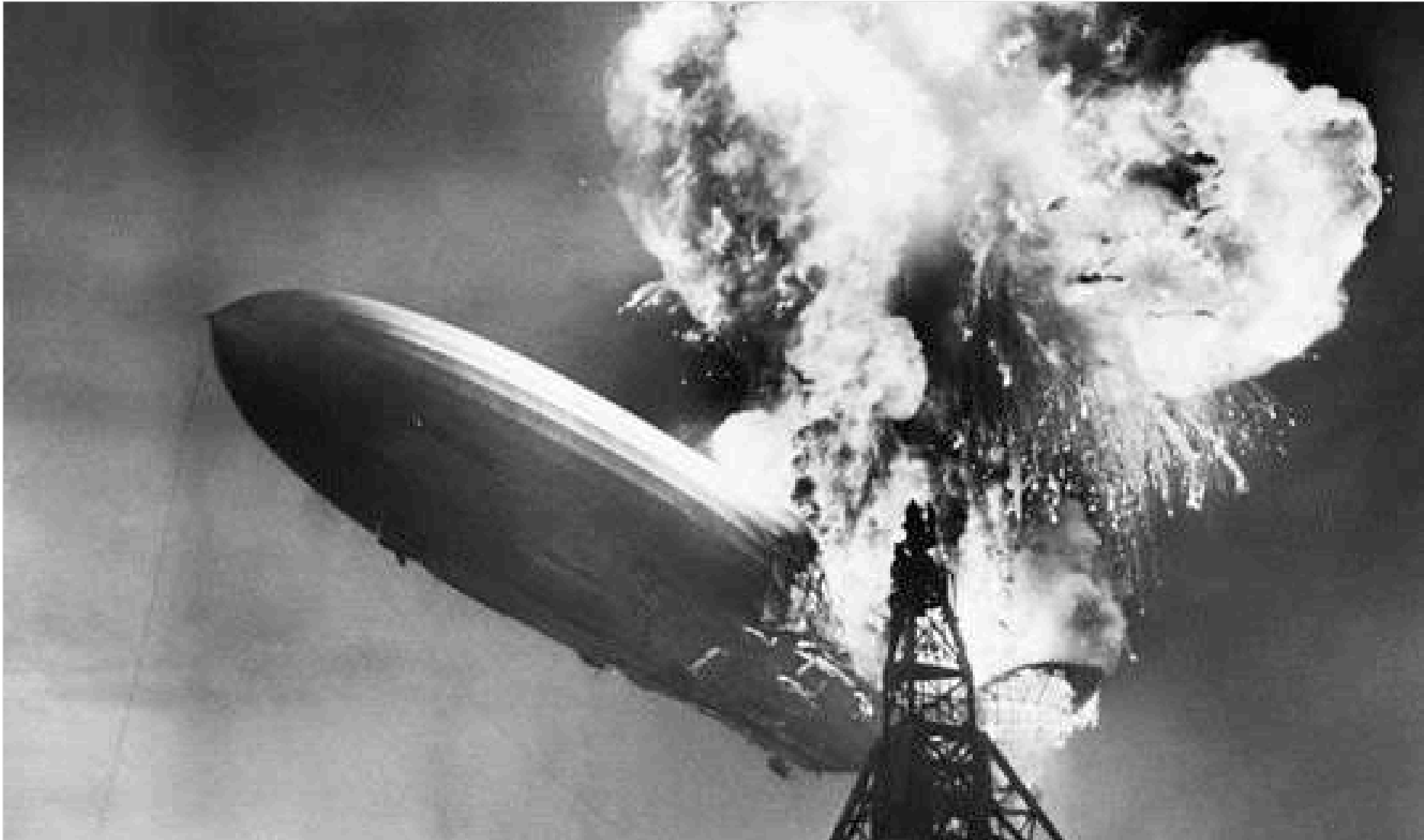


Data Science

Design Thinking

The truth about Data Science projects



The Internet says so

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Big Data Success Remains Elusive: Study



Jeff Bertolucci
News

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Just over a quarter of organizations say their big data initiatives are a success, according to a recent Capgemini study. So why are three of four unsuccessful?

Nearly eight out of ten organizations have big data projects underway, but only 27% describe their efforts as "successful," and a scant 8% as "very successful." But despite this dim view of their data-driven efforts thus far, 60% of executives surveyed recently by consulting firm



I say so, and I'm as old as dirt



Data Science is a terrible thing to waste



My conjecture. By me.



