

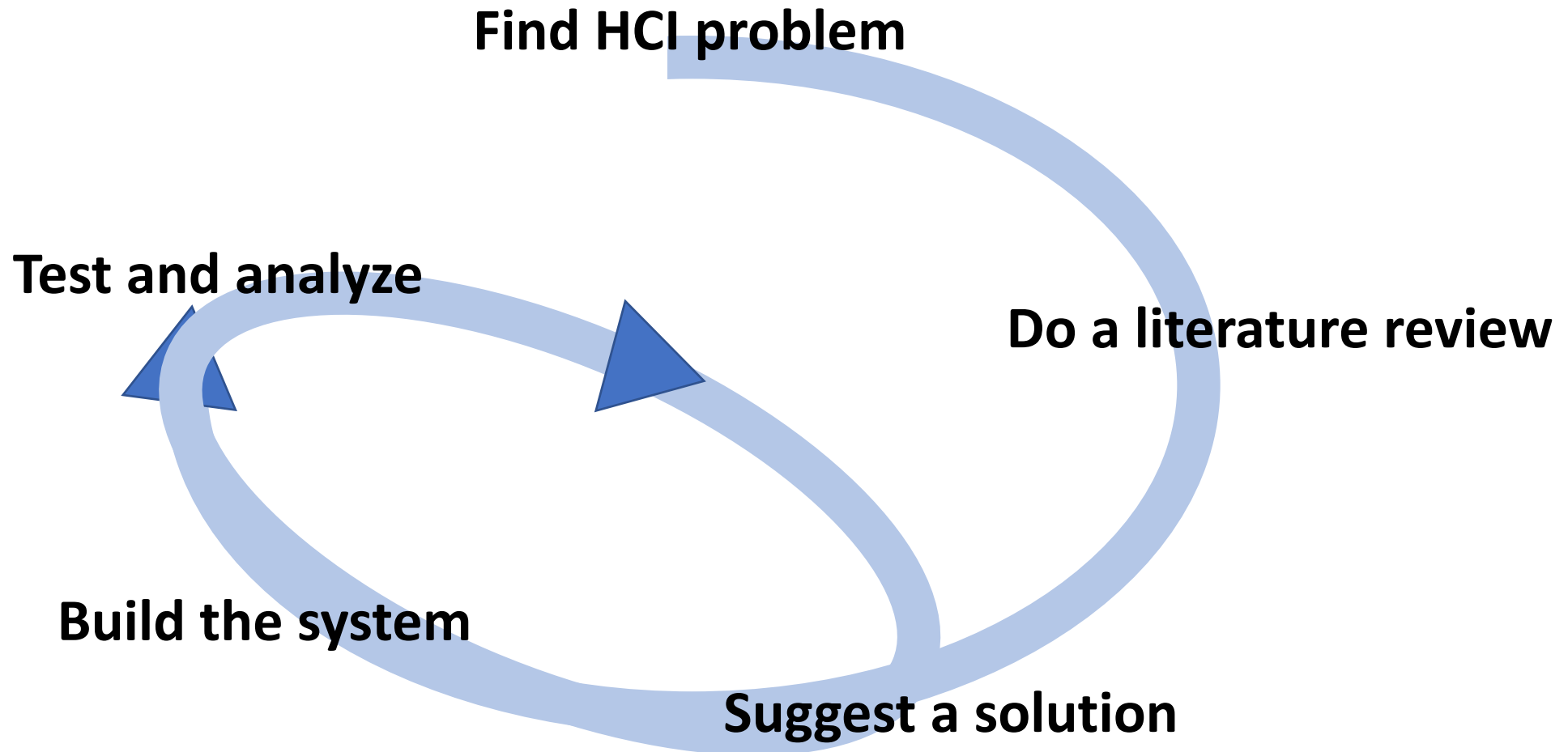
# Literature Review

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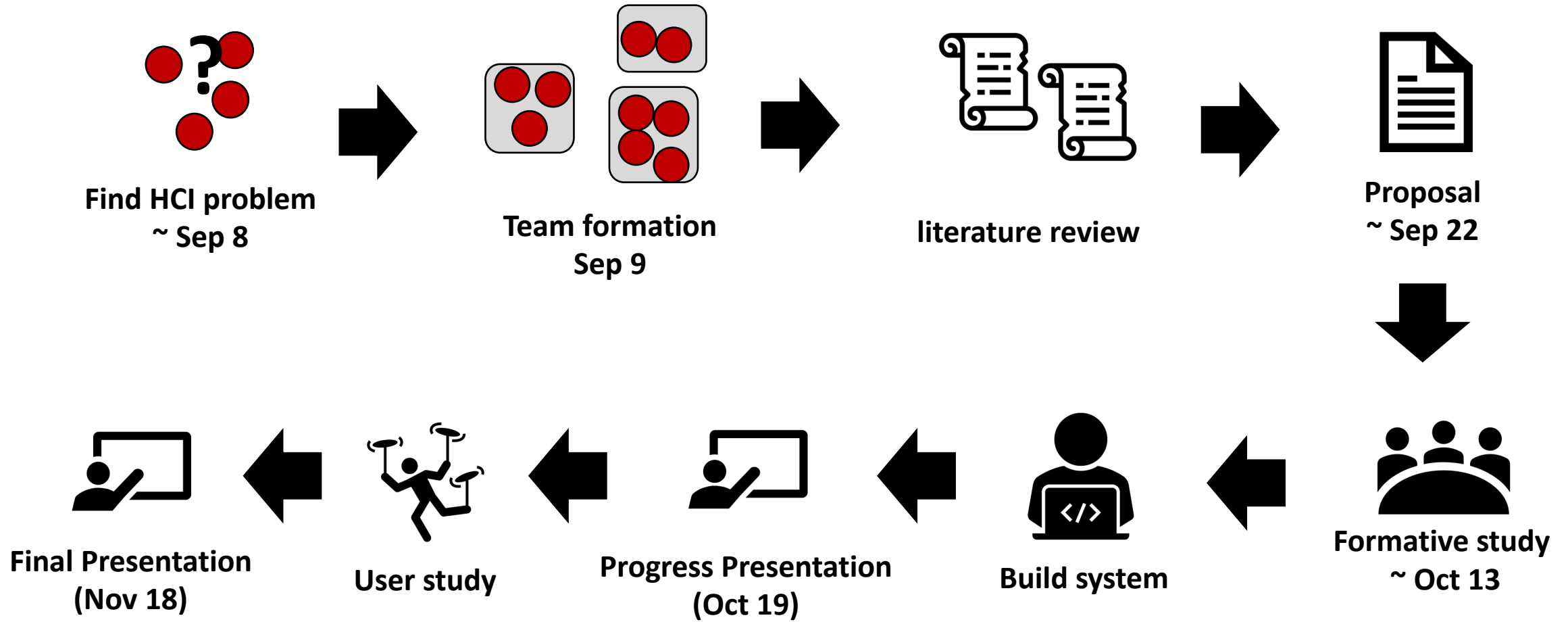
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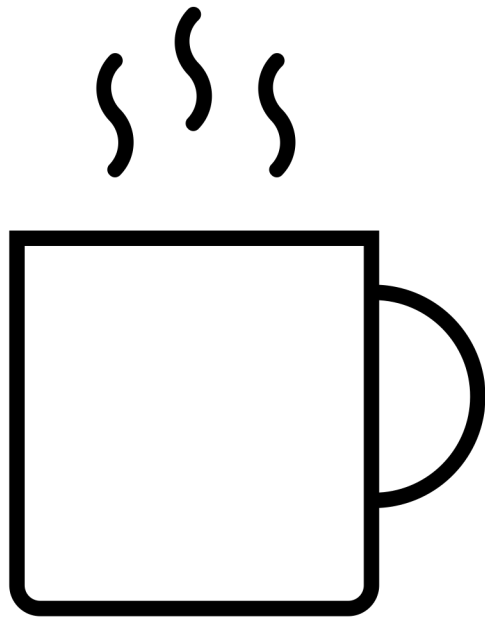
# Conducting HCI Research



# Course Project: Timeline



# Find a Problem



**I start a day with a cup  
of coffee**

**I make coffee at home  
every morning**

**And it tastes **AWFUL****



# Analyze the Problem

**1**

**Grind  
Coffee  
Beans**

**2**

**Put it in the  
portafilter**

**3**

**Apply pressure  
with a tamper**

**4**

**Use an  
espresso  
machine to  
brew**

**5**

**Your  
coffee**



**It's very important to apply the right amount of pressure  
but I have no idea what the right amount of pressure is!**

# Refine the Problem



The current **portafilter doesn't show how much pressure I need to apply**, and it's ruining many people's mornings

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- How much pressure is good? – an experiment on the relationship between tamping pressure and coffee taste, CHI 2025
  - Half of us aren't doing it right – a survey on New York Times
  - A guide to good coffee by Famous Barista



