PDF-OBJECTS

PDF-OBJECTS is a growing collection of artist selected text-object pairings.

Audiences are encouraged to pick up and engage the PDFs either alongside their accompanying objects or in a seating area more comfortable if they like. Please return the PDF to it's companion object in the manner it was found. Instructions for each pairing are found in this exhibition guide.

Participating artists were asked to submit:

- --a single PDF of a text that has significantly impacted their practice
- --a description of a commonly available object under \$20
- --instructions for the organizers to pair the PDF and object for display and audience engagement

PDF-OBJECTS is currently organized by Jason Lazarus (Florida) and Sean Ward (NY). Inspired by *Reading Room* (organized by Ward at Julius Caesar, May 2013), *PDF-OBJECTS* endeavors to become an intimate and itinerant body of knowledge.

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- alcala marcel.pdf
- alsharif basma.pdf
- alvendia brandon.pdf
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ARTISTS



PDF-object instructions

Alberto Aguilar to me, Alberto

12:40 PM

Hello Sean,

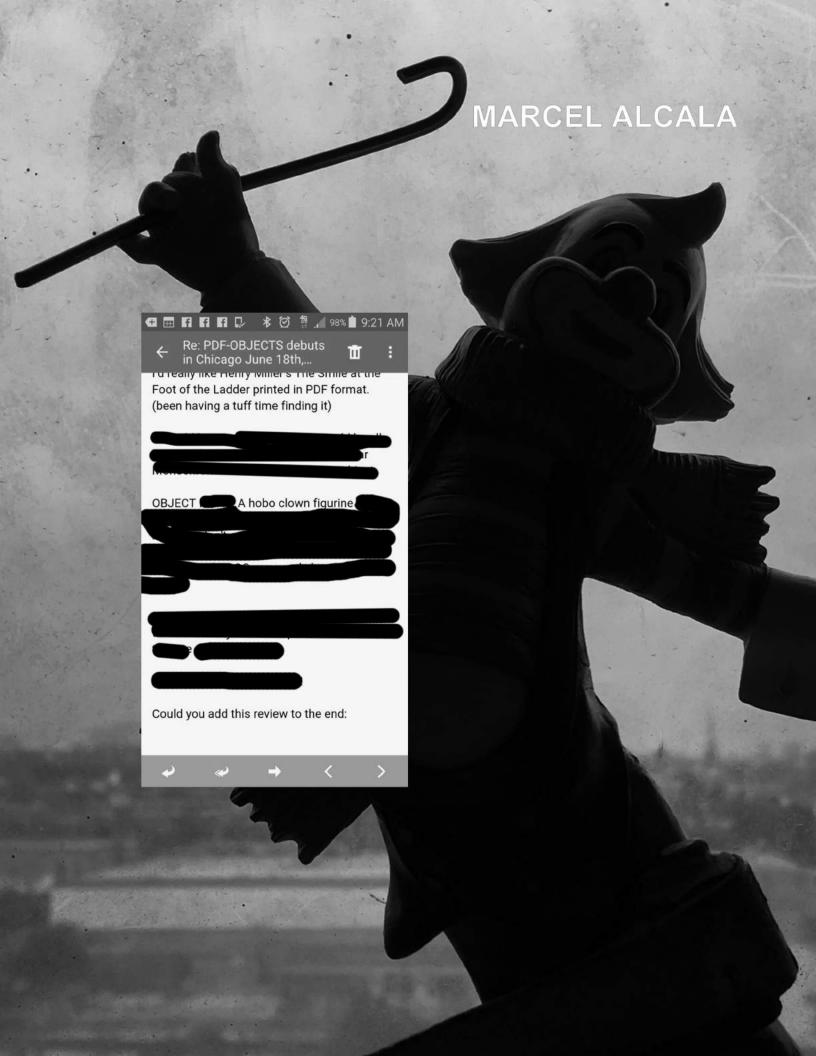
Here is my PDF. I will give you the object and instructions in person. I do need a wall to hang them though.

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Dis Poem



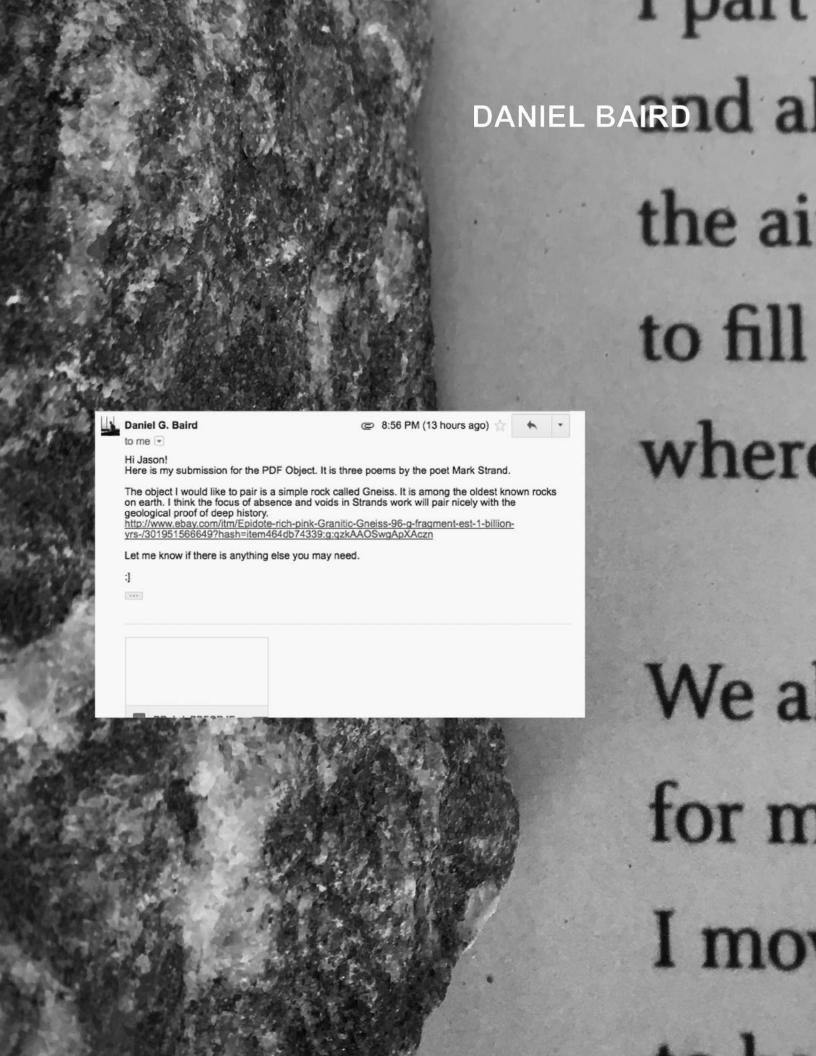
Instructions given: Clock hangs on the wall in packaging with "Dis Poem" and a letter about the clock placed on the wall next to it.

