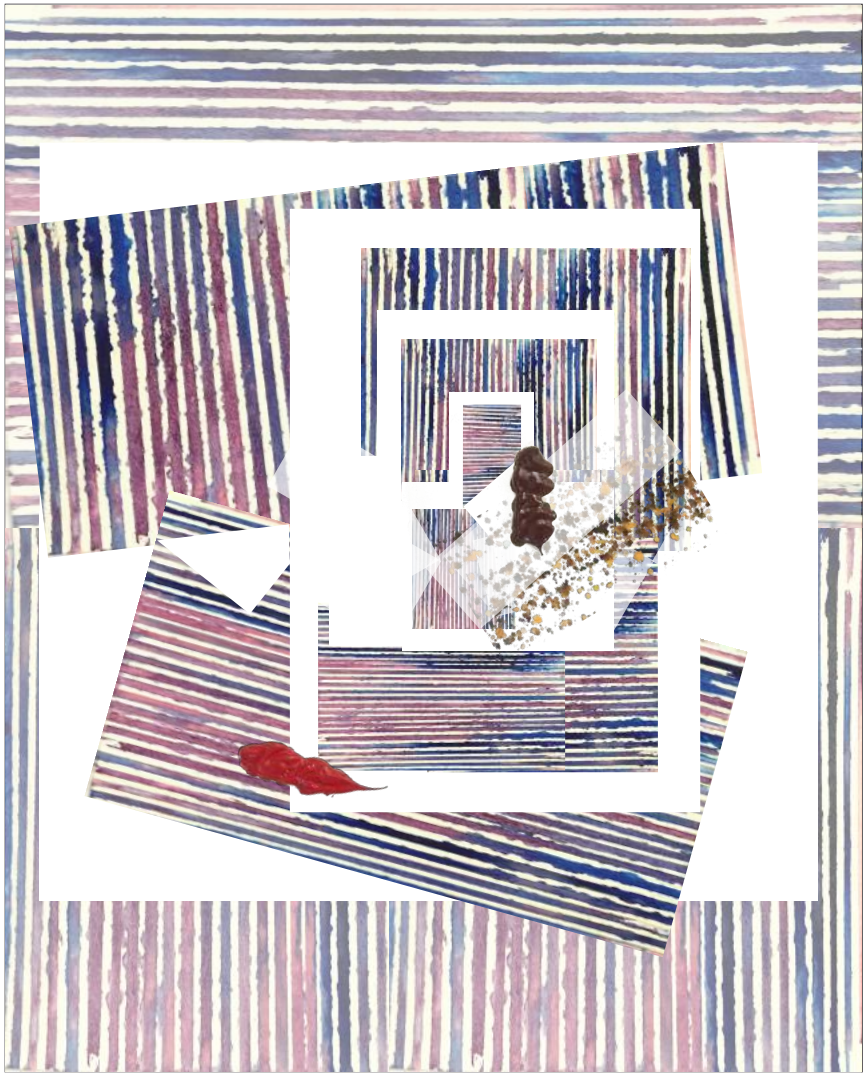
HARMONY / ___horizontality ___

CONTRAST / __verticality___ ___Sculpture___ / STUDY

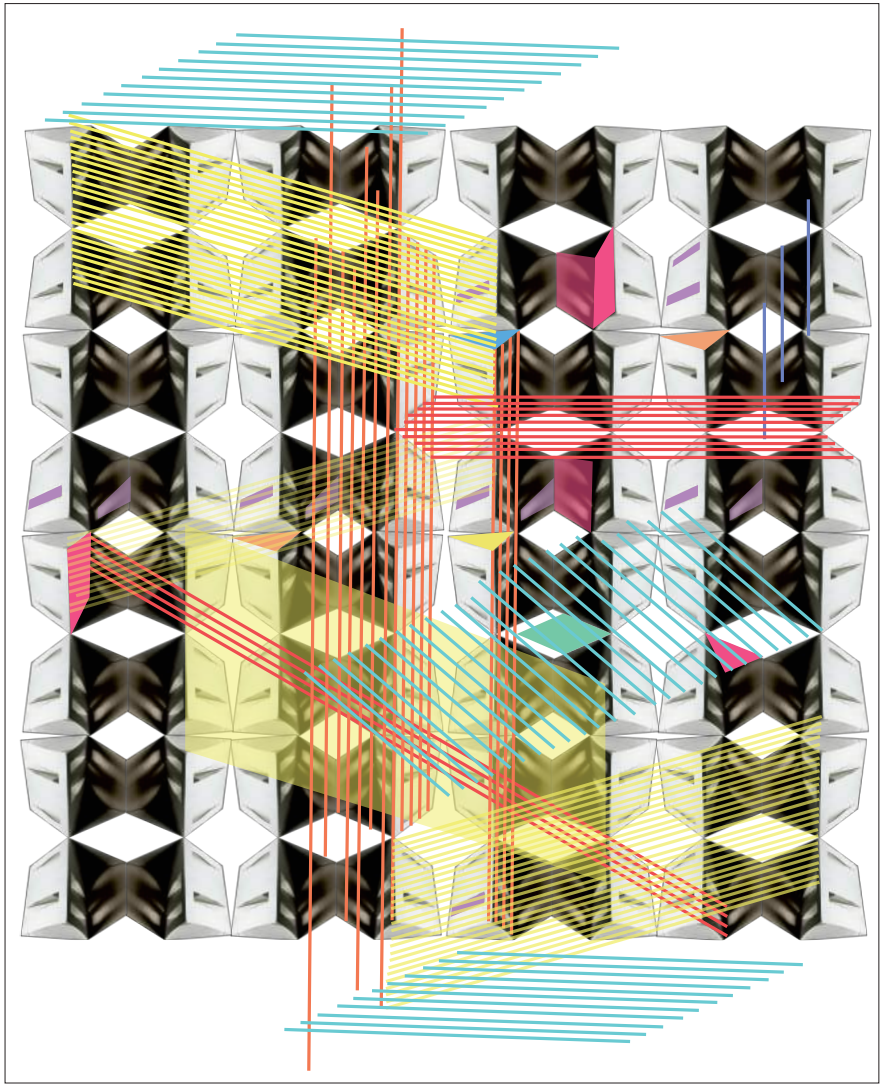
HARMONY / ___horizontality ___

PROJECT 3 mock-ups, rough designs

CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ ____wet media__ / STUDY



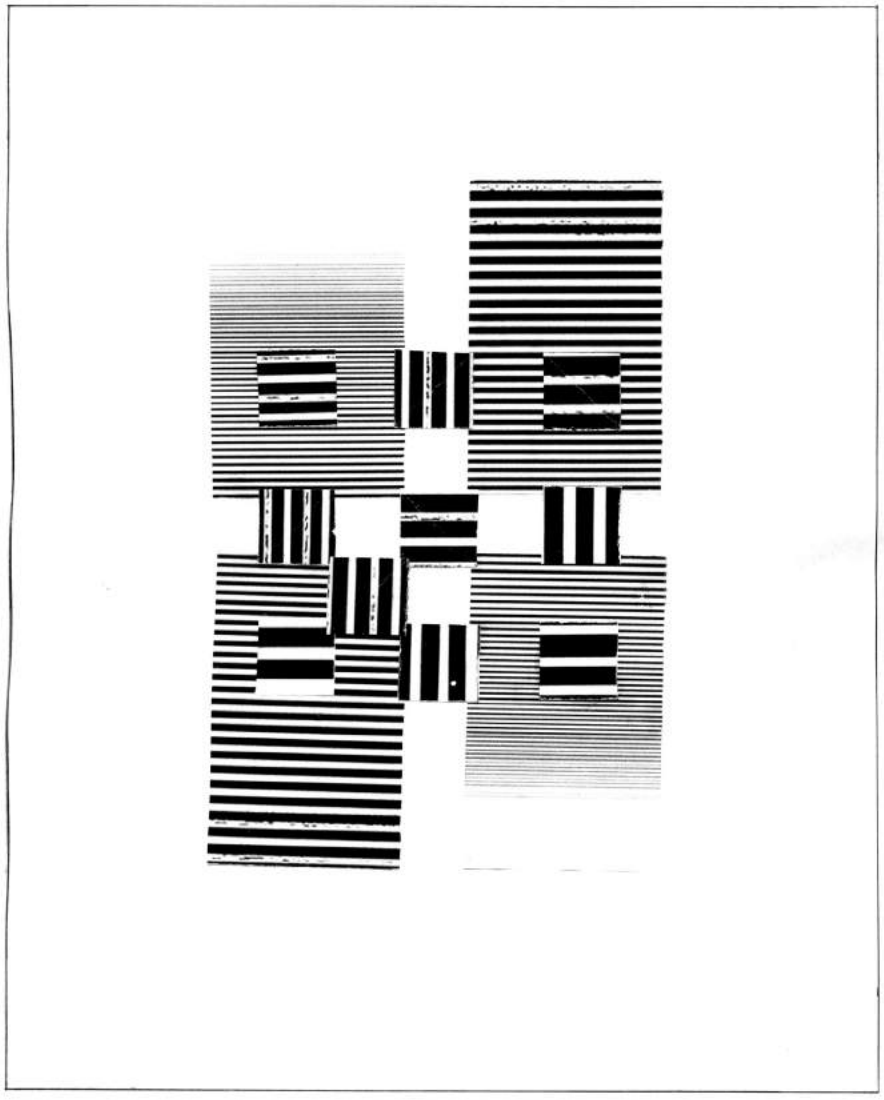
CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ ___Sculpture __ / STUDY



CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ __combination__ / STUDY

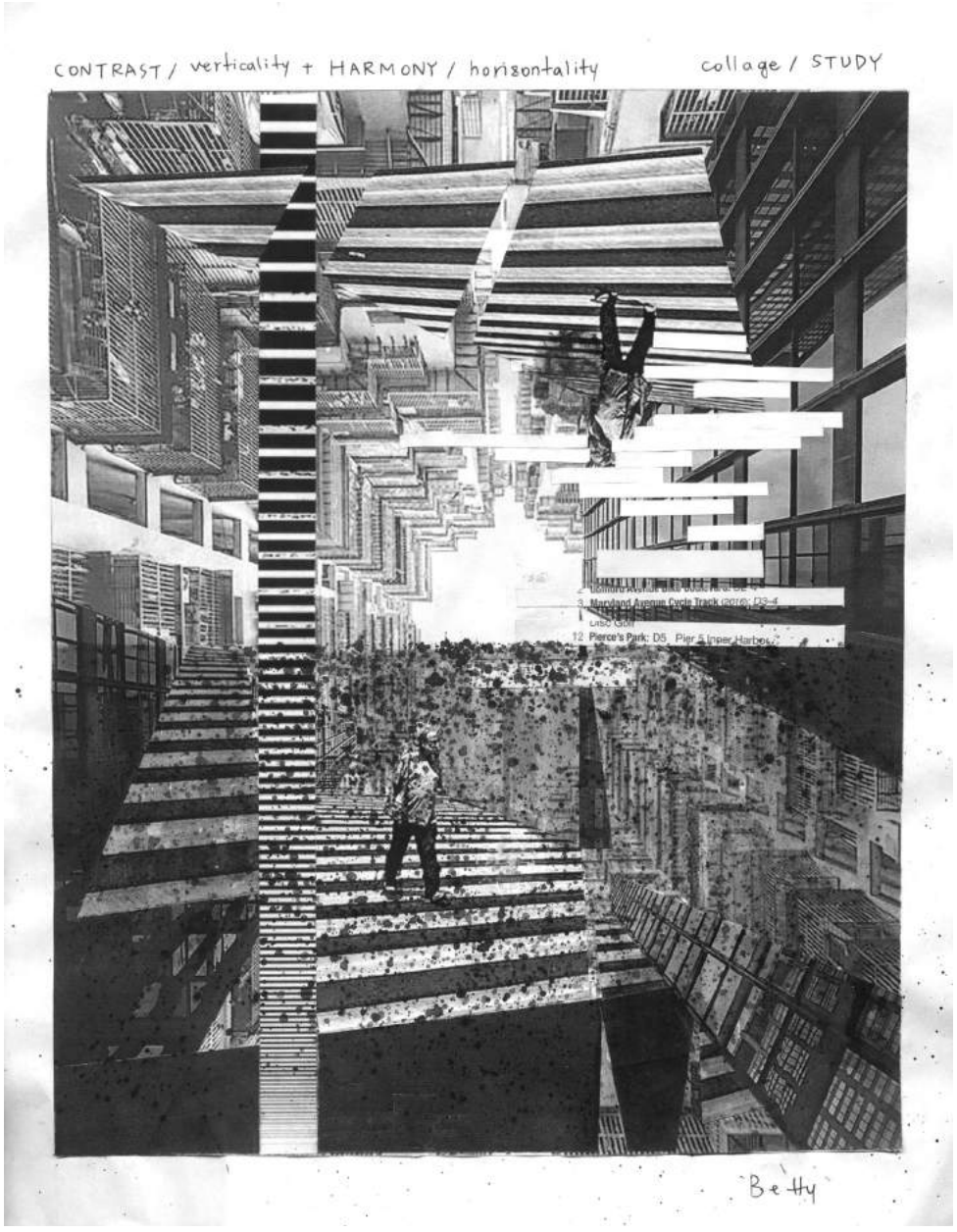
CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ textural / STUDY

CONTRAST : verticality + HARMONY : horizontality



Betty

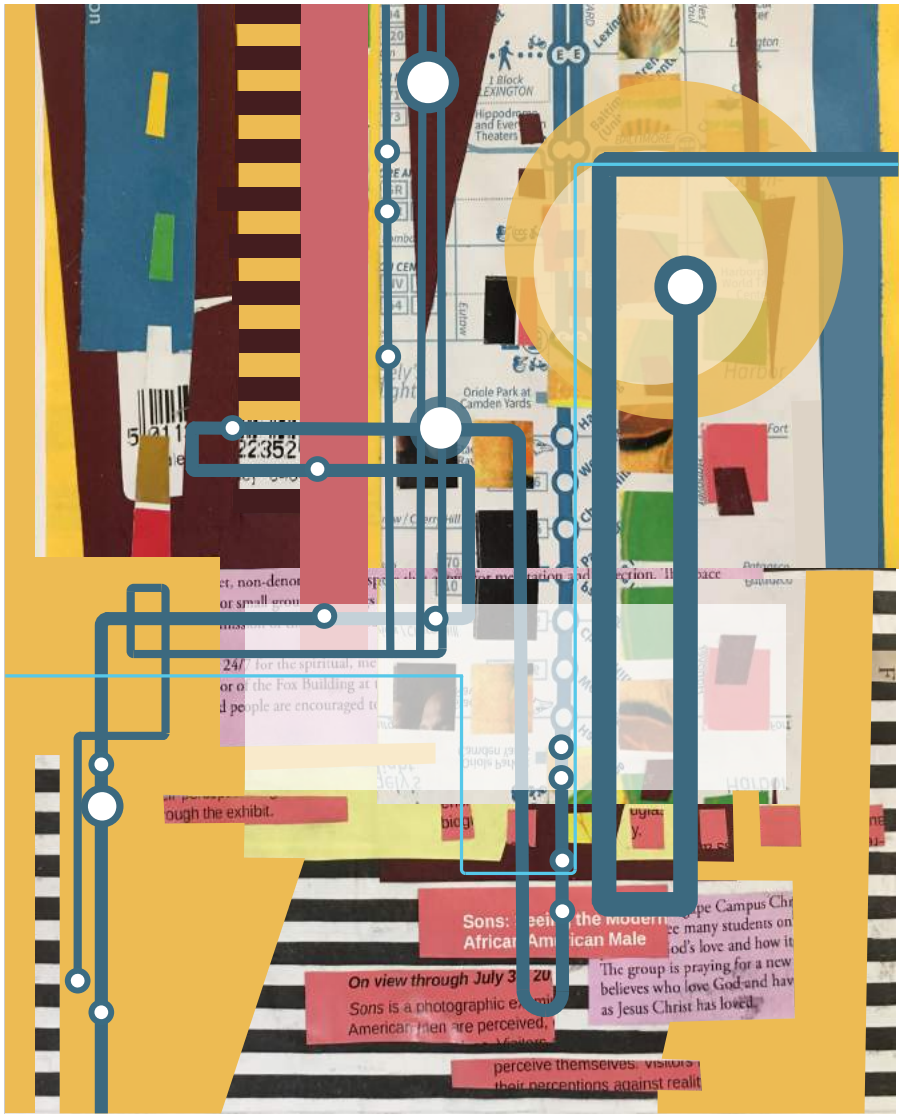
CONTRAST / verticality + HARMONY / horizontality collage / STUDY