***A Data Scientist
can increase the probability
that a project is successful
by 5-10X
if they approach it as a
Design Thinking leader***

Yours to keep: A Design Thinking process for Data Science projects

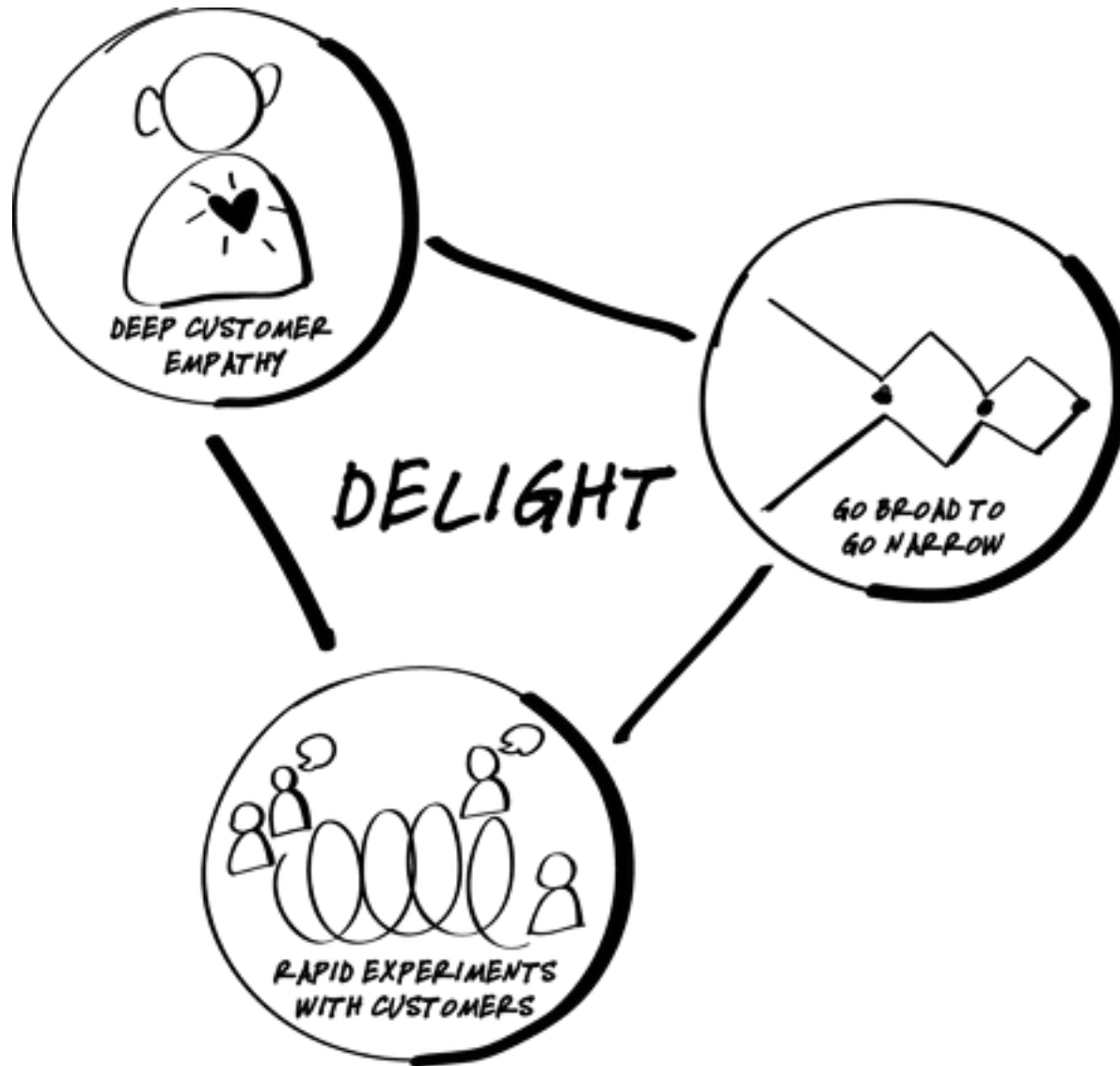




“ We’ve challenged everyone who works for us — even our lawyers and accountants — to think deeply about how design should be part of their jobs.”

CEO Brad Smith
Harvard Business Review
January 2015

Design for Delight



“ Design for Delight articulates Intuit’s approach to design thinking, based on deep customer empathy, idea generation, and experimentation.

D4D provides the entire company with a common framework for building great products.”