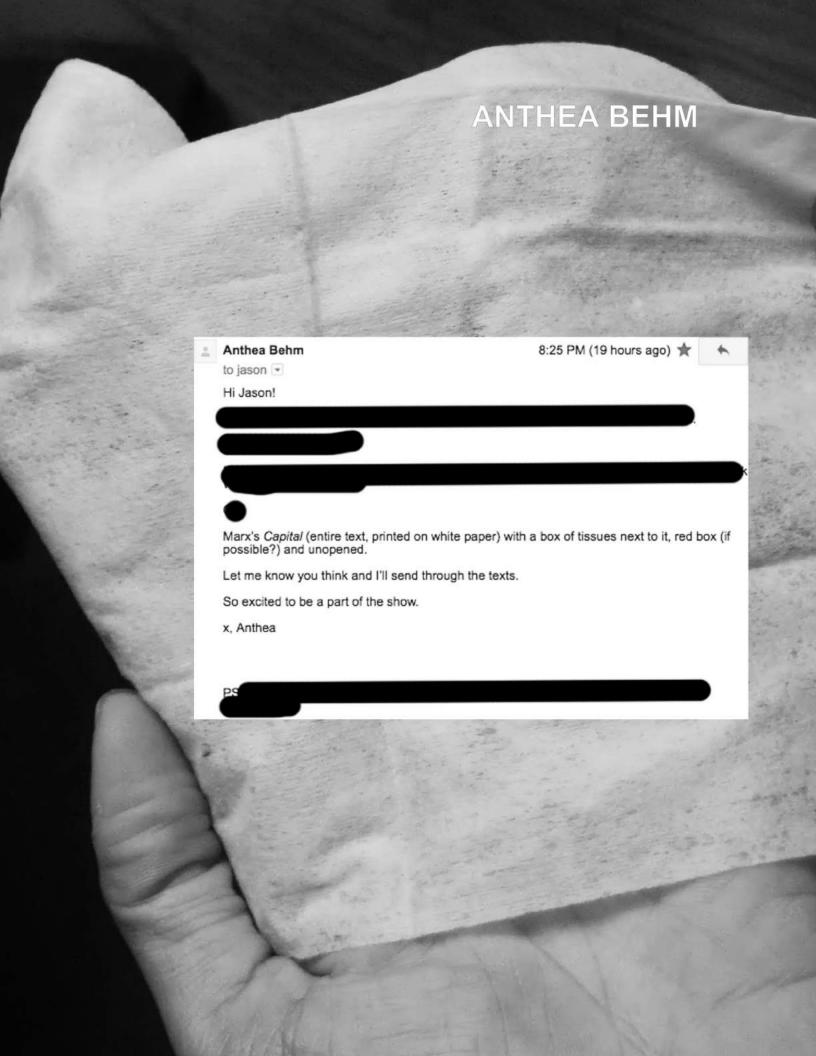


BASMA ALSHARIF



CHRIS KRAUS STERE LOTRINGER BRANDON ALVENDIA Hi Jason! Attached is Hatred of Capitalism pdf. I think it could be paired with a purchased copy from http://www.amazon.com/Hatred-Capitalism-A-Semiotext-Reader/dp/1584350121 Are you going to be in town? Let's catch up. Best, Brandon





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INSTRUCTIONS

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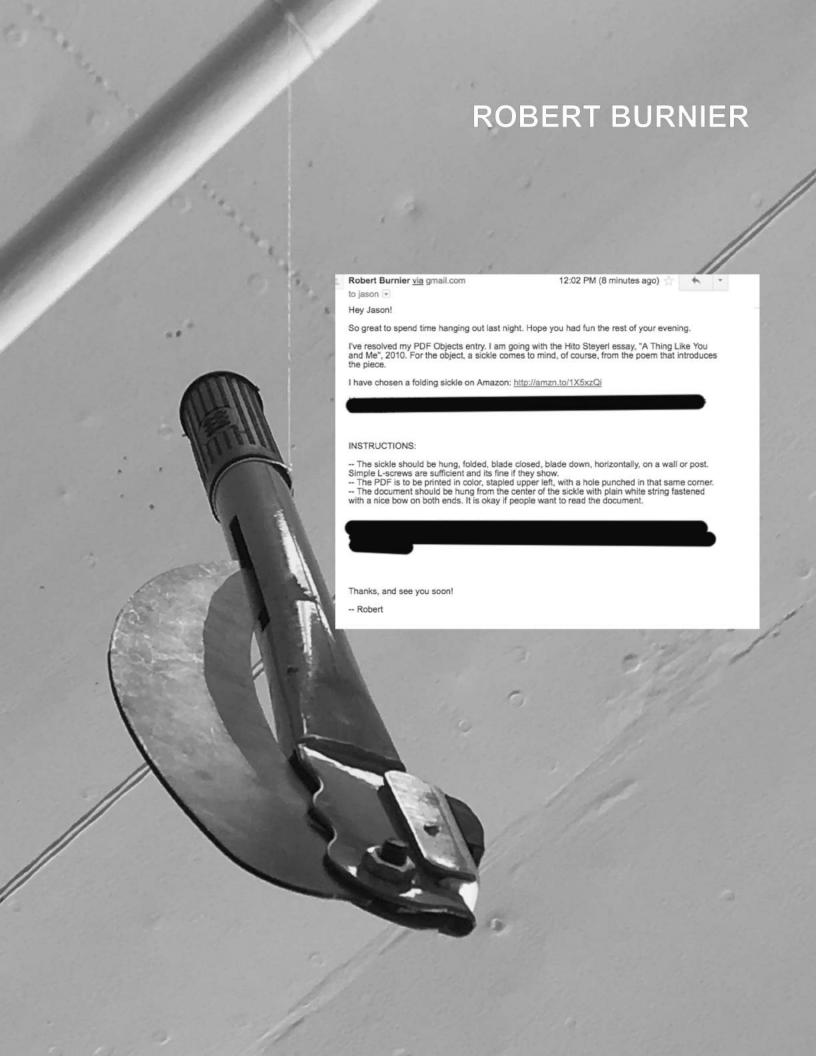
Gaston Bachelard The Poetics of Space Chapter 6 - Corners (English Version)

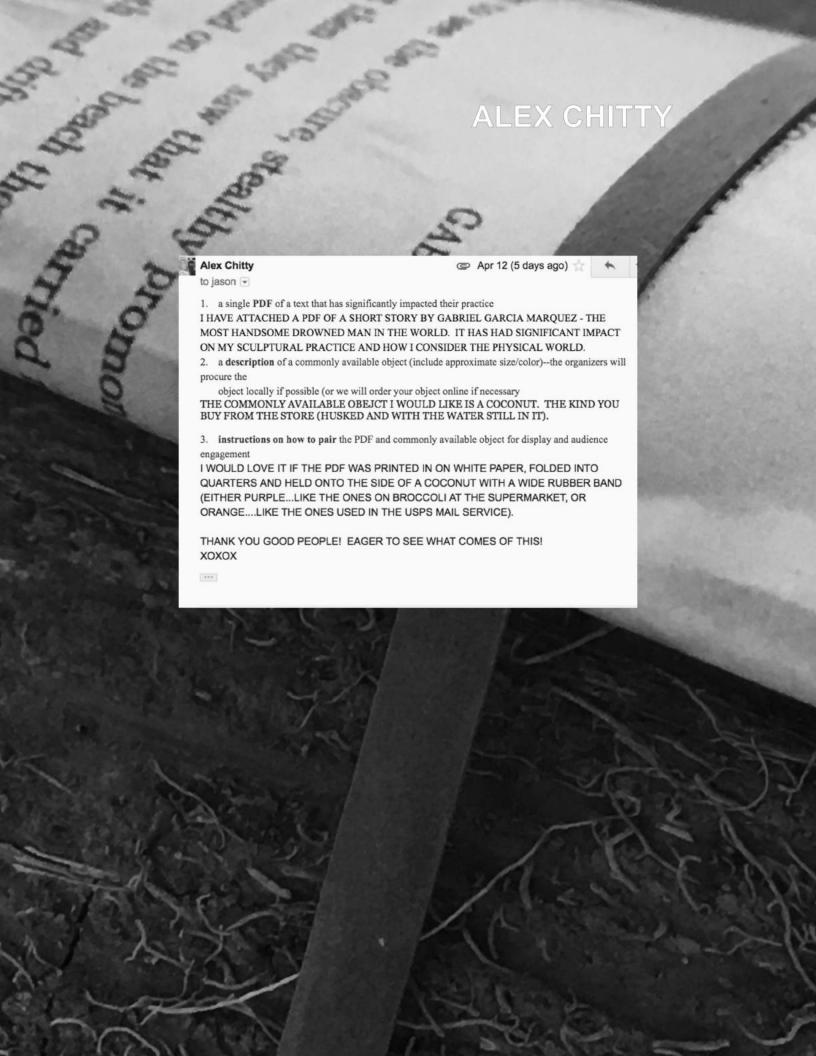
OBJECT

Corner Crown Moulding Outside design White color Wood or Polyurethene 5 x 5 x 4 in aprox. 2 units

A printed PDF on gray paper, corned by a corner crown moulding placed on two opposite corners of the room. Folded sheets of paper in half with the text on the interior.