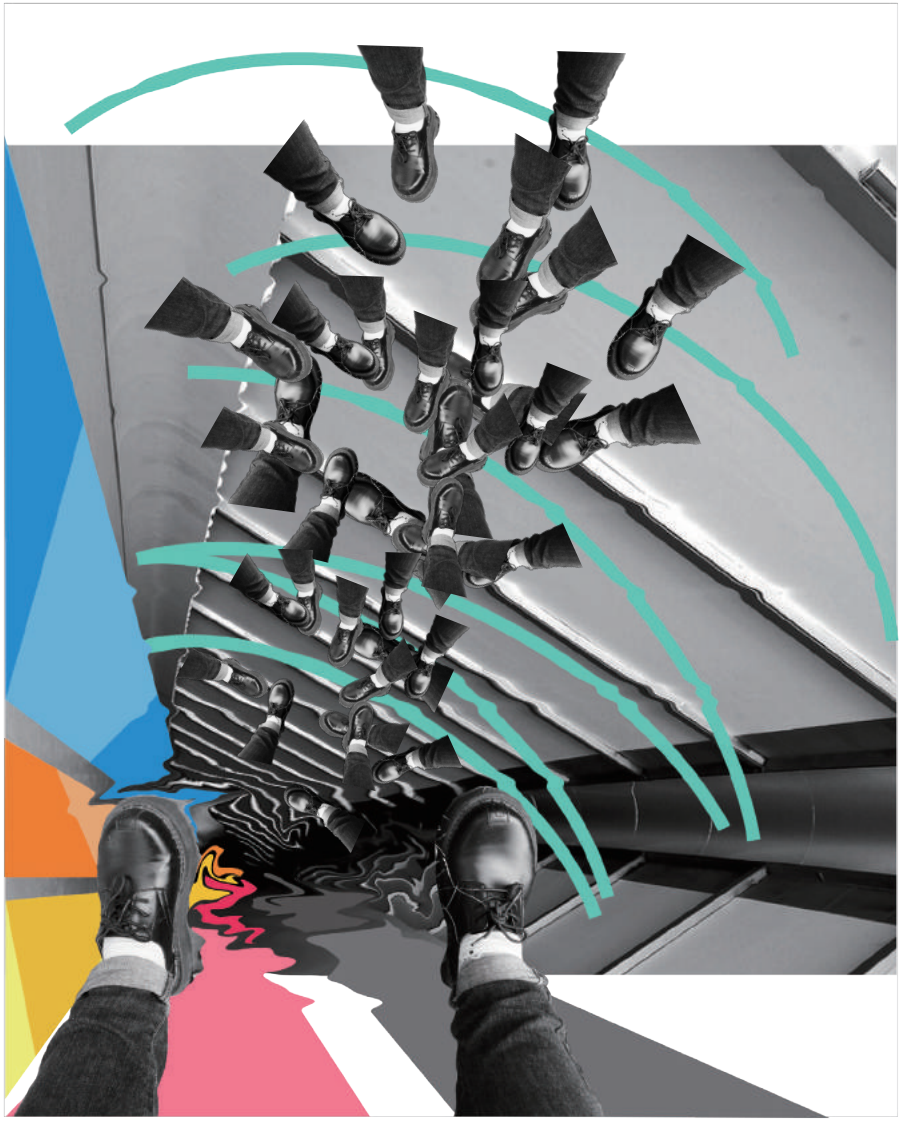
Betty

PROJECT 3 mock-ups, rough designs

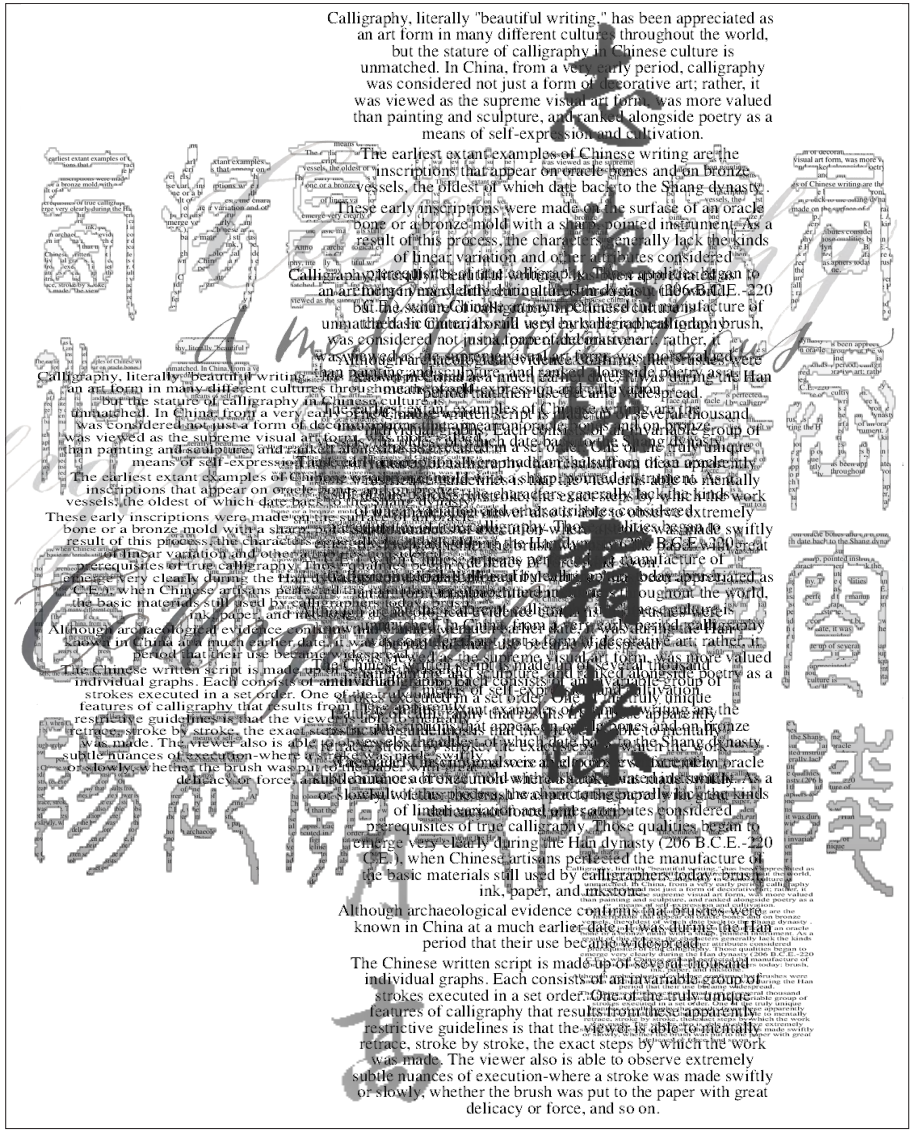
CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ ____cut paper____ / STUDY



CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ photoshop/ illustrator / STUDY

