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What's this Interaction Design stuff anyway?



Finding the right metaphores



Payment Center | Add a Bill | Manage My Bills | Bill Activity | BillPay Messages | BillPay Help

Welcome Business Owner

Tuesday, May 22, 2007

Pay Bills

Account: CUSTOM BUS *111111
Preferred Account
Available Balance: \$13,400.01

Features	Bill Name	Amount	Pay Date
	Aaron Rents & Sells Furniture *00019	\$	
	Bellsouth *34441	\$	
	City of Atlanta *25864	\$	
	Georgia Institute of Technology *5034	\$	
	Georgia Power *87003	\$	
	MXenergy *89798	\$	
	Orkin *01003	\$	
	PRECISION LIGHTING	\$	
	Sigma Chi Fraternity *87372	\$	
	Sysco Food Services of Atlanta *06234	\$	

[Send Payments](#)

Payment Assistant

May 2007

S	M	T	W	T	F	S
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

June 2007

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24	25	26	27	28	29	30

Pay Date is the date the biller receives a payment check. The money is withdrawn from your payment account on the Pay Date or when the biller cashes the check. [Tell me more.](#)

Total \$550.58

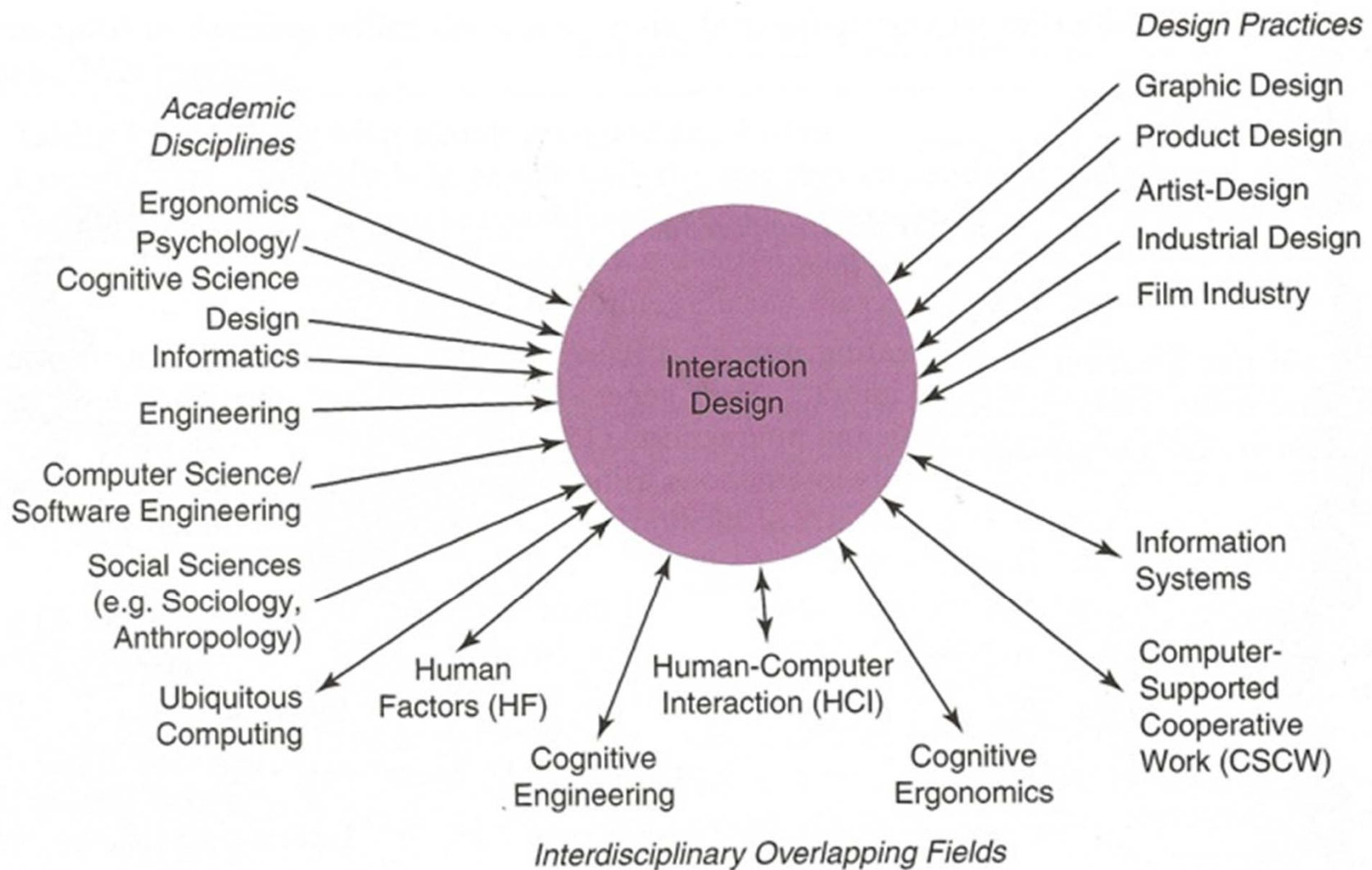
Recent Payments

The three deadly sins of digital products

- They can be rude
- They make people think like computers
- They have temper tantrums

Why do they suck so bad? Glad
you asked?