Liene Bosquê





KATY COWAN

Katy Cowan PDF/Object Submission – Display Guidelines

PDF Attached: Ant Farm's Inflatocookbook

- a printed pdf on $\ensuremath{\textit{white}}$ paper being held down by the weight of a standard zigzag lawn brick
- please place the brick in the center of the PDF

Zigzag lawn paver (brick) can be found at most Home Depots – here is a link to an image of what they look like. You only need to buy one, and they cost about \$1 per brick. $\frac{\text{http://www.homedepot.com/p/8-8-in-x-4-5-in-Casa-de-Paralliso-Concrete-Paver-Pallet-of-126-TBP18/206675084}$



* If this brick cannot be found, a regular old brick is fine



Print.pdf on white paper. Use a paper hole punch in top left or top center of printed pages. Leave comfortable amount of paper around entire hole for strength and durability.

Acquire one rosarie, can be bought found or gifted. Rosarie may be any color and material but preferably, black, white, or silver. Pull rosarie through hole punch. Rosarie may be knotted on itself or chain may be delinked and recoupled. Fashion so that crucifix hangs on face of .pdf

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Theodore Darst

to jason, Sofia 🔻

Jun 5 (1 day ago) 🥎

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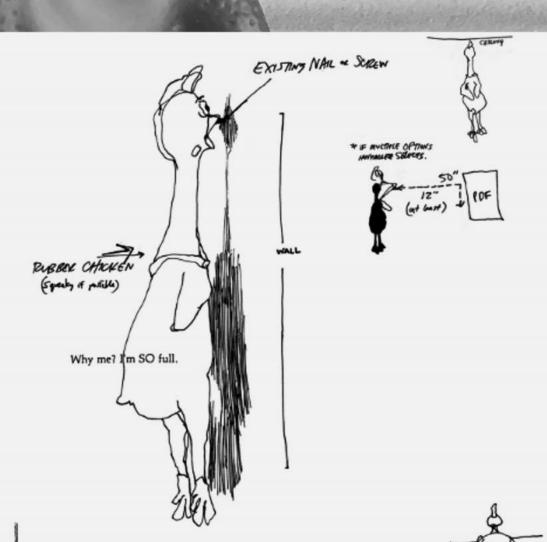
just crumple the three prints and stuff them into a clear bottle filled with some sort of clear liquid so it sort of looks like when they put a snake in a jar.

Miss you both!

Take Care & Stay Safe,

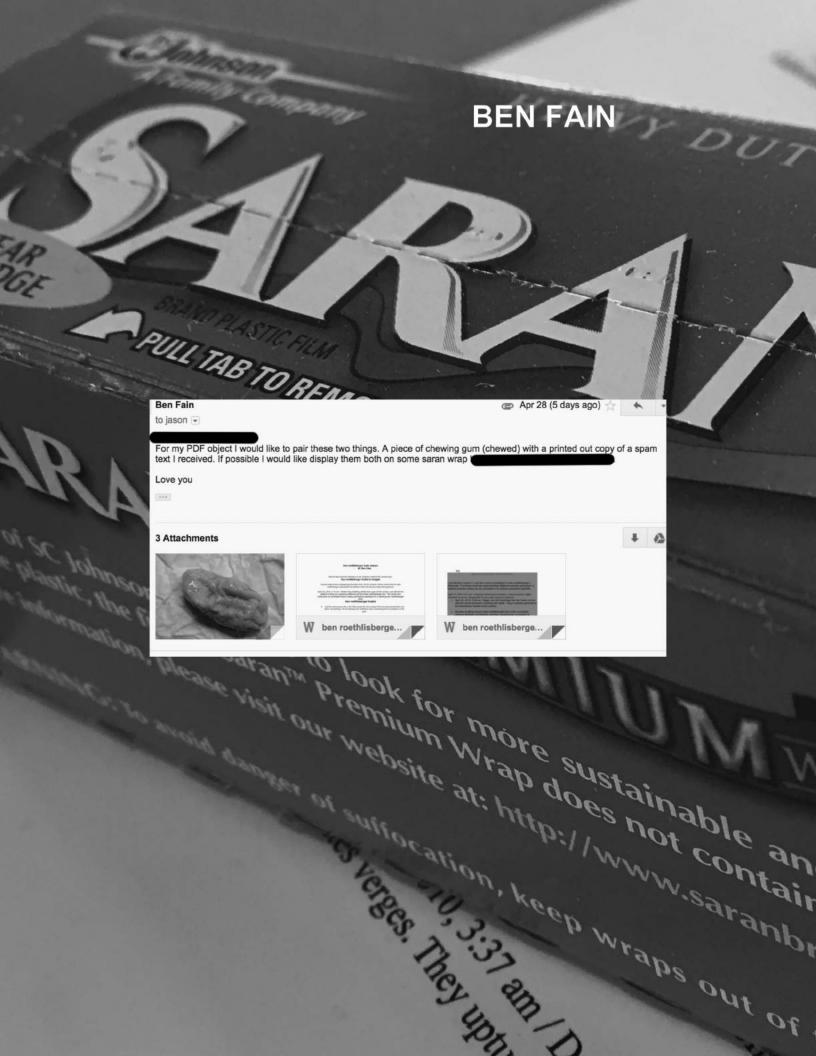
Theodore Darst theodoredarst.net

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Object Instructions

Purchase one:

UST Ultimate Survival Technologies Paracude FS Orange Paracord Handle, 11" Blade, Tool

from Walmart, or walmart.com

http://www.walmart.com/ip/UST-Ultimate-Survival-Technologies-Paracuda-FS-Orange-Paracord-Handle-11-Blade-Tool/44684780

* Purchase this item with no other items - this should be the only thing on the receipt

\$14.92 (plus tax and shipping)

About this item

The ParaCuda FS has a sturdy, 3mm thick stainless steel blade that is flexible, yet strong enough to handle the toughest jobs. The 11 inches (279mm) straight blade with black-oxide finish and saw teeth easily clears brush. Included is a flint fire starter with a nylon sheath and a paracord handle wrap that provides a secure grip in all weather conditions and unwraps to over 9.5 feet of cordage.

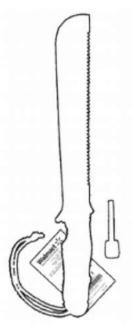
UST Ultimate Survival Technologies Paracuda FS, Orange Paracord Handle, 11" Blade, Tool:

- . Black-oxide finish reduces rust and protects blade
- 11" (279mm) straight blade design is a proven pro for clearing brush and maintaining trails
- Saw teeth for additional cutting functionality
- Sturdy 3mm thick blade is flexible, but can handle tough jobs

Manufacturer Part Number: UST20-02251-08

Print PDF on Ultra Orange (FedEx Kinko's) paper

Take machete and flint tool out of the plastic package Place machete, flint, receipt, and printed PDF on the floor per the layout below



PDE

excerpt from Mary Pipher's book, The Green Boat:Reviving Ourselves in Our Capsized Culture

printed on:

Ultra Orange (FedEx Kinko's) paper



"Debby with Monument: a Dissenting Opinion" by Gary Indiana, 1985 (from <u>Let It Bleed: essays 1985-1995</u>, Serpent's Tail, London and New York, 1996]. Selected by Marc Fischer.