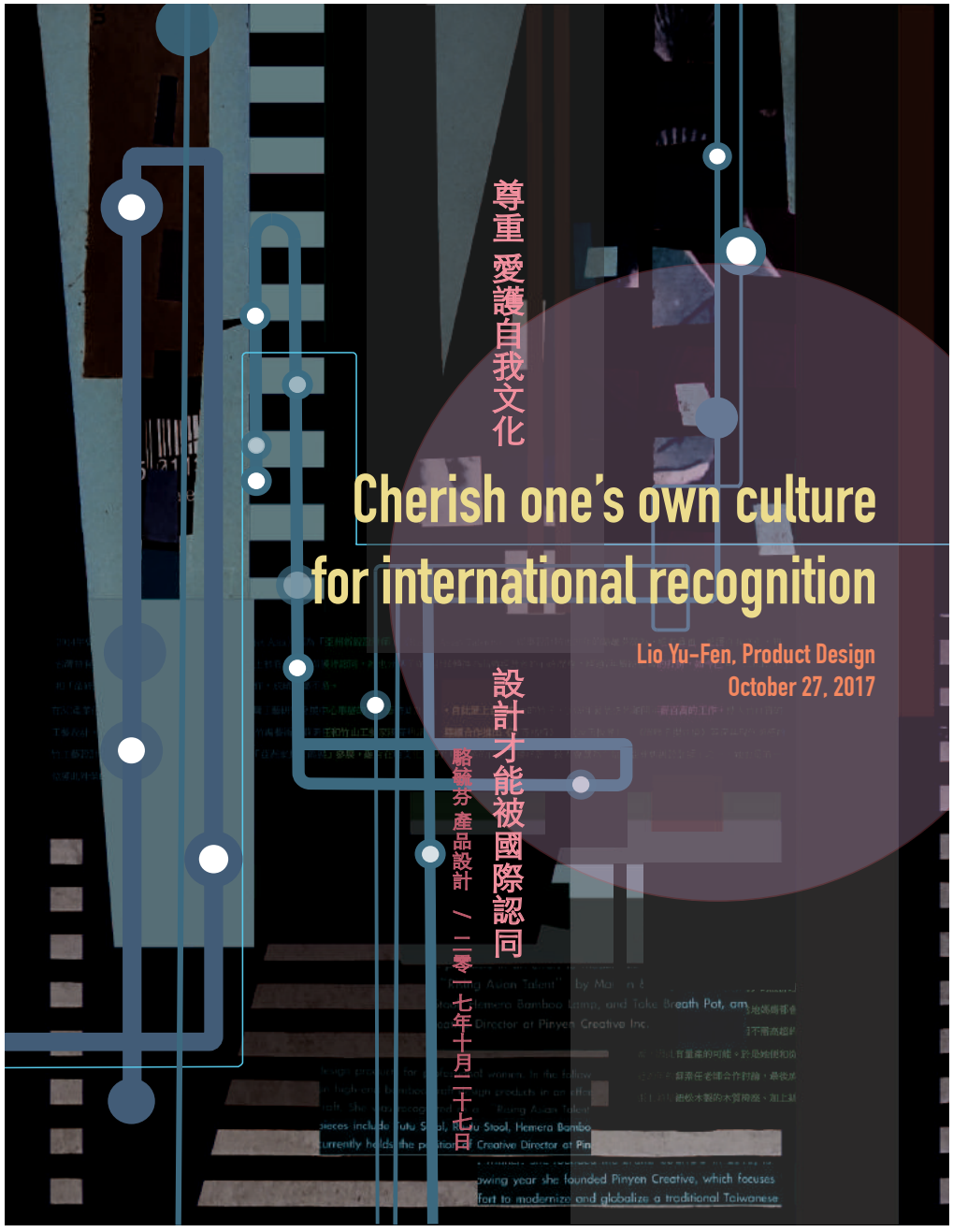


CONTRAST / __verticality__ + HARMONY / __horizontality__ _____ / STUDY



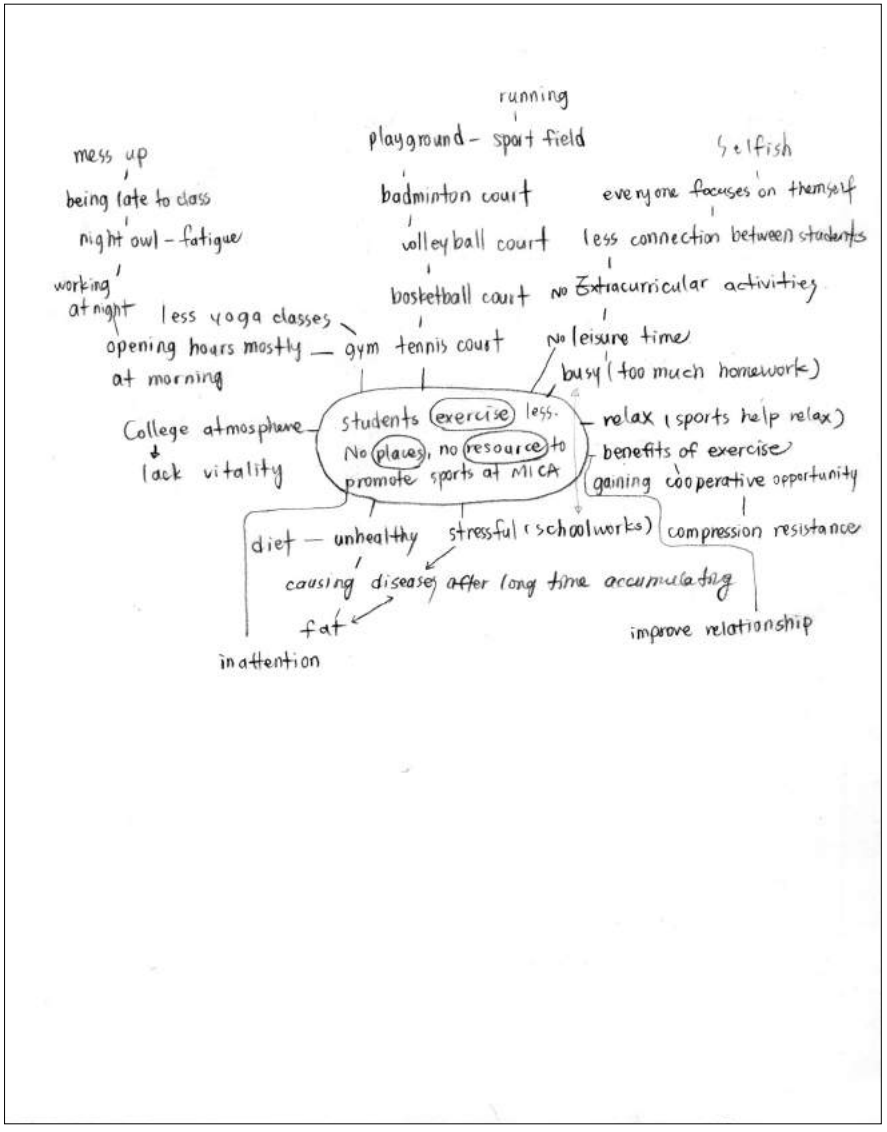
Cherish one's own culture
for international recognition
Lio Yu-Fen, Product Design
October 27, 2017

尊重愛護自我文化
Cherish one's own culture
for international recognition
設計才能被國際認同
Lio Yu-Fen, Product Design
October 27, 2017
駱毓芬 產品設計 二〇一七年十月二十七日


尊重愛護自我文化
Cherish one's own culture
for international recognition
Lio Yu-Fen, Product Design
October 27, 2017
設計才能被國際認同
駱毓芬 產品設計 / 二零一七年十月二十七日

PROJECT 3 written reflection

From the project1 and the project2, I learned that how important the process is. I took great efforts to do as many as studies I could this time, and tried different materials and methods to pursue a better final design. The instruction step by step is helpful like always. I had no idea how to begin at first, then getting more and more familiar with using the elements created by the initial studies to build a complete poster. Although I'm not satisfied with my final work, I do learn a lot from this project, for instance, typography and file setting in Illustrator before printing. In terms of typography, I wasn't confident about what I did with the text in my poster at the beginning because I haven't taken any typography class yet. After critique, I gained a lot of knowledge about it like the text scale in the whole composition and how it works well with the visual elements. As for the file setting, I had some error with printing and then I figured out the reason. I think that's a good experience for me to aviod this kind of problem in the future. To sum up, I realized that I have to try far harder to reach my own expectation. Not only the technical aspect but also the concept aspect of the design are what I need to strictly push myself to improve.