- Ignorance about users
- Conflicting interests
- Lack of process



Eh? User Experience?

Tell me more!

Positive experience goals! ☺

Satisfying	Helpful	fun
Enjoyable	Motivating	provocative
Engaging	Challenging	Surprising
Pleasurable	Enhancing sociability	Rewarding
Exciting	Supporting creativity	Emotionally fulfilling
Entertaining	Cognitively stimulating	

Negative experience goals! ☹

Boring	Unpleasant
Frustrating	Making feel stupid
Making feel guilty	Gimmicky
Annoying	
Childish	
Patronizing	

Our secret weapon: Usability!



Is it **effective**?

Is it **efficient**?

Is it **safe**?

Does it have enough **utility**?

Is it **learnable**?

What's its **memorability**?

9/11 Remembered



Denis Leary's mission

- 9/11 babies, 10 years later
- How attacks changed us
- Complete coverage

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- Flickr
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- Health
- Horoscopes
- Jobs
- Messenger
- Movies
- News

TODAY - September 10, 2011



9/11 Remembered

The most powerful photos from 9/11

Scenes of death and destruction that unfolded before our eyes are now seared into our collective memory. [25 images](#)



1 - 4 of 36

Officials: No sign of U.S. entry for terror plot
Sources say there's no evidence that anyone linked to al-Qaida has entered the country to carry out an attack on Sept. 11. Obama urges 'heightened' vigilance for Sept. 11

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- Egypt vows to prosecute those who targeted Israel embassy
- Officials: 14,000 rounds of ammo missing from Fort Bragg

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1. Mary Tyler Moore
2. Tom Brokaw
3. Les Paul
4. Michael J. Fox
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6. Susana Martinez
7. Kate Winslet
8. Hurricane watch
9. Sports coupes
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'I Felt Myself Gradually Diminish'

Frank Silecchia, left, is among thousands of 9/11 rescue and recovery workers for whom the nightmare is far from over.

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- [Trade Center Chef Finds New Mission](#)
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Latest Headlines

- Officials: No Evidence That Al Qaeda Snuck Terrorists Into Country



Watch: Cop Won't Ever Live This Down ...

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- ▶ [Cat Must Think He's a Spider](#)
- ▶ [Kid Has Rude Way of Winning Race](#)



