

GO LOOK @ THE THING!
 research should be stuck on the desk!
 VISIT, OBSERVE, TALK TO PEOPLE, HANDLE MATERIALS.

It will be your first creative act in this process

START W/ A QUESTION!
 Let's a design decision!
 what you choose will shape what you will find & what you choose will share what you make!

AS A DESIGNER...
 the idea of writing & researching books @ the Davis Public Library. this book while looking for typography a thesis is scary. I randomly found the best library find ever! it helped me realize that research is necessary to bring our making itch a voice

THE LIT REVIEW PROJECT
 - a collection of visual literature reviews combining research, reflection, and design.
 This project reimagines academic literature reviews as something personal, tactile, and creative.
 Each zine in the series explores a single book or theme through illustrated spreads, diagrams, and design elements rooted in fieldwork, annotation, and care.
 This edition looks at Research for People Who (Think They) Would Rather Create by Dirk Vis.



you probably already know more than you think?
 we accumulate knowledge through making based on intuitions, preferences, & half-formed observations.
 ↑ THIS IS TACIT KNOWLEDGE

AND GUESS WHAT?
 IT DOESN'T HAVE TO BE A PAPER IN THE END?
 IT CAN BE LIKE THIS ZINE? A PERFORMANCE? AN EXHIBIT? IT DOESN'T NEED TO BE A BLAND JOURNAL ARTICLE.
 CREATIVE RESEARCH IS RESEARCH

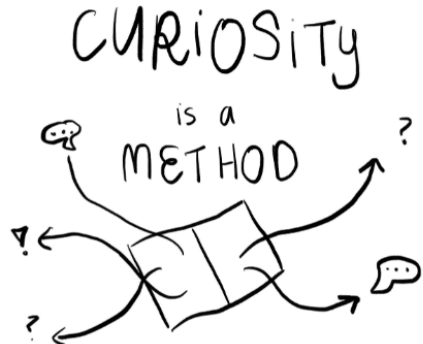


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