Please print on Cream or Ivory color paper.

Please place printed PDF underneath one activated Victor brand rat trap, spring-loaded and ready to snap)



ERIC FLEISCHAUER







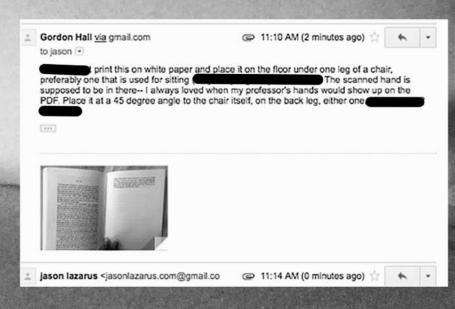
ERIK FRYDENBORG

THA CARDBOARD SLEEVE GENERATES 379% MORE SOLID WASTER A printed PDF on white paper, underneath a Dart Solo Horizon foam cup filled with water. 1) To read, please remove cup from atop stapled text. 2) If thirsty, help yourself to a drink of water from the cup. 3) When finished, please replace cup atop stapled text, having refilled cup if emptied.





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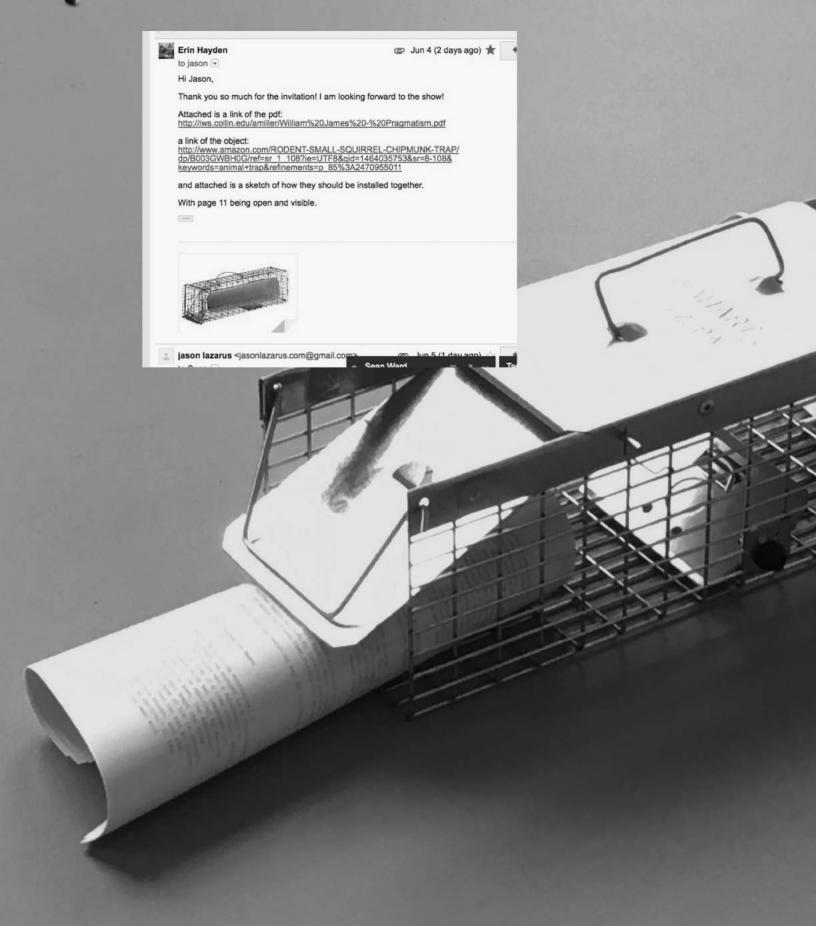


and said, shading

hand: "They will have landed," and ad been right. They had not needed to been thinking the same things and he without her asking him anything. He were spreading his hands over all the ring of mankind; she thought he was tly and compassionately, their fina is crowned the occasion, she thought, vly fell, as if she had seen him let fall ht a wreath of violets and asphodels o her canvas. There it was-her picshe were recalled by something over s greens and blues, its lines running attempt at something. It would be the thought; it would be destroyed. natter? she asked herself, taking up owly, lay at length upon the earth ne looked at the steps;



ERIN HAYDEN



CHINATSU IKEDA

From: Chinatsu Ikeda

Subject: Re: hi work

Date: May 19, 2016 at 17:20

To: Sean Ward seanthomasward@gmail.com

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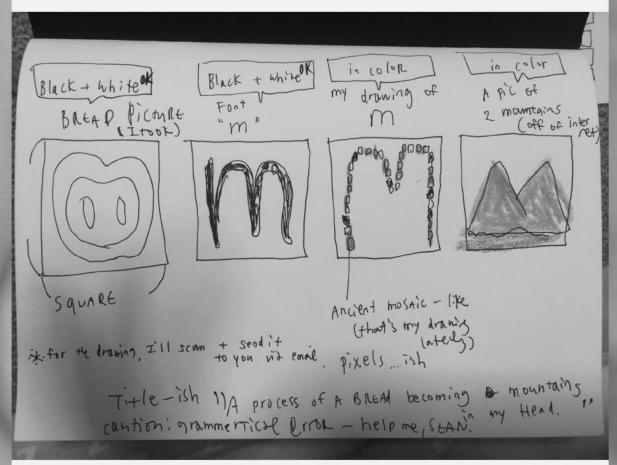
1 bread

2 m font

3 m drawing

4 mountain.

Bread becomes mountain in the end.



Title is

"A process of a bread becoming mountains in my head "

Al the ideas in this drawing above.

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Sent from my iPhone





Work Information

Name: Eunji Kim

Title: The West and The East and Medium: Text and object

Date: January 31 2016

Instructions on Text and Object

1 Printing Text Out Size of the paper: A4 Color of the paper: White Color of the ink: Black

2 Binding Pages

The first fourteen pages should include, in order, work information and instructions in Korean and then English letters and words, beginning with 'T' and ending with 'The West and'.

Each of these pages should be flipped from front to back but still kept in order.

The remaining eleven pages should then be, in order, Korean letters and words,

beginning with '동양과' and ending with 'ㄷ', and then work information and instructions in English.

These pages should remain as currently laid out (i.e. should not be flipped).

Now, combine the two sets of pages, with the first fourteen flipped pages coming first
and the remaining eleven unflipped pages coming after.

Once ordered properly, the stack should be stapled twice on the lefthand-side with the staples running parallel to the left and right edges of the sheets. The first staple should be placed 1 cm in from the left and 7 cm up from the bottom.

For the second staple, turn the stack of pages from front to back.

The second staple should then be placed 1 cm in from the right and 7 cm down from the top.

3 Object (Ball)

Size of the ball: Diameter about 20 cm

Weight of the ball: About 400 gram

Color of the ball: White ball with black patterns

Example: www.amazon.com - Wilson Traditional Soccer Ball

4 Presenting Text and Object Together Place the ball on top of the sheets.

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Object:
Optical Calcite "Iceland Spar"
3" x 3" x 1" or similar

This is really beautiful stone that bends light waves. When placed upon text it will double the words. In crystal healing it is used to improve perception, clear chakras, and increase learning and memory abilities, which makes it perfect to accompany the pdf.

You can find optical calcite at pretty much every rock store, as it is fairly common. It is also available on ebay and through gem and mineral websites.