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PC WORLD

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BusinessWeek

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The New York Times





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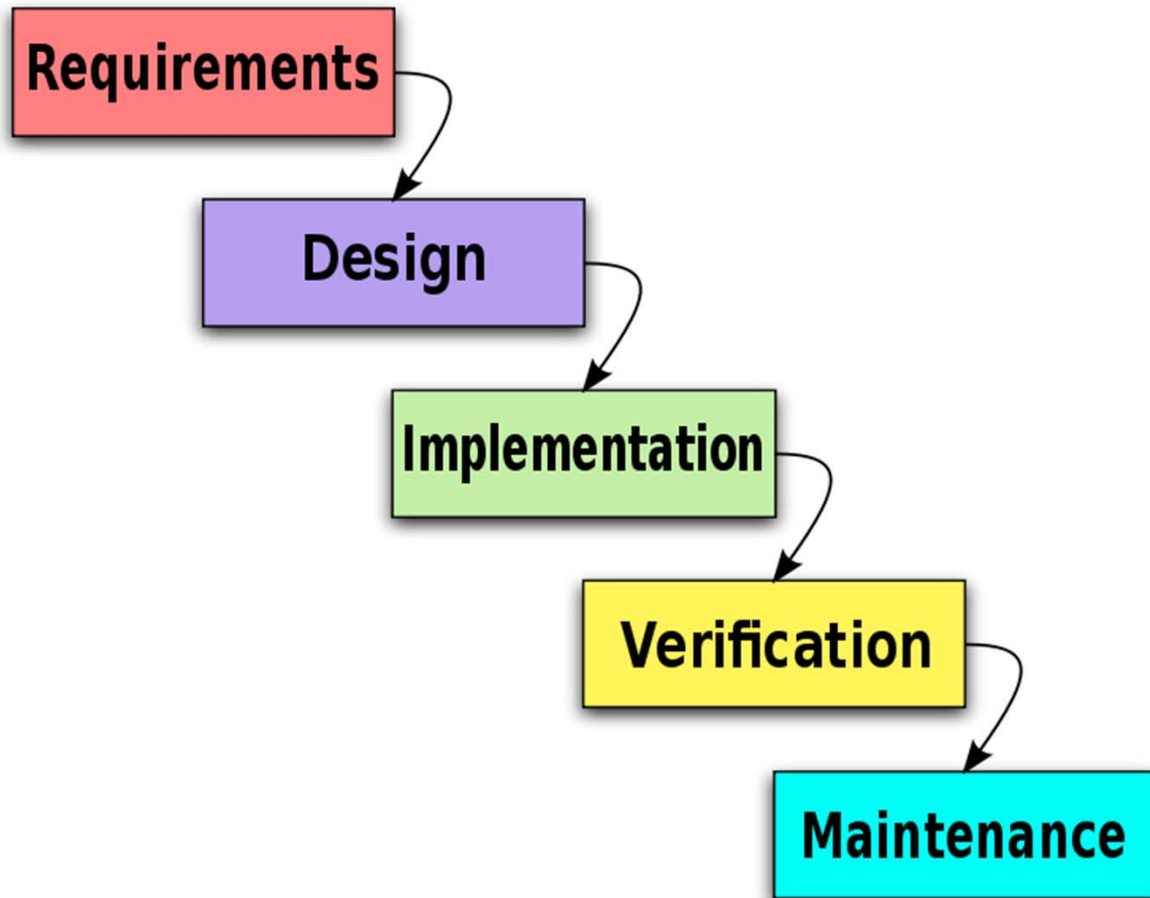
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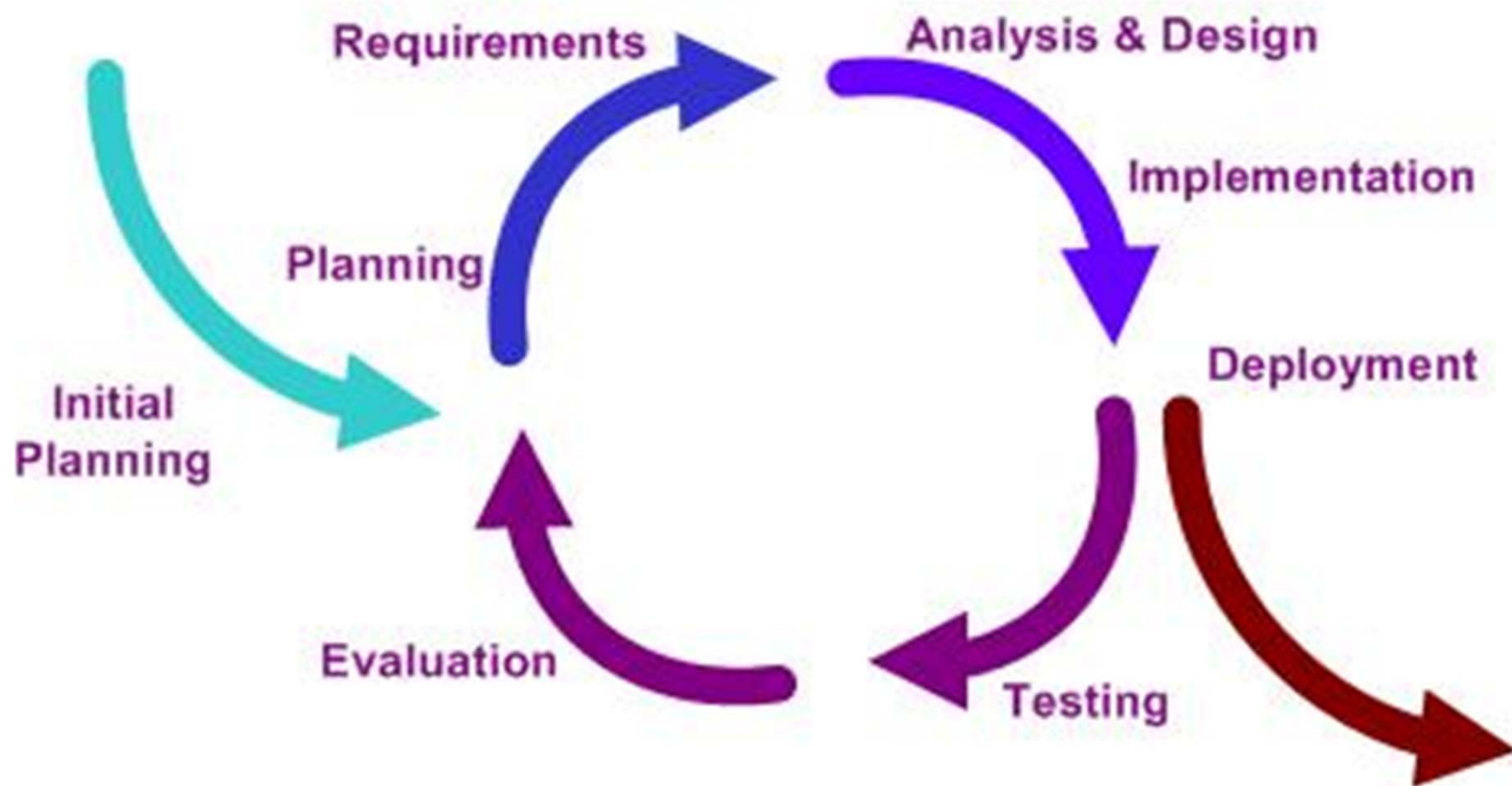
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Nice to meet you, Design Process!