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It's a journey



Show me



Data Science new products

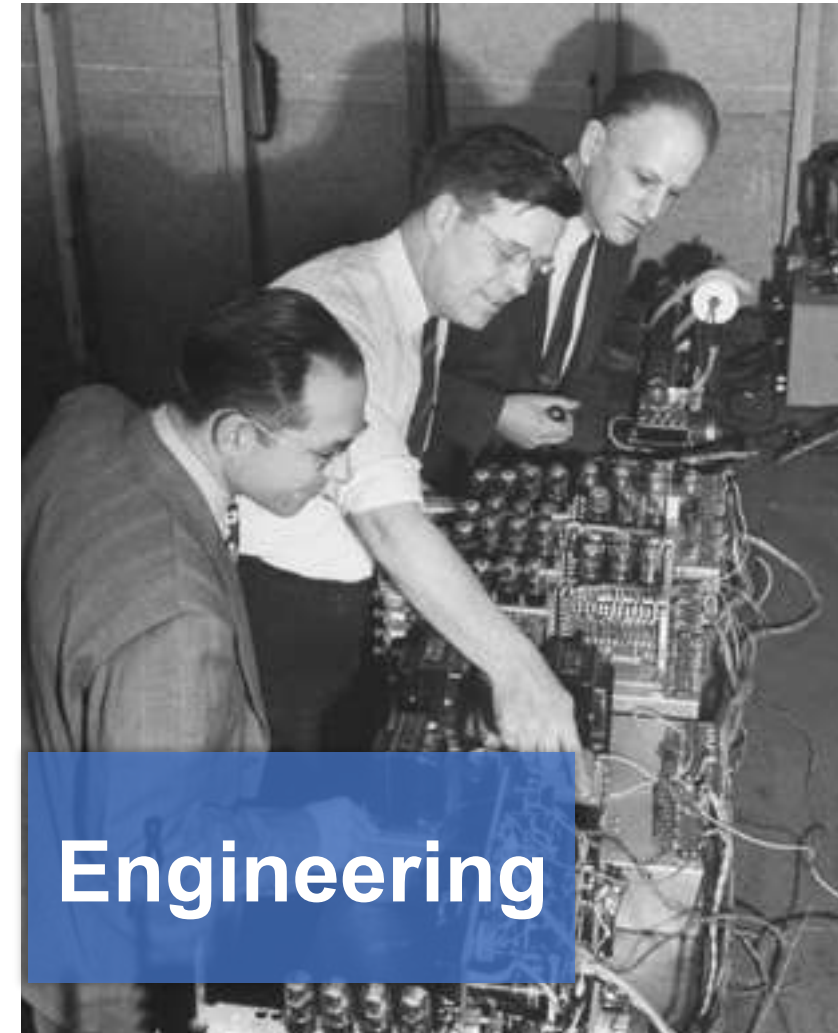


One-Time Analysis

Decision Support System

Decision Engine

Data Science diverse customers



The Data Scientist as Design Thinking leader