Here is a little link for you to learn more about it. http://www.healingcrystals.com/Calcite - Optical Calcite | Iceland Spar | China | html

PDF: attached

QED: The Strange Theory of Light and Matter by Richard P. Feynman http://www.amazon.com/QED-Strange-Theory-Light-Matter/dp/0691024170

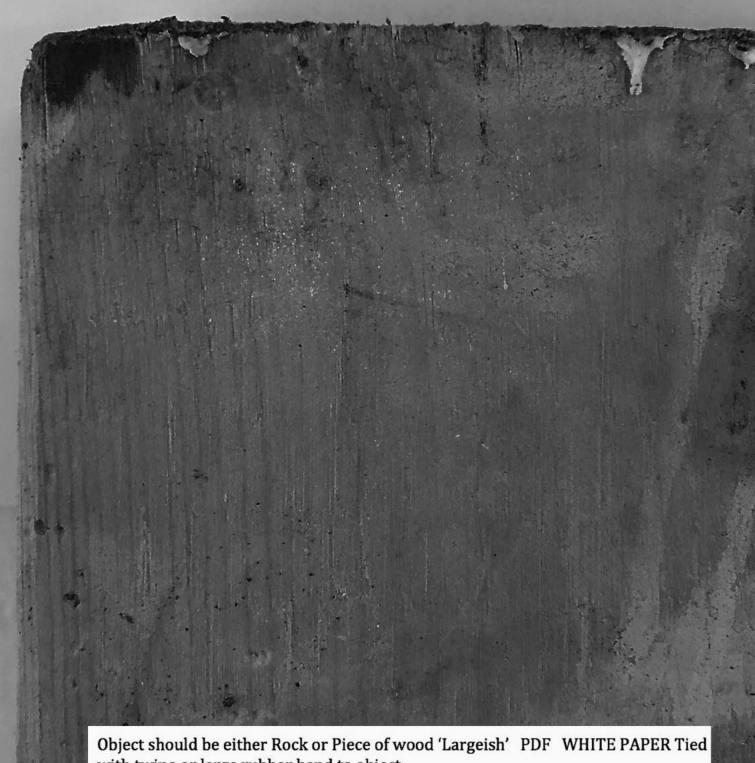
Front page would be printed in color on white paper, the rest of the PDF would be printed black and white on white paper.

The PDF would be printed and the optical calcite would be placed on top.

Let me know if you need any other information!

Object should be either Rock of Field of Woo with twine or large rubber band to object

KEVIN LARMON



with twine or large rubber band to object

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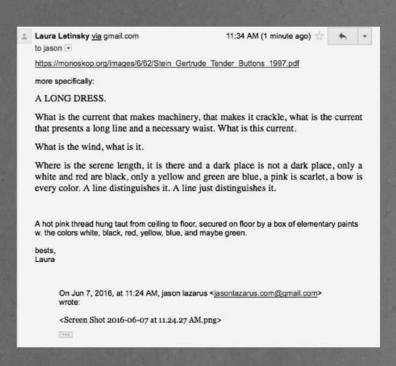
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Colored dishtowel placed underneath white dish rack. PDF to be placed where a plate would dry on rack printed on white paper.



LAURA LETINSKY



GEORGE LIFE

Part week 14

PDF Paper Color:

Ivory

Object:

The object is another copy of the PDF page above, but crumpled into a ball and charred, by a lighter or otherwise.

Pairing Instructions:

The charred ball of paper is placed in the blank space of the PDF page.



SHANA LUTKER

Shana Lutker

PDF-OBJECT April 5, 2016

- A pdf of Sigmund Freud, "Delusions and Dreams in Jensen's Gradiva," 1907.
- 2. A practice foot.1
- 3. The PDF is to be printed on peach paper. The stack of pages and the foot should be placed side by side, with about 3 inches between the stack and the foot. The foot should be the to the left of the stack.

 $^{^{\}rm 1}\,$ Of the kind used to practice pedicures. Available at beauty supply stores and online, for under \$10.

For example, http://www.amazon.com/Practice-Flexible-Silicone-Prosthetic-Manicure/dp/B00WJD0EMK/ref=sr_1_3_a_it?ie=UTF8&qid=1459849897&sr=8-3&keywords=fake+foot

POONEH MAGHAZEHE

From: pooneh maghazehe
Subject: Re: Invitation to participate: PDF-OBJECTS
Date: March 10, 2016 at 9:51 AM
To: Sean Ward seanthomasward@gmail.com

PM

Hey Dude,

Ok below is my text. Pretty classic, but one I think about constantly.

http://web.mit.edu/allanmc/www/foucault1.pdf

My "set-up" under \$20 --

Desk fan:

http://m.target.com/p/honeywell-turboforce-air-circulator-black/-/A-11153539?
ref=tgt_adv_X5000000&AFID=google_pla_df&CPNG=PLA_Home%2BImprovement%2BShopping&adgroup
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Goldfish (just one live goldfish that is donated to a local school or something afterward)

Fishbowl:

http://www.petswarehouse.com/anchor-hocking-glass-round-fish-bowl-5gal/?gclid=CjwKEAiA04S3BRCYteOr6b-roSUSJABE1-6BO6XleTfkWfjH8H0wOHX0S7Huu_FKQHU_dRXVJAkC9hoCbxzw_wcB

If you have a small towel, wrap it around the bowl too

Attached is the picture for the set-up (sorry its oriented side ways!) the water should be filled at half way to create as much surface area as possible. Fan can be stacked on whatever so that it is positioned such that air blows over the top of the fish bowl.

The text - just next to it is fine

Title of the piece is " Milk Care "

An explanation:

When my fish went belly up from constipation (their digestive track is directly connected to their buoyancy and balance), I had to pour half of the water from the fish bowl out to eliminate the pressure that had him upside down. And I had to point a fan towards him so that he had enough oxygen from as much water surface area as possible. The towel was used to keep from disturbing the fish - the dark from the towel kept him calm after the trauma of going belly up. I'm obsessed with this piece these days.

I think I got this remedy from Home goldfish emergency

911+Rescue

Goldfish & Koi

Diagnose Symptoms &

Home goldfish emergency

Home page, goldfish emergency.com is ou r welcome to the world. If you have a goldf ish 911 visit our forum, visit our diagnose & treat section or our Hotline



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VICTORIA MARTINEZ

Victoria Martinez

5:15 PM (6 minutes ago)

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to jason 🖃

Hi Jason!

Attached is my PDF for the exhibition. I would like my object to be one yard of metallic magenta fabric from the 2121 fabric shop in Pilsen. Thanks again for inviting me to participate! Please let me know if you have any questions.

Best,

Victoria

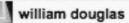
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- 2_victoria_martinez.pdf
- 3_victoria_martinez.pdf

NOELLE MASON

WITH Sympathy

7:36 AM (4 hours ago) 👚



to me, jason, Noelle 🖃

http://www.acolumbinesite.com/autopsies.html

Please print out the autopsy report for Eric Harris (9 pages) and Dylan klebold (8 pages) object will be described in seperate email

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Noelle Mason

go to a greeting card store and buy two sympathy cards place each document inside the card lay them on the floor face up arranged like the following photo



ave you comfortless

I will come to you.