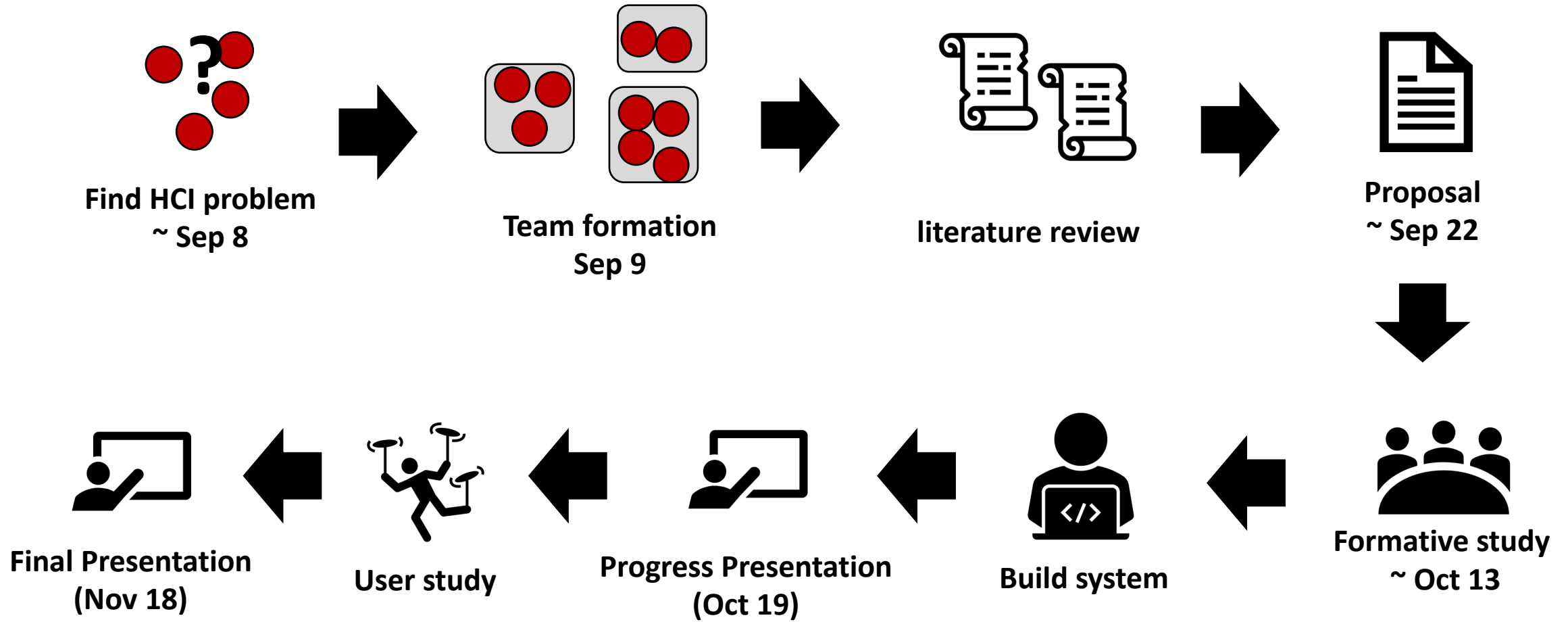
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- CoffeeBot: A Tamping Robot that Applies Exact Pressure using AI and Soft Robotics, CHI 2030
  - CoffeeUber: A Crowdsourcing Approach for Coffee Tamping, CSCW 2029
  - YouBarista: A Platform for Coffeemaking Learning
  - CoffeeAnalyzer: Visualizing Final Coffee based on the Applied Pressure on the Portafilter

# Do a Literature Review

- **Understand the context**
- **Understand the area**
  - SteakSense: Color-Changing Pan For a Perfect Steak
  - HammerItRight: Pressure- and Force- sensing Hammer
  - Fabricating Small Pressure-Sensing Devices
- **Understand approaches**

# Course Project: Timeline



# Course Project: Team Formation

- You will find teammates to solve the problem together
- Team size: 3-5 students / team
- Create your team channel on Slack
  - this will be used until the semester end
- Introduce yourselves 😊

# Course Project: Team Formation Report

- One report per team
- Should include
  - Team Name
  - Team Member Names
  - HCI Problem
- Team Formation Report is Due Next Tuesday (11:59 pm)

# Web Programming Tutorial

- Aashik will give three web programming tutorial sessions
- Optional but **highly recommended** if you are new to web programming
- Wednesdays at 7pm on Zoom → **TODAY!**
- Topics
  - Sep 2: HTML and CSS
  - **Sep 9: JavaScript**
  - Sep 16: Database

**Have Visual Studio Code installed on your computer**

Thank you!