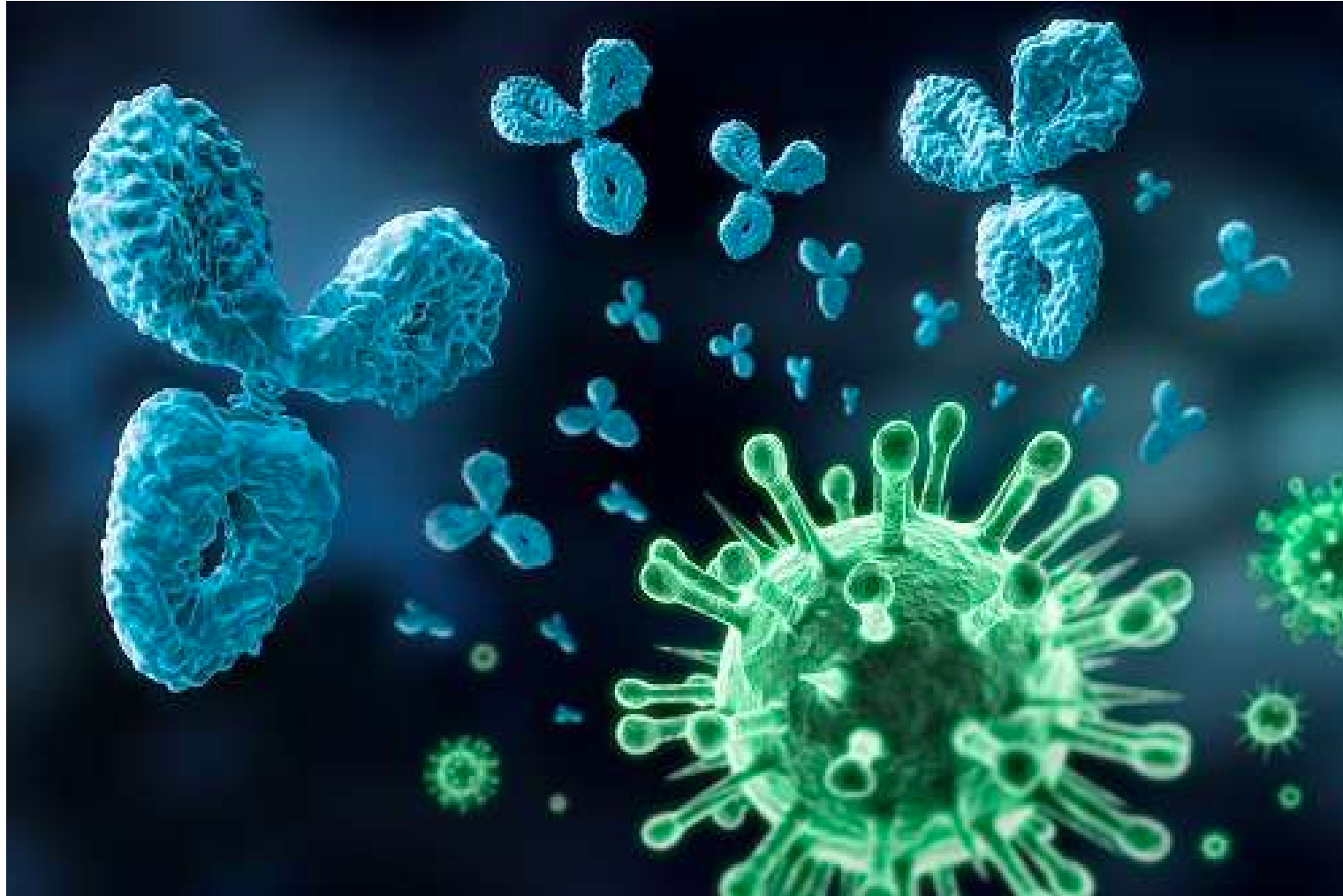


The root cause of Data Science project failure



**It's hard to get an organization
to adopt a new idea**

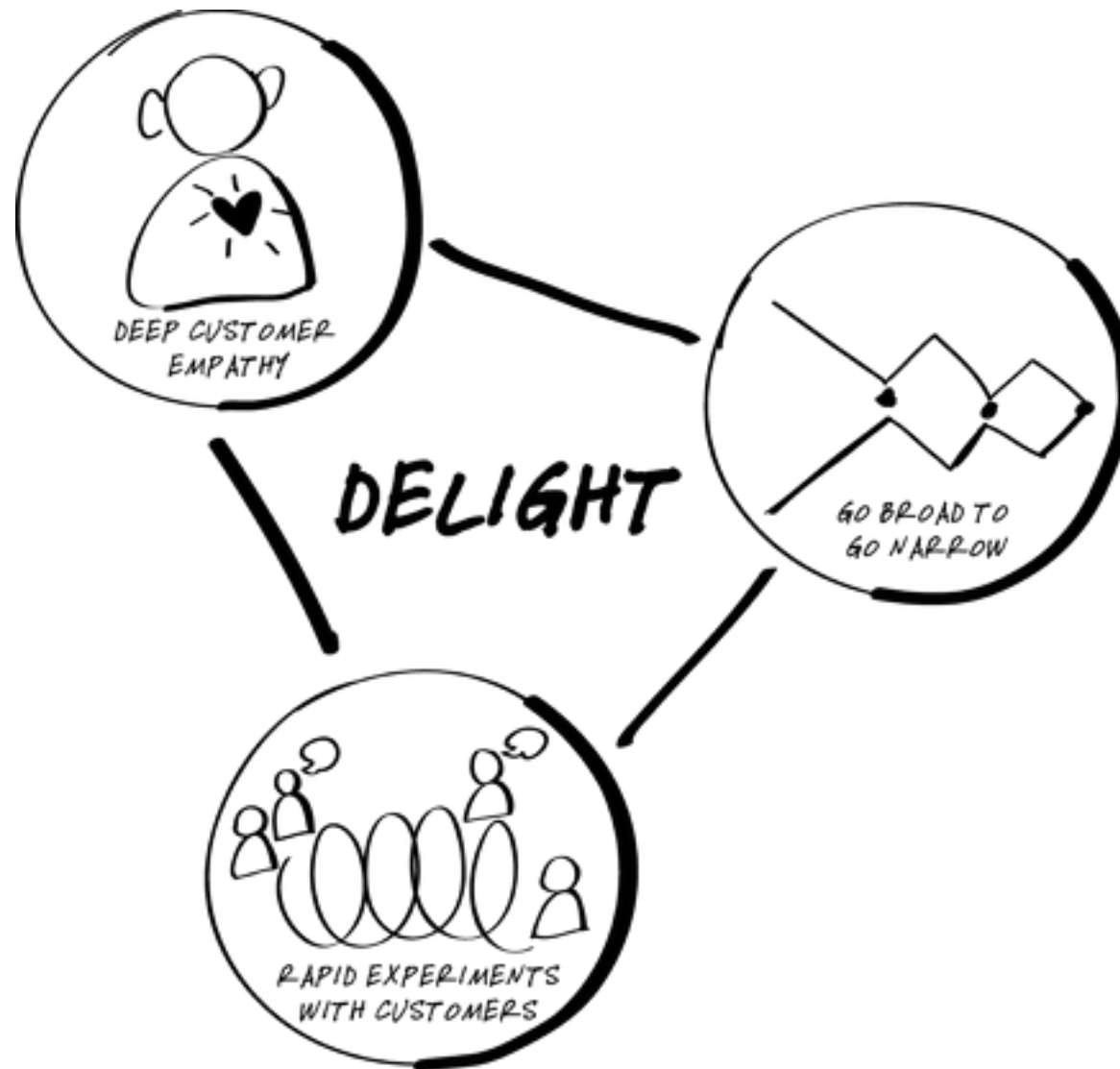
Organizations have immune responses, too



Finally. The process. Let's go!