RACHEL MASON



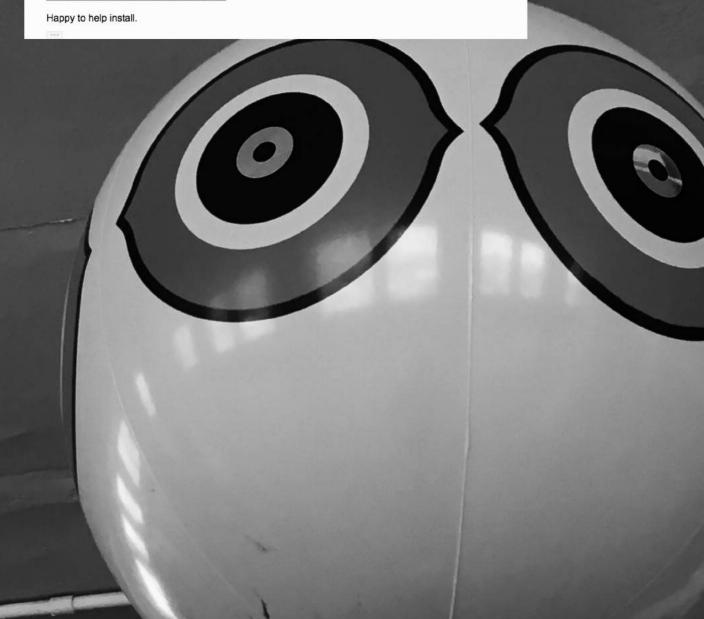


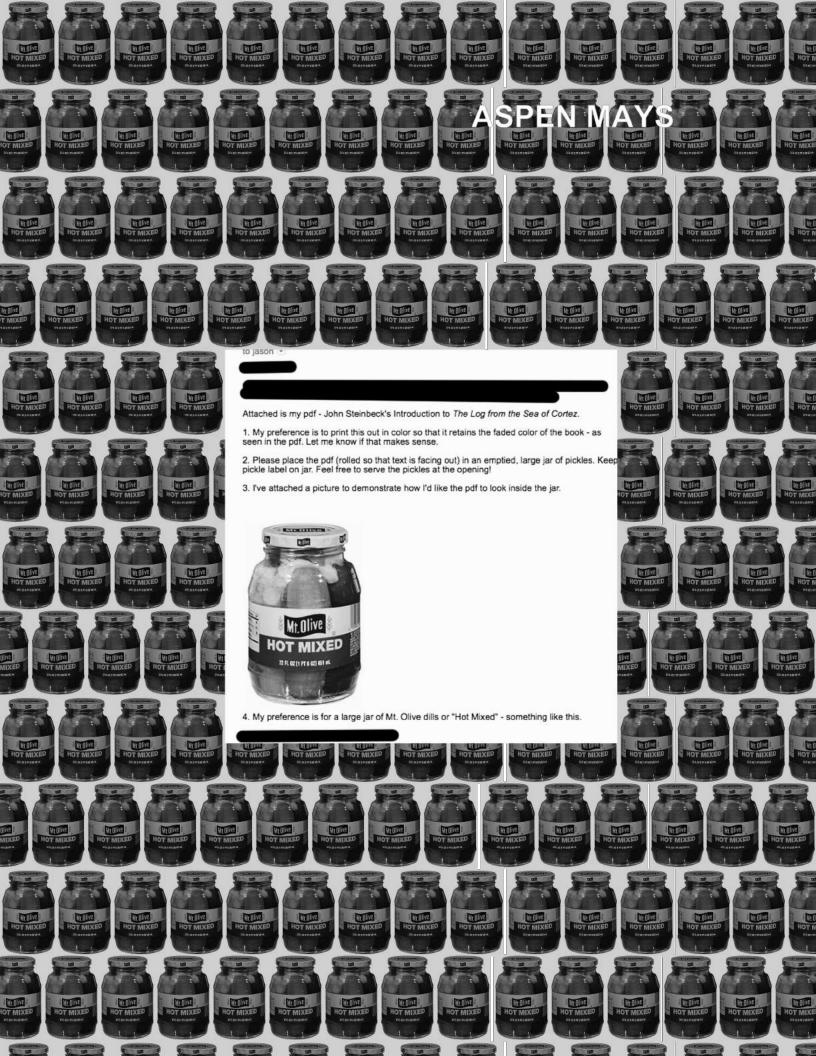


eric may to jason 🕶 9:27 AM (14 hours ago)

My text: http://www.chicagoreader.com/chicago/why-eating-squirrels-makes-sense/Content?oid=7215952

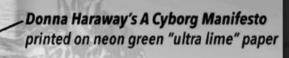
Then I want it to be printed out hanging from one of these: http://www.samsclub.com/sams/scare-eye-bird-chaser/prod2030317.ip?pid=_CSE_ Google_PLA_Pest_Control_Products&source=ifpla&CAWELAID=730010300000350749& adid=22222222627000011575&veh=sem





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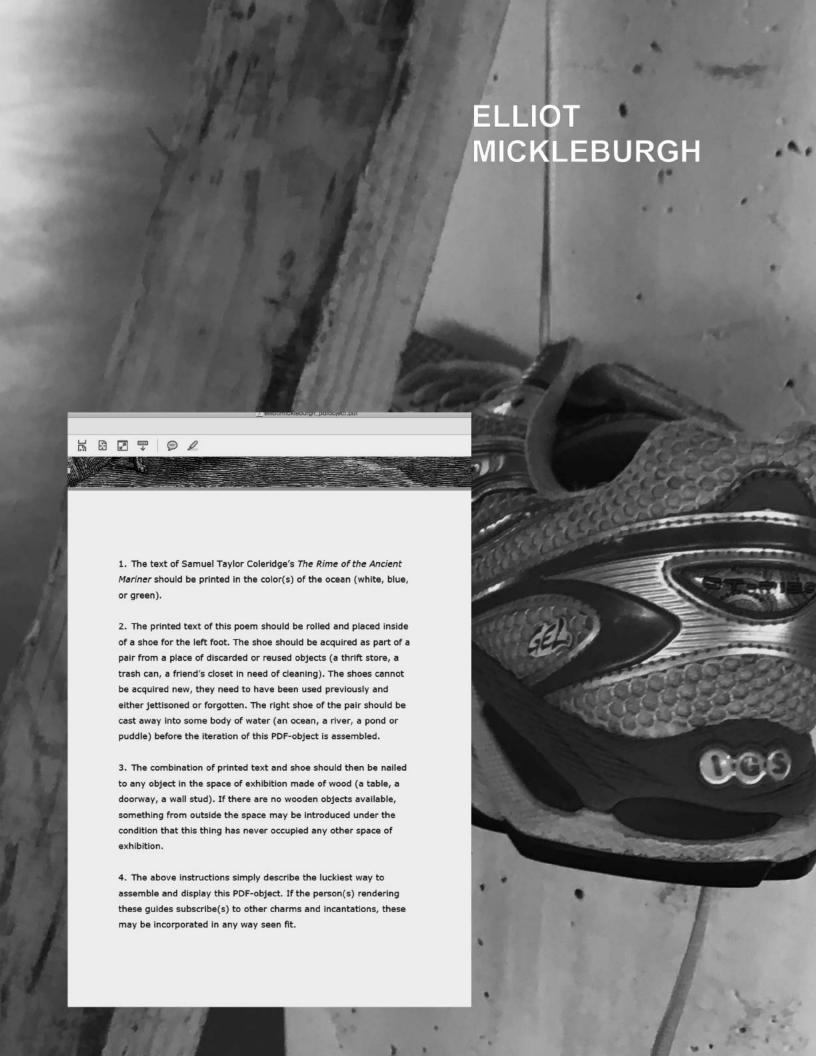
SUSTAINED-RELEASE ULTRA-PURE PROTEIN* BUILDS LEAN MUSCLE AND ENHANCES EXERCISE RECOVERY LOW FAT, 10 SUGAR* & 99% LACTOSE FREE