Graphic Design – Project 4 - Hello MICA :

- define the issue

① list the issue that you would like to see improved at MICA

△ There is only gym where students can exercise; no sport field, no any kind of ball's court, few sports club (the only one I know so far is badminton) Even gym's open hours r mostly at morning ! We have class at that time ! And also there's too less sports class in MICA gym !

② what are possible initiatives that would help?

organise the sports clubs (倡議 主動 初步 行動 首創 精神)

hold a big sport competition

include the organization of playful fundraising events for courses the need attention on campus, environmentally responsible activities, tea and coffee open forums to facilitate discussion, baking sessions to raise awareness

③ What are possible prompts that would help like "clean up!" about a particular topic, etc.

(提示 促使 啟發 啟蒙 引導 提示 指教 啟開)

× list the benefits of ~~exercise~~ exercising (good) :(

* Exercise outside * Want to be an art school student ?

④ How could you raise awareness or help improve the issue?

△ list the benefits of exercising

sports clubs / exercise together / 用各種運動選手姿勢隱射,比喻 各術學校 學生.

⑤ Describe the MICA community (your audience for this project)

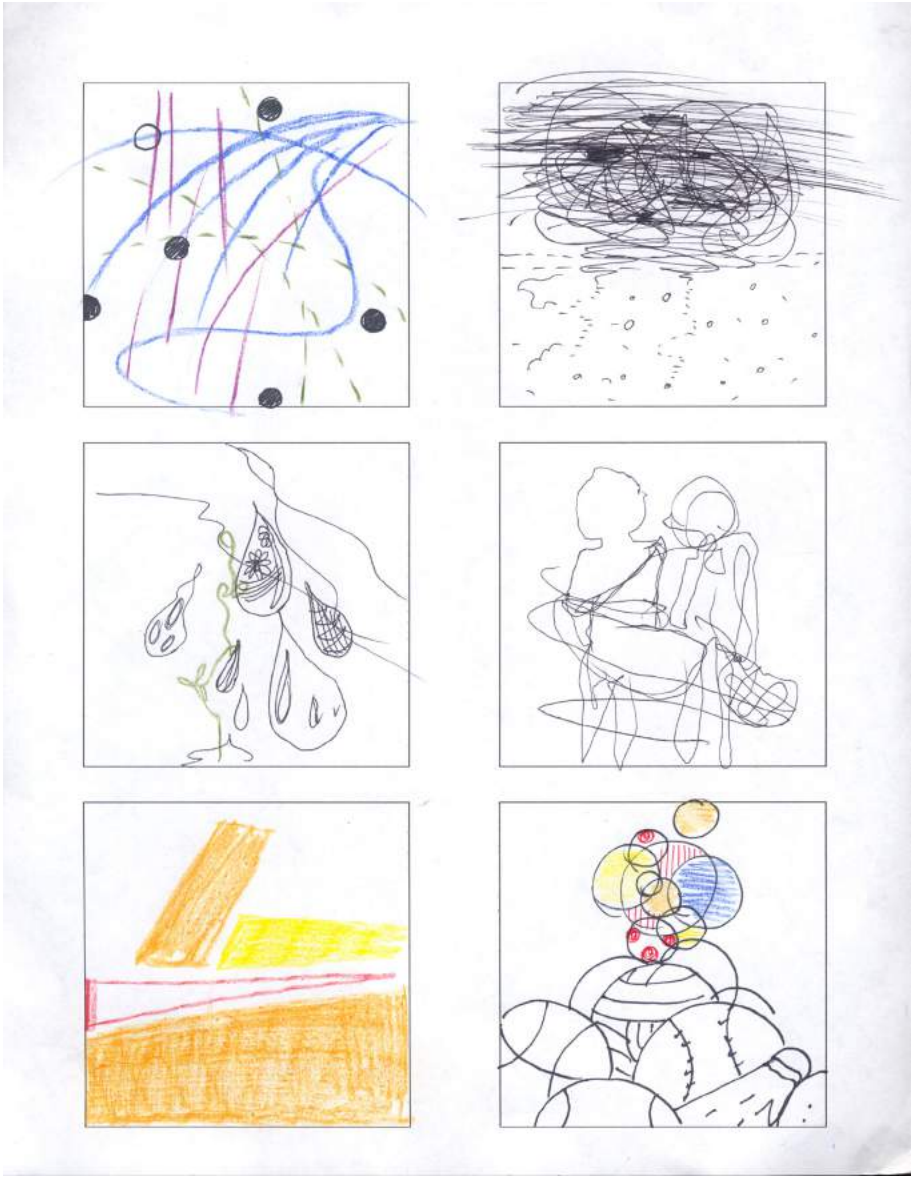
We, as the art students in MICA, are busy to learn and do our artworks. I found that most of students in MICA are under great pressure about school works. All my friends do everyday is homework homework homework. For my opinion, except for working, the students have need more time to "real life". Exercise is an important part which is benefit for our health and creativities.
On campus, there is no place to exercise except for gym.

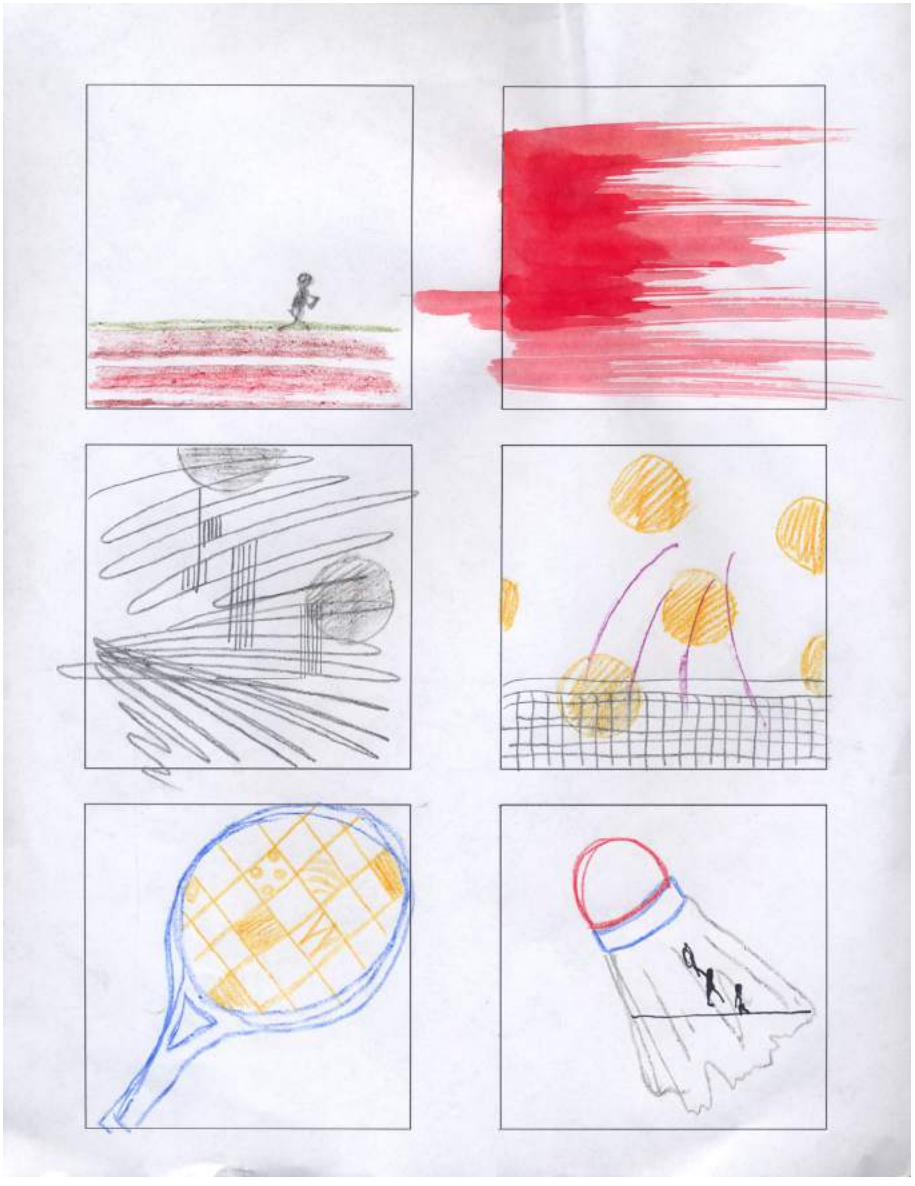
force connection words: acme / jurisdiction /