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The Data Scientist as detective





Interview





Synthesize






Personas

Artifact



	Name
	Background
Role	
Rationale	
Hopes	
Concerns	



Problem Statements

Artifact



As a Role and 2-3 descriptive facts

I want to Goal

because Rationale

but Obstacle

so I feel Emotion



Environment

Artifact



Data

Samples

Systems

Sketches

Processes

Storyboards



Design Evaluation Criteria

***How will we evaluate
a proposed design?***

Artifact



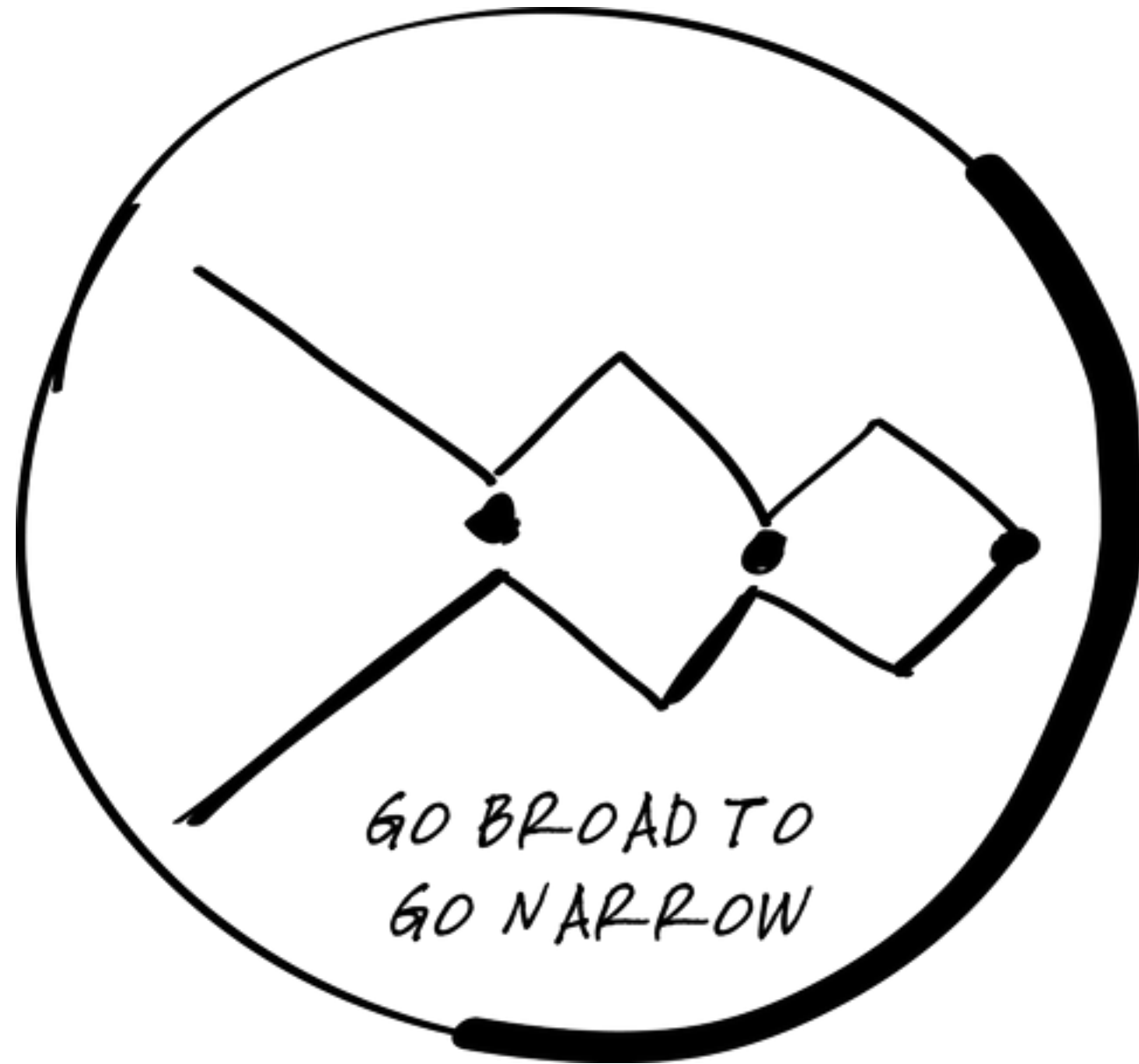


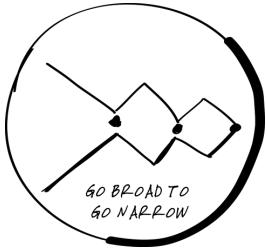
Solution Evaluation Criteria

***How will we evaluate
an implemented solution?***

Artifact

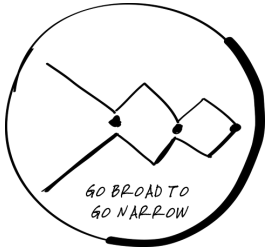






The Data Scientist as convener



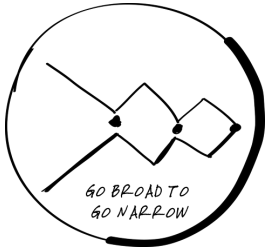


Review etiquette



Brainstorming Rules

- Stay on topic
- One conversation at a time
- Don't criticize or ridicule
- Build on the ideas of others



Set context

Personas

The Persona form template includes the following fields:

- Name
- Photo
- Background
- Project Role
- Project Rationale
- Project Hopes
- Project Concerns

Problem Statements

The Problem Statement form template includes the following fields:

- Role and 2-3 descriptive facts
- As a [Role]
- I want to [Goal]
- because [Rationale]
- but [Obstacle]
- so I feel [Emotion]

Environment

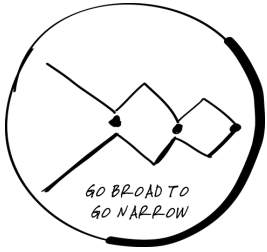
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- Systems
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- Storyboards

Evaluation Criteria

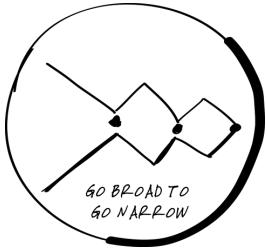
The Evaluation Criteria form template includes the following fields:

- Solution Evaluation Criteria
- Design Evaluation Criteria
- How will we evaluate a proposed design?