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DAN MILLER

Can works be made which are not "of art."?—

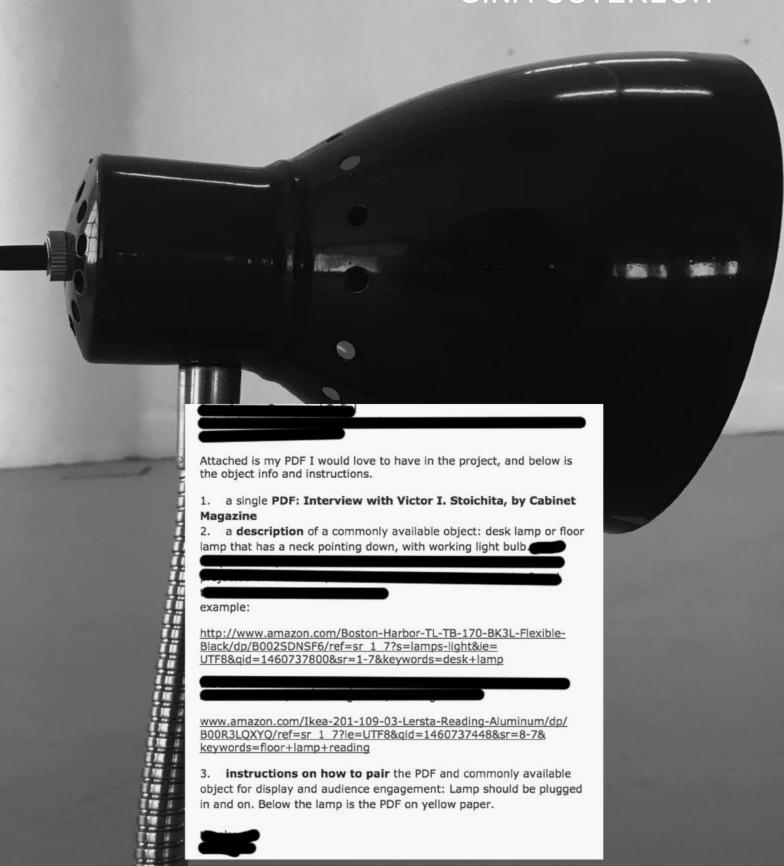




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Crimp's essay "The Boys in My Bedroom"
into fringe. Display the 3.4 ounce bottle of
the boy band One Direction's signature
celebrity fragrance "Our Moment" Eau de
Darfum by sitting it atop the printed PDF.
Invite audiences to tear off a strip of the
paper fringe on which they may spray the
perfume. The resulting strip of scented
paper should become embedded in the lives
of the audience, kept in a pocket or bag,
rubling the scent into the fabric of their
day to day experiences.
—Matt Morris. 2016

NICHOLAS O'BRIEN Nicholas O'Brien 4:50 PM (19 hours ago) 👚 🔸 🔻 to jason 💌 here's what I'd like: doubleunderscore.net/stevens/PDF/Toys.pdf With a pinebox derby car placed on top of it. Nicholas O'Brien 4:51 PM (19 hours ago) 👉 🔸 💌 to jason 💌 Also, I'd like the two sheets of this essay to be laid out side by side, and then the pine box car to be diagonally place to be facing the opposite corners, straddling the two pages.

GINA OSTERLOH





CLAIRE PENTECOST



DONALD POWLEY

Laren Gaadman, Your Name Up On A Light

Procure a Fluorescent T12 U-Bend Bulb, 6" spacing.

With connector pins at top, have person #1 write "loren" vertically on the left tube in red marker. Write "goodman" vertically on the right tube in red marker. Take casual photo of name on light.

Have person #2 make corrections to the letter "o", in blue marker, by simply adding a line to the right side of the "o" to change it into an "a". Take another casual photo.

Person #1 should decide how to install PDF in relation to U-Bend bulb and install it. Take photo.

Person #2 can make any installation corrections to the PDF or Object as they see fit. Photo any changes.

A MAN OF LETTERS

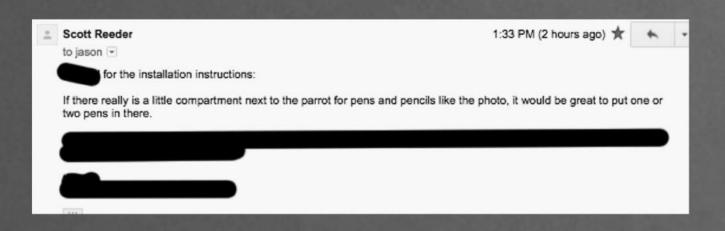




Hey man, here's my text. I think it should be paired with a stolen public restroom key with some absurdly large keychain.



SCOTT REEDER





AMBER RENAYE

Amber Renaye

Mar 25 (2 days ago)

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to jason -

Hi Jason!

Here's my PDF-Objects submission:

- 1. PDF with instructions (attached)
- 2. Description of Object (attached)

Specifications: white paper for the PDF is fine, no staple is necessary as the PDF is a one page extraction

Source: Sacks, Dr. Oliver. Awakenings. New York: Vintage Books, 1999, Print.

Let me know if you need anything else.

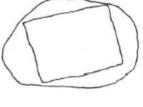
Best!

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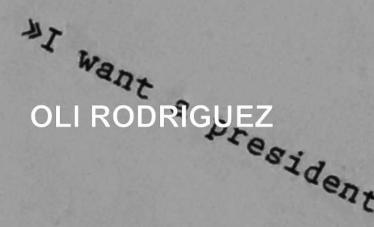
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 - press PDF page to give
 - paper will wrinkle and fold to fit contour of rock

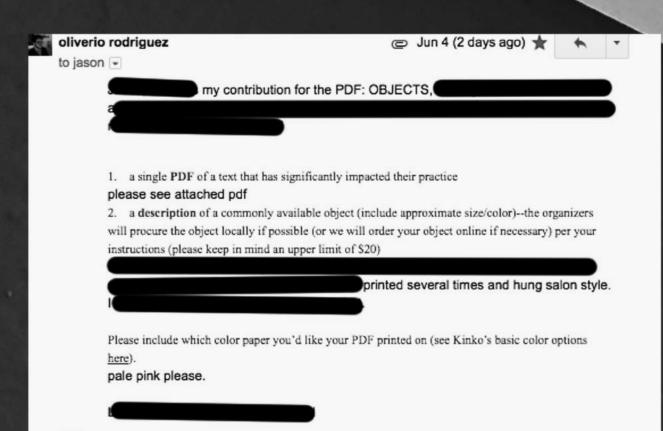
Rock Paper Glustick











TRACY JEANNE ROSENTHAL

Tracy Jeanne Rosenthal

Apr 13 (5 days ago)



to jason 🕝

Hey Jason:

My contribution is as follows:

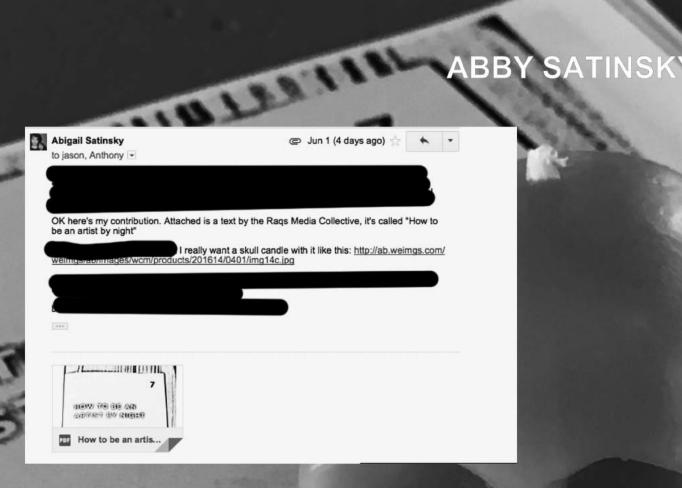
- Leo Bersani's Is the Rectum a Grave? printed on white paper unbound and placed on top of a black or gray simple dial scale

