

# THE BIRTH OF HCI

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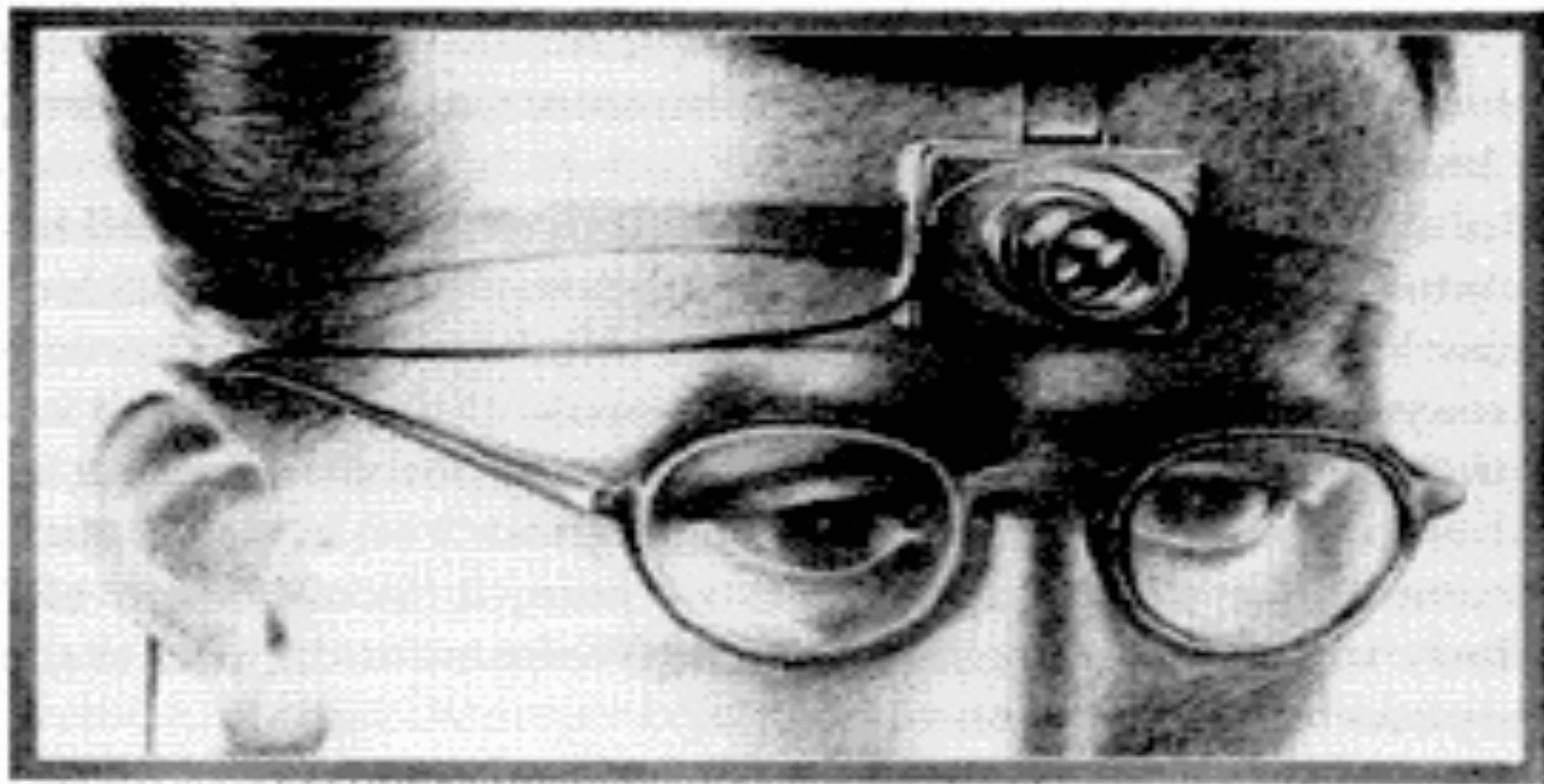