Facilitate idea generation and filtering





Solution hypothesis

Artifact



Solution hypothesis

Succinct statement of the best idea

Leap-of-faith assumptions

What must be true for the idea to work?

Experiment

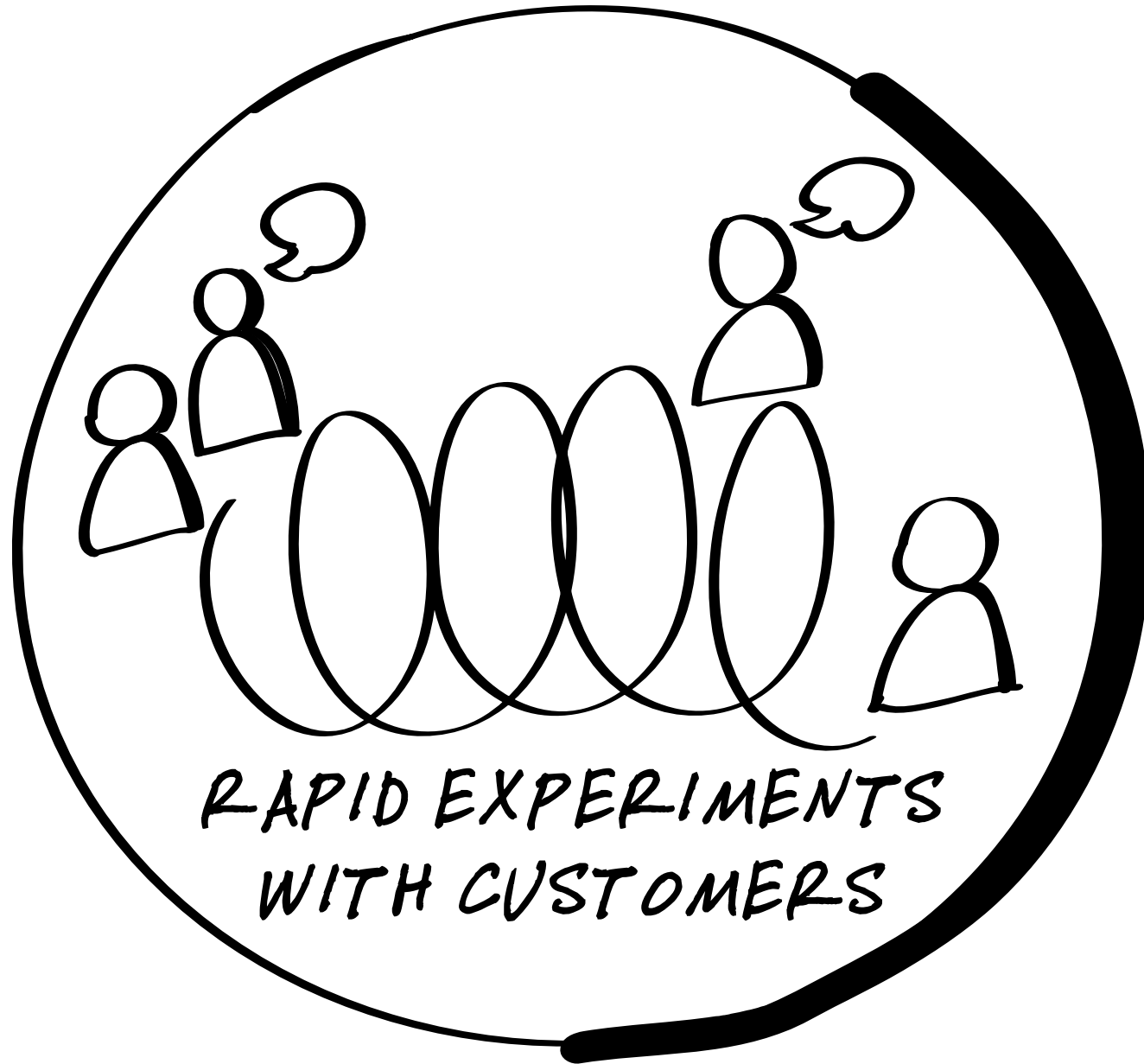
What rapid experiment can we do?

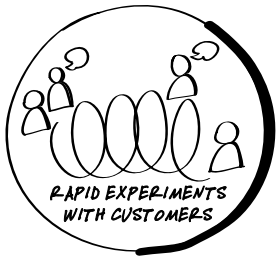
What we'll learn

What will it teach us?

