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26th May to 2d June 2021

French-American Online Design Schools *Workshop*

Invisible handicap

Care design or *how to make handicap invisible*

The Design Schools Workshop is a collaborative workshop involving mixed (École Nationale Supérieure Des Arts Décoratifs De Paris / Pratt Institute) teams of students.



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French and American schools will participate online synchronously over 7 days, in seven teams of three selected students.

The final public presentation to the jury shall be held online on Wednesday 2nd, 2021, 12:00 pm EST.

SELECTED TOPIC

Care design or how to make handicap invisible

What is handicap? What could *invisible handicap* mean?

Through meetings and exchanges with doctors, patient associations, a psychologist and a philosopher, we will question the meaning of handicap and the various situations that may be experienced by handicapped patients, their families and their caregivers in order to imagine innovative and sensitive devices designed to care. By focusing your research (monitored by design professors and PhD students) on a specific challenge and adopting a particular point of view (from the patient's perspective, the members of his/her family, caregivers' ones or), you will design objects, images, services to help patients, raise common awareness and encourage support.

Your tools will be the drawing, 3D modeling and a paper model (to represent your project).

This project will be presented to a jury of recognized professionals.

PROVISIONAL SCHEDULE

15/03/2021 • Registration open to candidates

05/04/2021 • Registration deadline

05/05/2021 • Students shall submit 3 images .jpg + a 3min video

10/05/2021 • Forming teams

17/05/2021 • Visio meeting with students, mentors, partner, doctor, user association, psychologist,...
first
exchanges on the topic

26/05/2021 • Kick Off/Intro session / visio-meeting with Imagine and Professors Célia Crétolle, Nadia Bahi-Buisson, Sandrine Merlin.

27/05/2021 • Teamwork, with scheduled “checkpoints” and “work in progress review” moments, meeting with psychologist Gulia Disnan + users association.

28/05/2021 • Interim presentation / Teamwork, with scheduled “checkpoints” and “work in progress review”.

29/05/2021 • Teamwork session

30/05/2021 • Teamwork session

31/05/2021 • Interim presentation / Teamwork, with scheduled “checkpoints” and “work in progress review”.

01/06/2021 • Teamwork session

02/06/2021 • Jury



COMMUNICATION

An online platform will be set up with Discord, for internal communication, pre-launch preparation and during the workshops with the students. Daily posting on a dedicated Instagram account.

ED. MONITORING

Cyril Afsa	• professor and designer
Sophie Larger	• professor and designer
Aurélie Rolland	• UX designer
Mathew Stauntow	• professor
Audrey Brugnoli	• PhD student Ensad Lab
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