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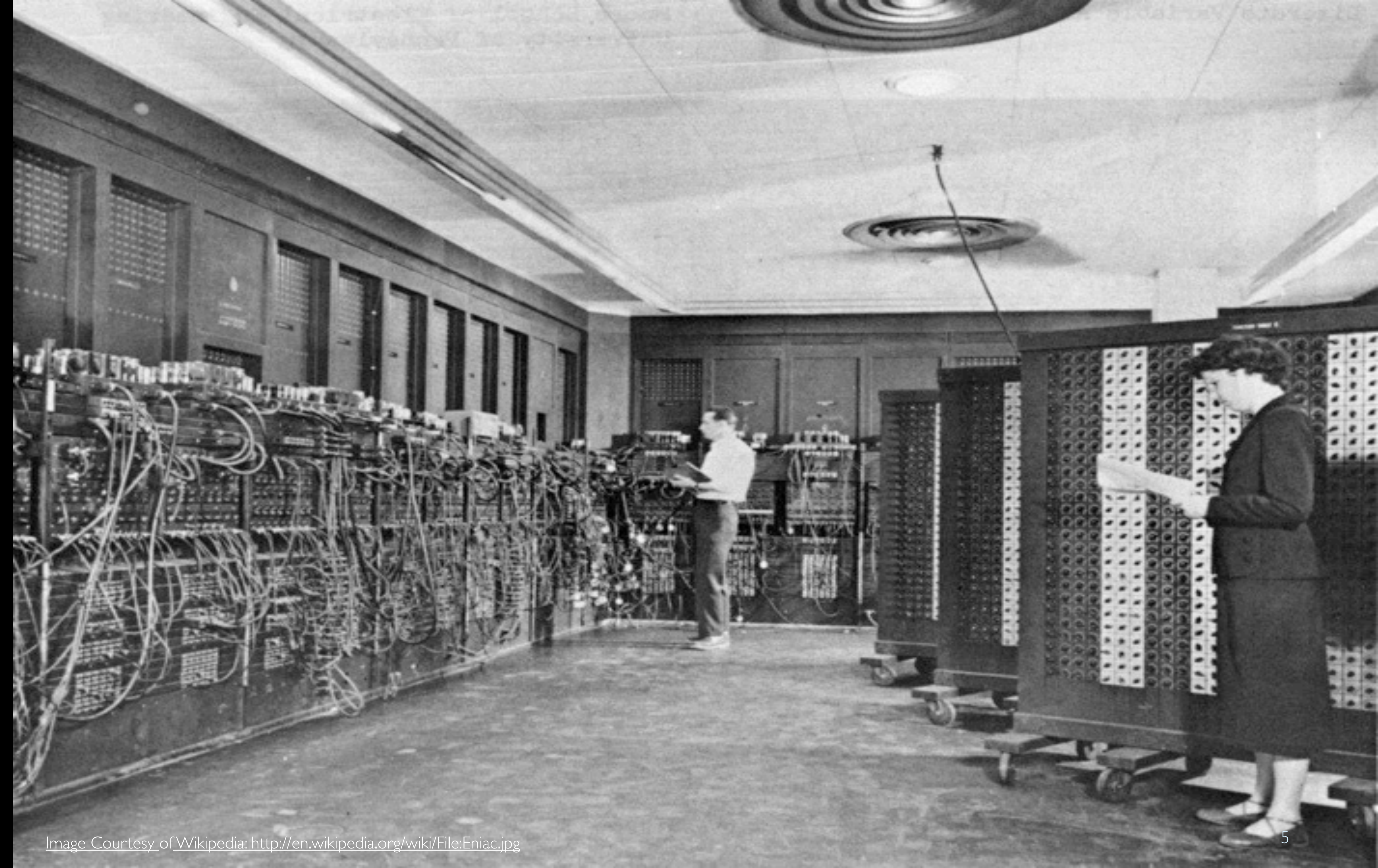