How we'll respond

What will we do, either way?





The Data Scientist as builder

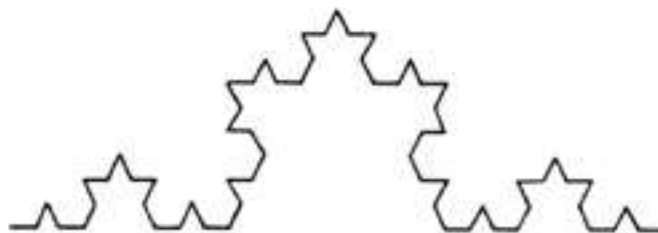
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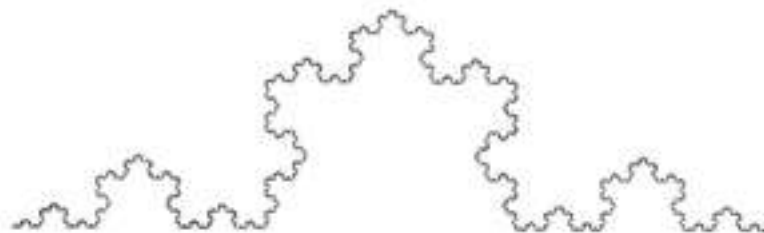
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3rd iteration



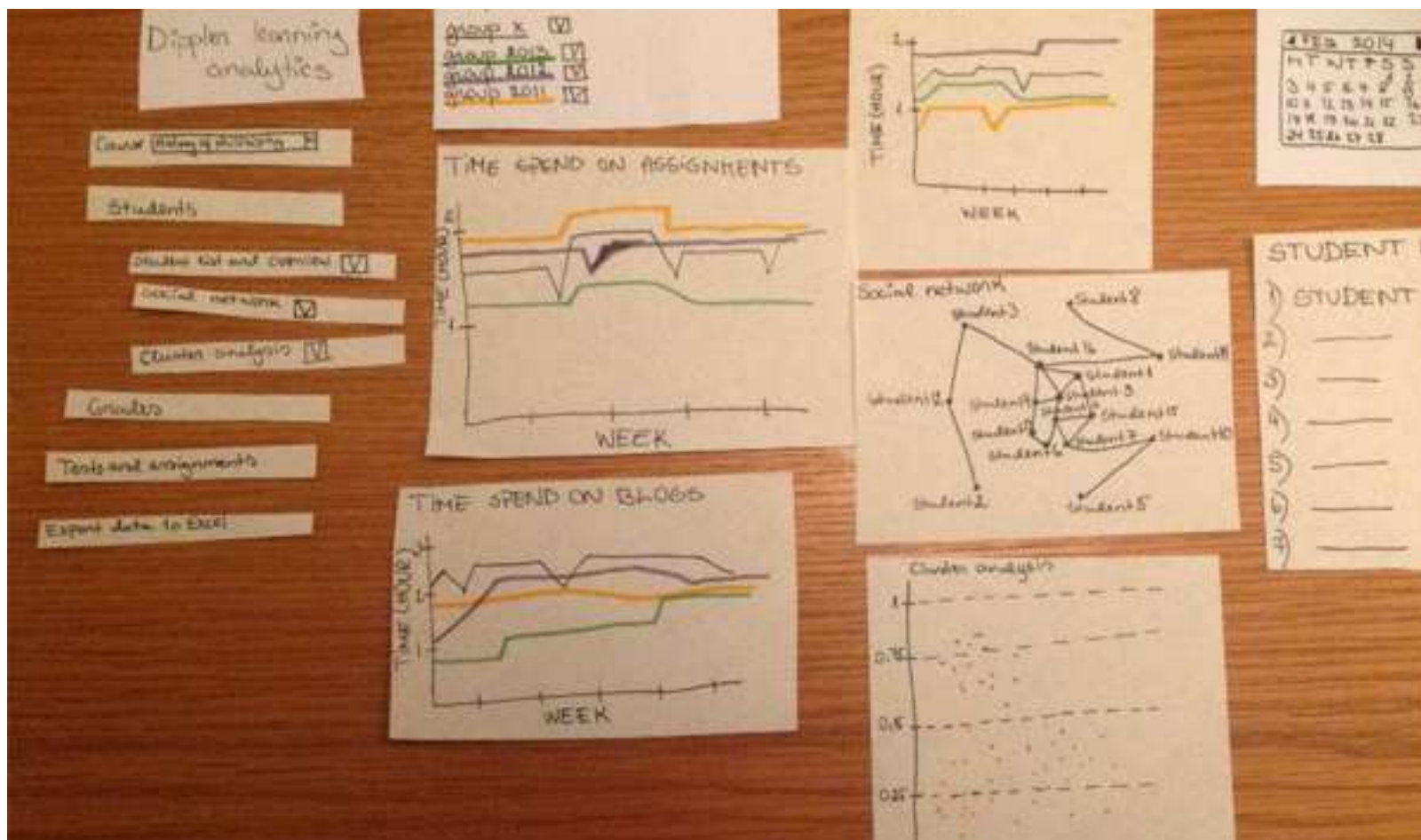
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Paper prototype