1. Planning and requirements
2. Analysis and Design
3. Prototype Implementation
4. Testing and Evaluation

Sequential Design: The Waterfall method. ☹️



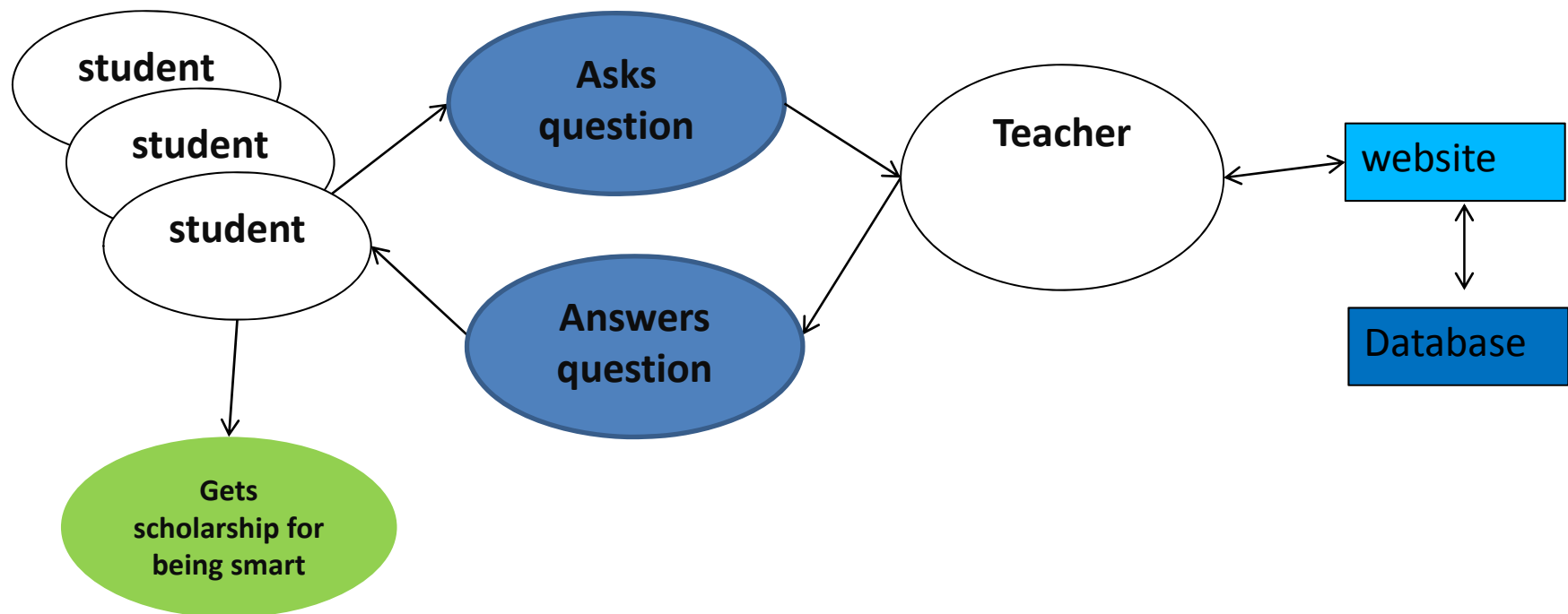


The three slide method
(dun dun dunnn....)

Title of Project

- One sentence describing what the project does and who it's for

How does it work?



•Background and effects:

- What specific problem is this system a response to?
- What user population is this for?
- What is their motivation to use the project?
- What are the user requirements to be able to use it correctly?