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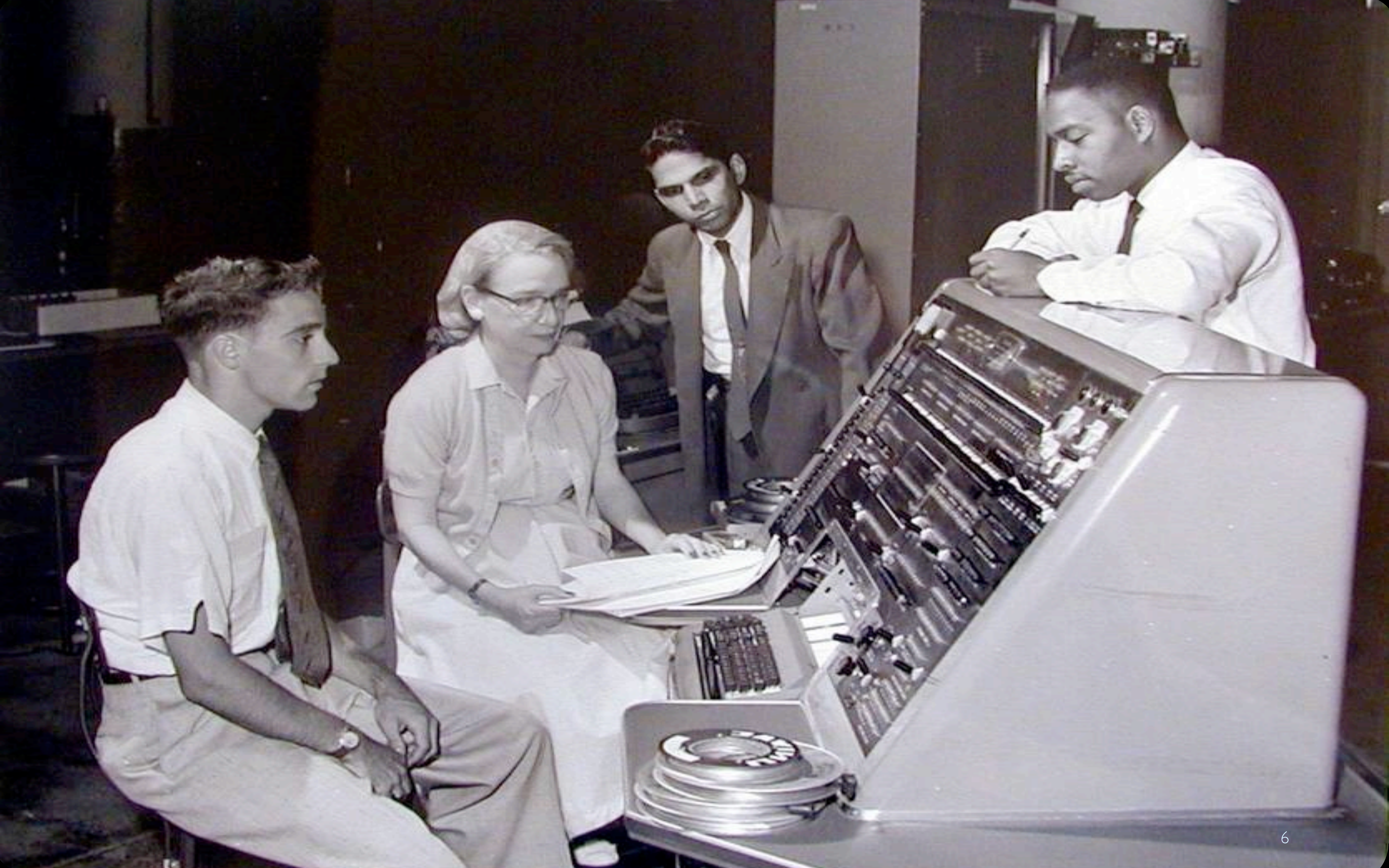