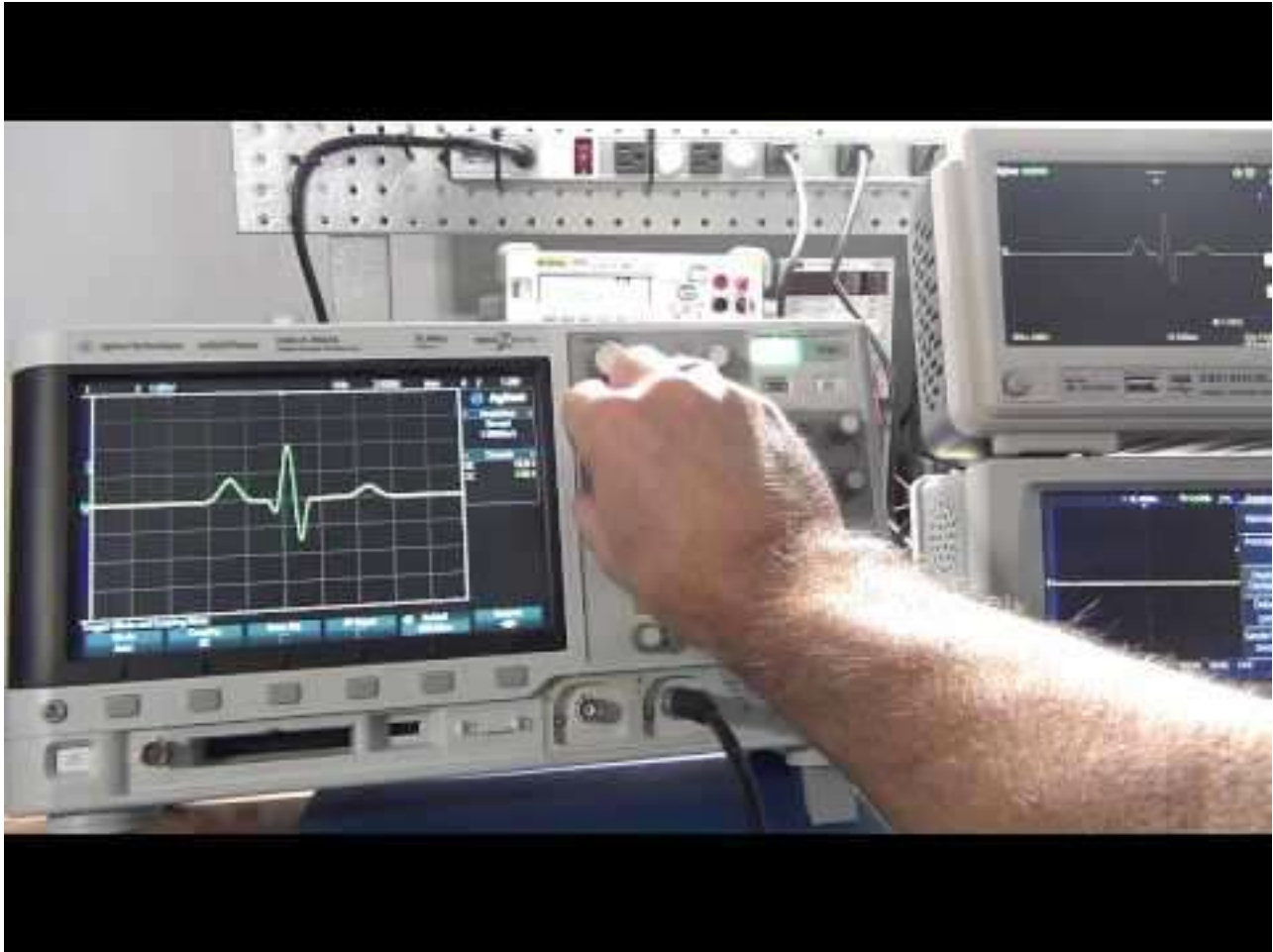
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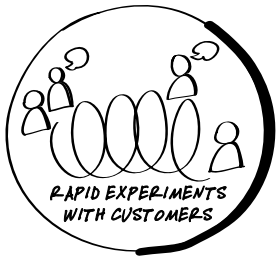




Algorithm testing rig

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Iterate

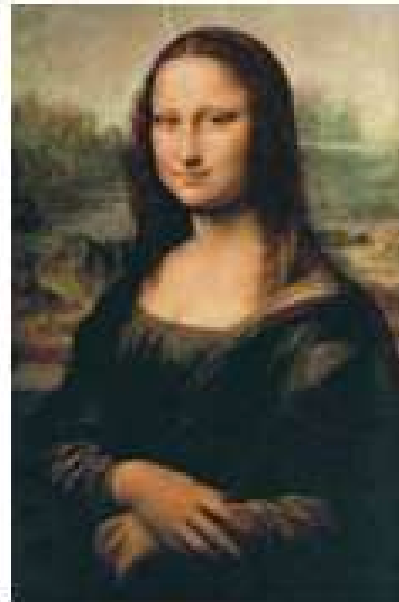
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One step at a time



Enjoy!

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