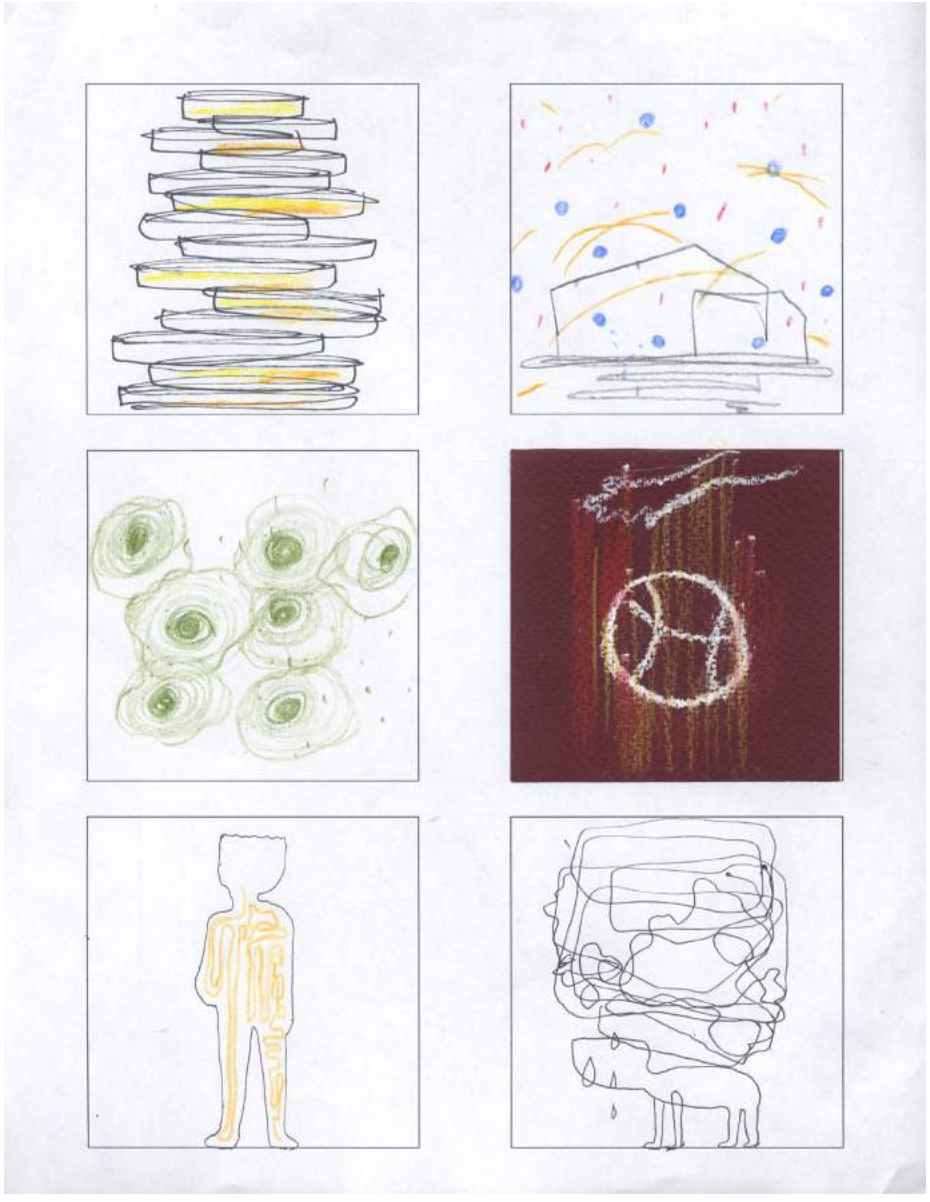
Humor –

強壯 - 點比較有力氣搬重具

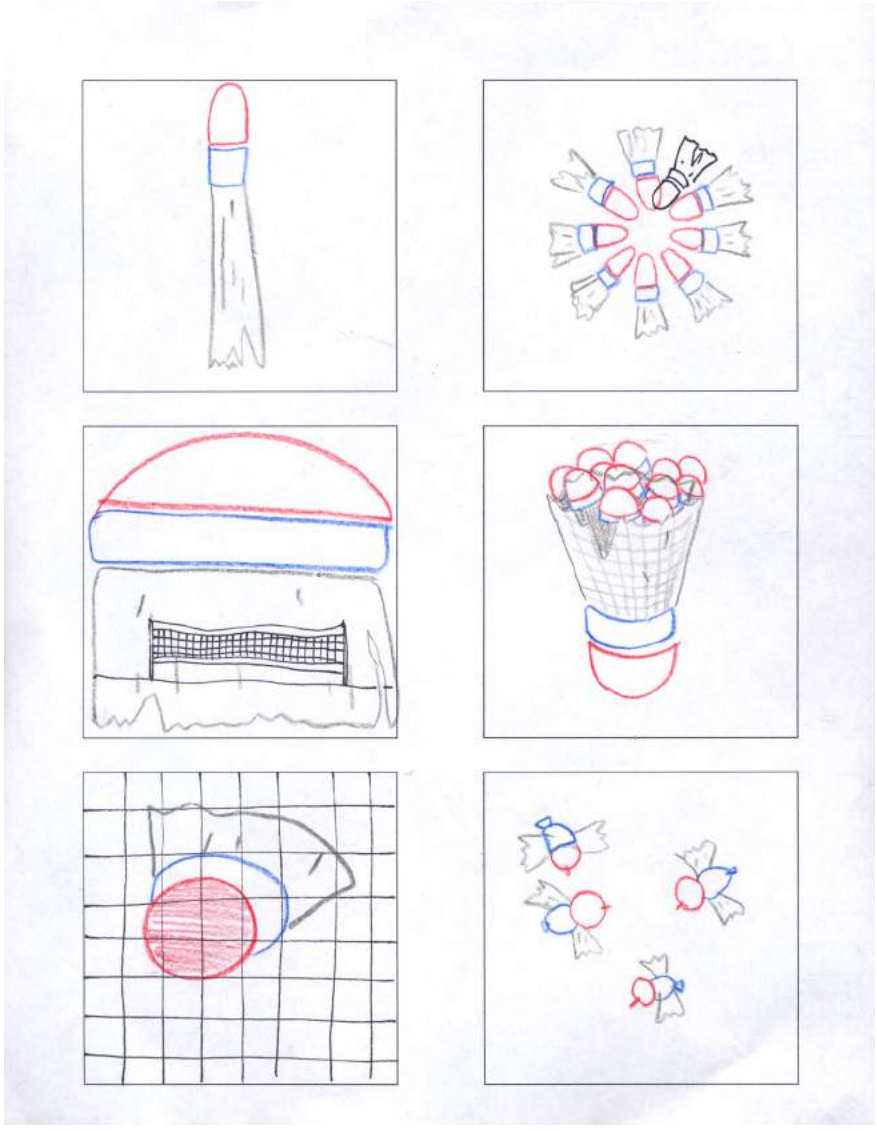
柔軟度夠方便用各種姿勢畫畫 and so on

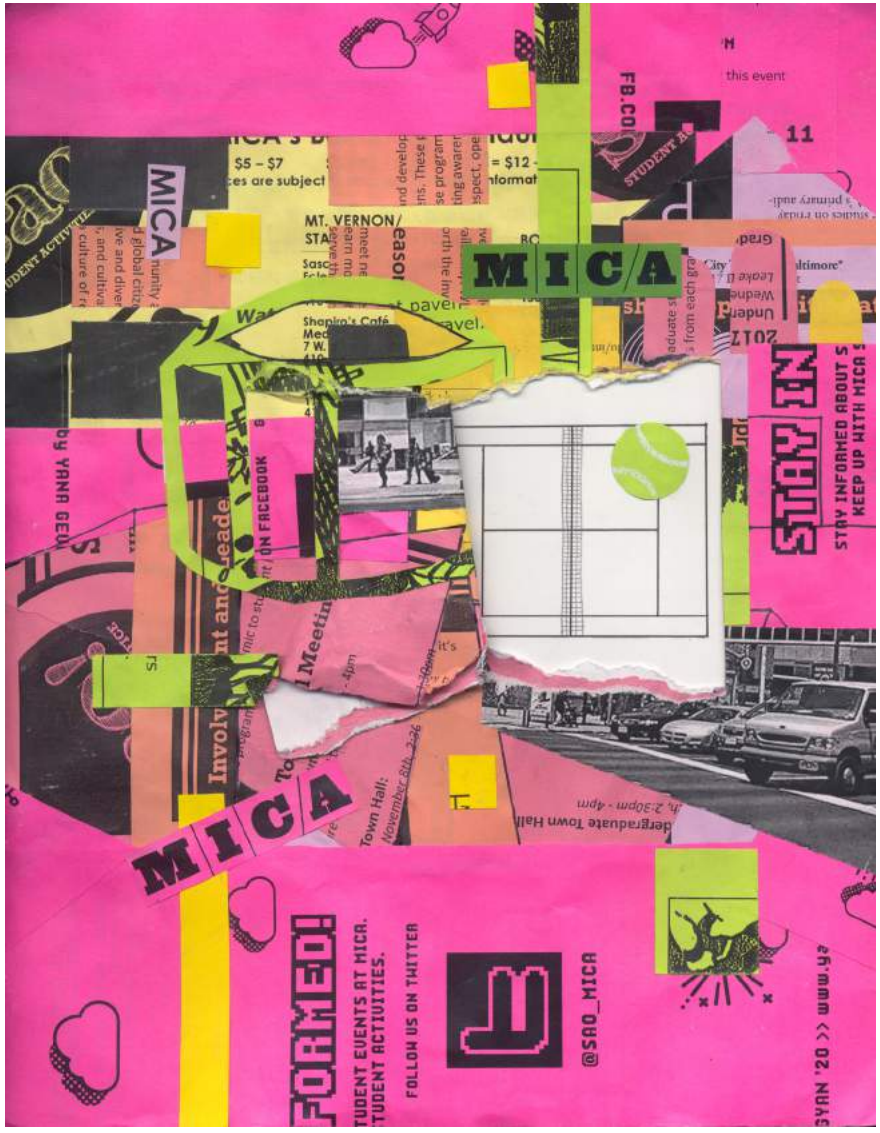




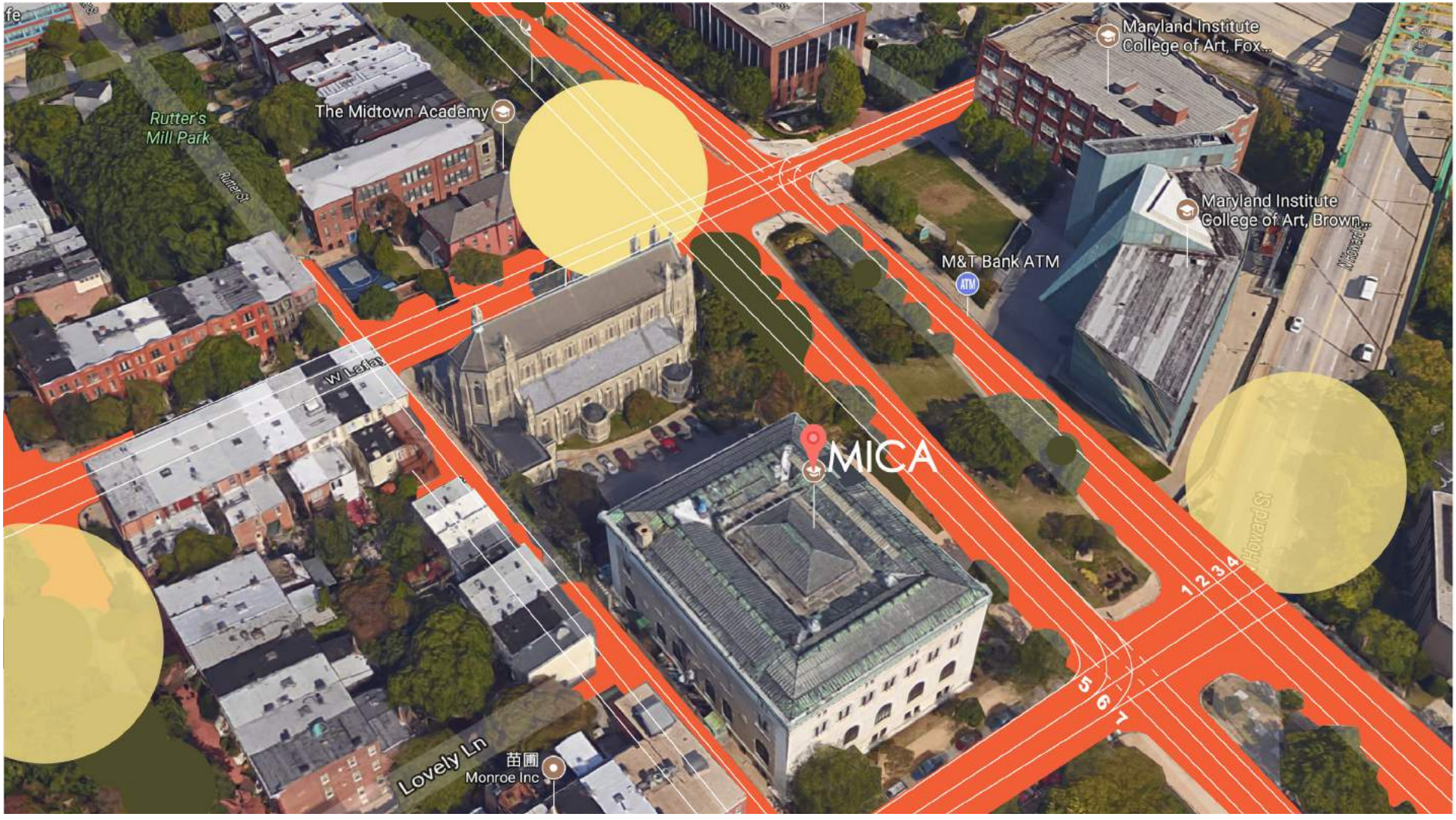


PROJECT 4 research and ideation

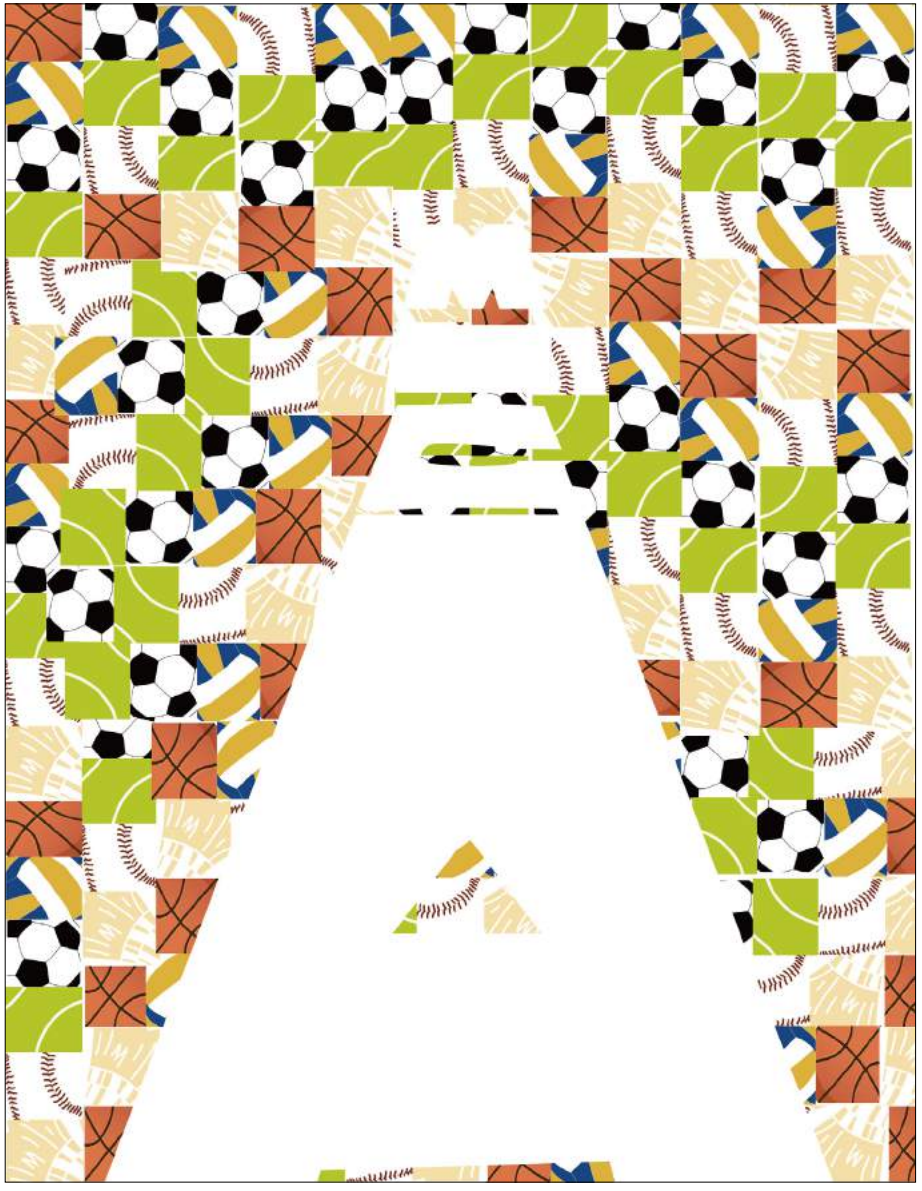


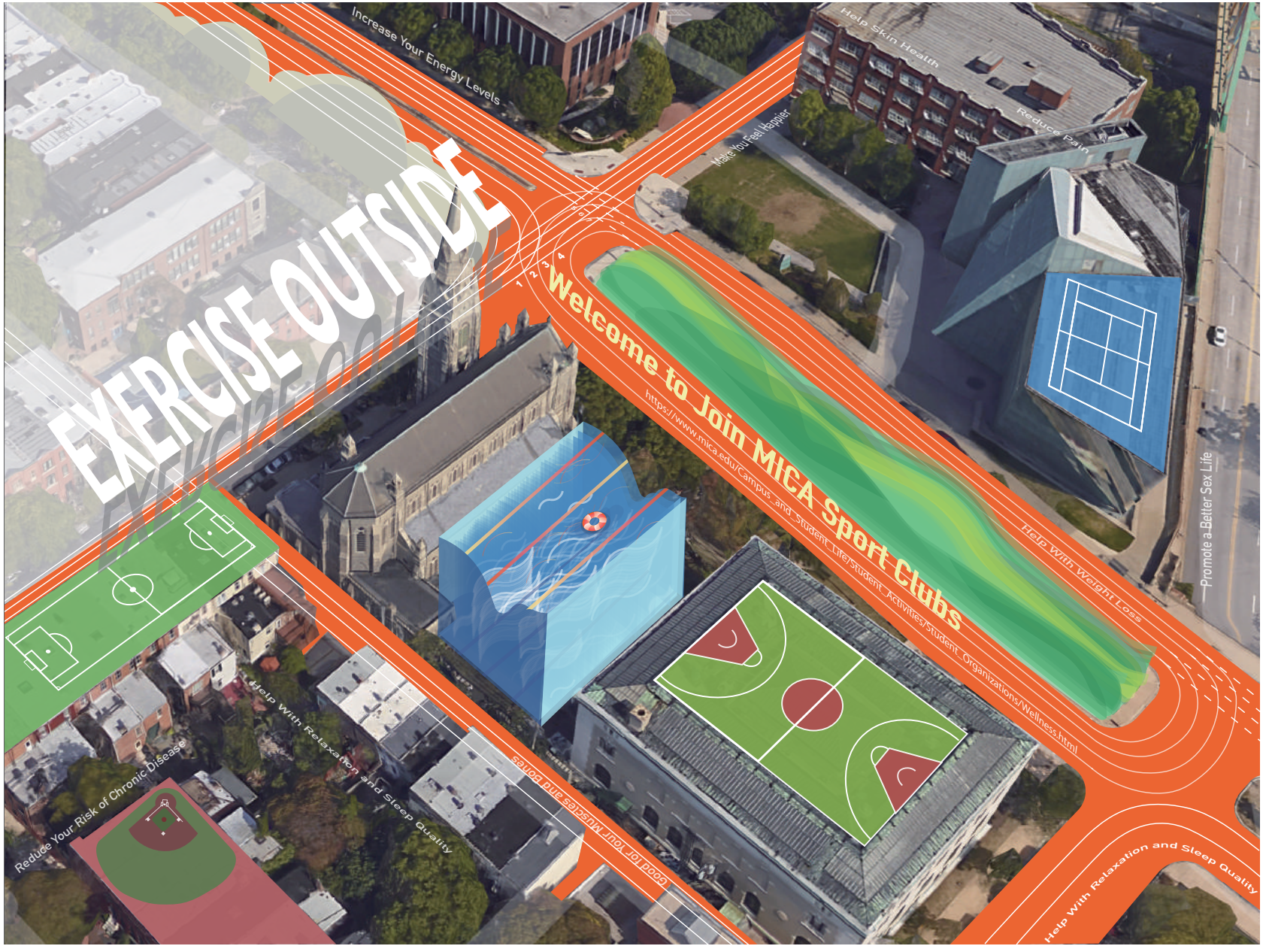


PROJECT 4 mock-ups, rough designs



PROJECT 4 mock-ups, rough designs




EXERCISE OUTSIDE
Increase Your Energy Levels
Help Skin Health
Reduce Pain
Make You Feel Happier
Welcome to Join MICA Sport Clubs
https://www.mica.edu/Campus_and_Student_Life/Student_Activities/Student_Organizations/Wellness.html
Promote a Better Sex Life
Help With Weight Loss
Help With Relaxation and Sleep Quality
Reduce Your Risk of Chronic Disease
Help With Relaxation and Sleep Quality
Good for Your Muscles and Bones

Pei Jung Ho

PROJECT 4 written reflection

Project four is the most challenging project for me in this semester. I thought it's because that I made the assignment too complicated. While making the Hello MICA poster, the first problem I met is that I didn't have enough AI skills to visualize my thought. Then I didn't solve the problems appropriately. In general, my attitude was not correct, and it led me to do this project under great pressure. I usually ask myself to be perfect, but sometimes it is an obstruction. After this experience, I realized that although I haven't been good enough to reach the ideal one, I have to try my best to find an alternative method. Also, time management is an important part, especially when you encounter the difficulties with the project. Another problem I met is typography. At the final solution, I took a lot of effort on typography but there is still a lot of room for improvement. To sum up, I'm totally not satisfied my final work. This semester is the beginning to enter the design area. I've learned a lot during past four months especially design process. Whether good or not, I'll keep these experiences in mind and try to be better in the future.