This is the best dial one I could find for the price:

http://www.amazon.com/Taylor-Precision-Products-Mechanical-Rotating/dp/B000QOI6S8/ref=sr_1_1_s_it?s=hpc&ie=UTF8&qid=1459926079&sr=1-1&keywords=dial+taylor+scale



AMANDA ROSS-HO Amanda Ross-Ho Jun 5 (1 day ago) ** to jason 🕝 http://www.amazon.com/Lil-Hobo-Toddler-Costume-Size/dp/B001U273PM/ref=sr 1 3?ie=UTF8&qid=1465159226&sr=8-3&keywords=hobo+costume W9 should be printed on white and they should simply be presented side by side

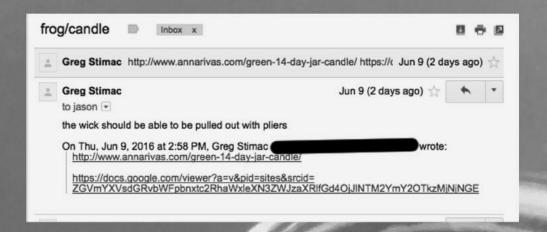


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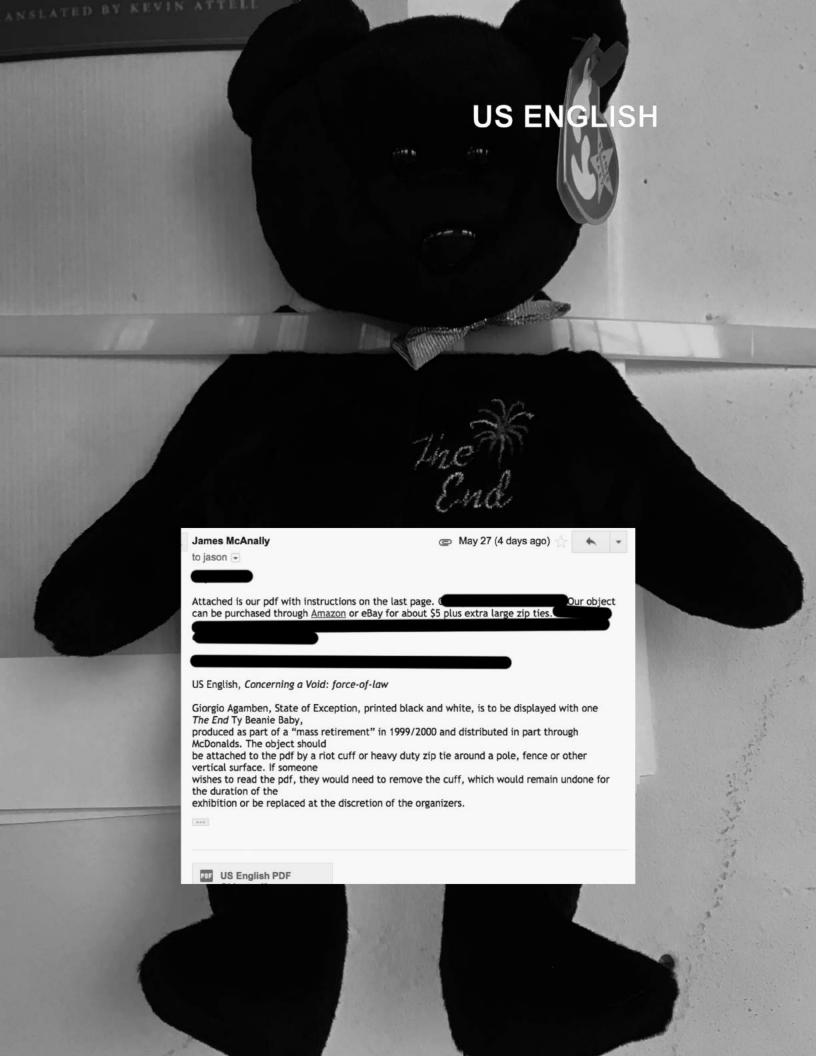


@ 12:12 am (3 days ago) 👚

to jason 🔻

Mapping Community Art by Pascal Gielen.

I'd like for you to purchase 2 colors of chalk, one to draw an axis (north = digestive; south = subversive; west = allo relational; east = auto relational). And then i would like for you or the audience to plot the other artworks in the exhibit (by last name of the artist for simplicity) on the axis. The pdf should be printed and hole punched in the top corners and have a string tied through it in a loop that can be used to hang the text nearby the axis drawing.







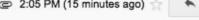


KANTOR e, named after the pla

Kevin Weil

to me -

@ 2:05 PM (15 minutes ago)



1. a single PDF of a text that has significantly impacted their practice

Kantor's Theatre of Emotion

2. a description of a commonly available object (include approximate size/color)

One piece of green felt cut to the dimensions of the printed page.

3. instructions on how to pair the PDF and commonly available object for display and audience

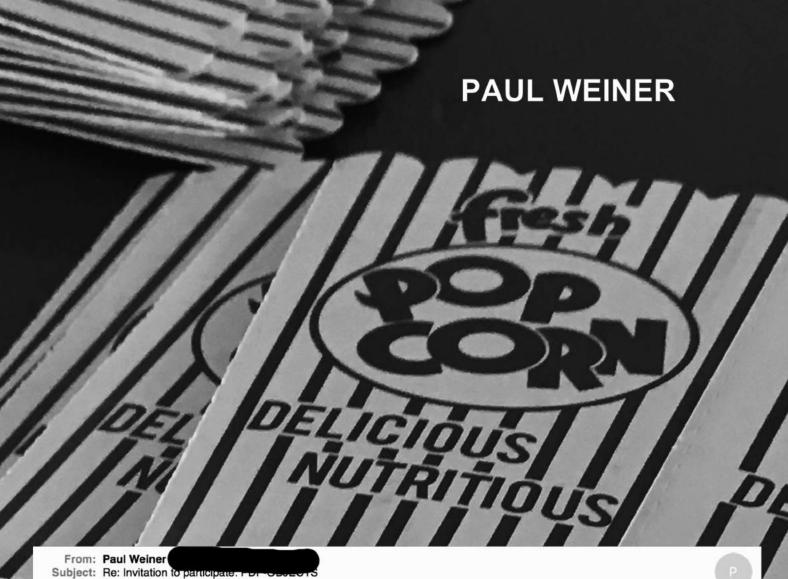
The pdf is to be printed on standard 8 1/2" x 11" white paper, or whatever is most readily available, and laid upon the green felt that is cut to the same dimensions.

Kevin Barrett Weil



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Date: November 27, 2015 at 5:34 PM

To: Sean Ward seanthomasward@gmail.com

Hi Sean,

I'm doing pretty well. How are you?

Thanks for the invitation and for thinking of me! This project is definitely right up my alley.

I'd like to include a stack of 82 of these popcorn boxes (they come in a 100 pack) piled on top of each other: http://www.amazon.com/Snappy-Popcorn-44E-Open-Top-Case/dp/8004TAD0HW/ref=sr_1_2?ie=UTF8&qid=1447928624&sr=8-2&keywords=popcorn+box

I have a couple ideas for the PDF and need to sort out which of them will work best for this over the weekend.

All the best, Paul

MARISA WILLIAMSON



Medium bottle apple cider vinegar

Dried or fresh:

Sage

Rosemary

<u>Thyme</u>

Lavender

Arrange items in their packaging as you see fit.

Title: Four Thieves Vinegar

Text: Octavia Butler's Kindred, pages 1-17

on white paper