A scientist of the future records experiments with a tiny camera fitted with universal-focus lens. The small square in the eyeglass at the left sights the object (*LIFE* 19(11), p. 112).











# The Graphical User Interface



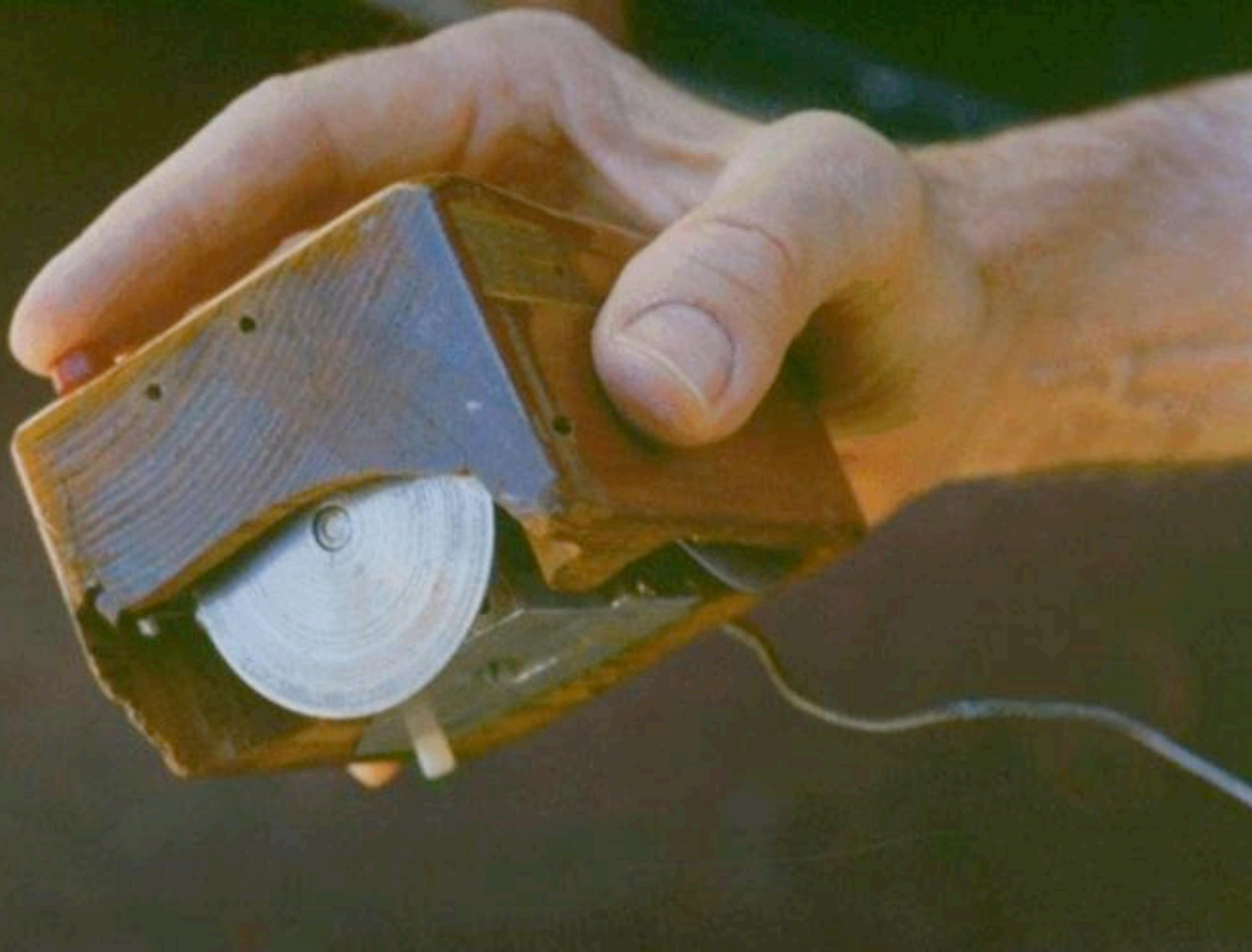


# The Mouse and Hypertext











Inspires Alan Kay



“The best way to  
predict the future is  
to invent it”











# The “Long Nose” of Innovation (*Buxton*)



# To learn more about this history...

- Fred Turner, From Counterculture to Cyberculture
- John Markoff, What the Dormouse Said
- Bill Buxton, Sketching User Experiences
- Johnny Lee, Interface Technologies That Have Not Yet Left The Lab