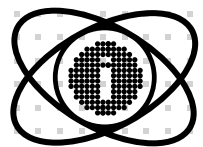


Empathy for Octopodes: How Octodad Helped Young Horses Grow Up

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the stolen by the game...
chester. In class, students pursued
to Ancient Greece and Ancient
Rome, learning about how civilizations
these places thrived. Students used
their thinking to examine these
civilizations, as well as the civilization
the Frisby + The Rats of NIMH
used our knowledge to capture
by Rockstar in an Aster Temple showdown.

HEROES & VILLAINS

What is a hero? What problems can you
help solve? CQ is building a web resource,
cooperation with our advisors, of stories that
based on the real life journeys that heroes
take. Students will have to train in a
variety of media for their final product, beginning
with a substitution to superheroes in comics to
develop character traits understanding, followed by
investigation of heroes and villains through
movies, and then experiencing how heroes (or
villains) are developed over time in the real world
learning about biographies. Finally, students will
be a part of a real process to nominate
as a CQ Everyday Hero.

Skills + Content

- Literature:
Protagonists +
Hero's Journey

- Biographical
Writing

Alien Nations

Students enter the mission to
discover they are alien sleeper
agents from the planet Perplexion.
by fearless (but confused)
ambition. Their mission? To
increase the level of threatability
to the planet and save their (?? linked?)
mission by addressing the UN develop.
The next learn about
the USA and the world.

Skills + Content

- Research Skills

- Geography:
Borders + Resources

- Reading ???

CQuest

The Earth
has been facing
overpopulation
there is no
to sustain
CQ has
first explore
world. They
5 ships to
near galaxies
identified with
the non-human
there.

Vanguard

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Day Camp

Students have been
creating a world
the Chinese

Combining Like Terms

Lego video game... they
create a series of scenes about
their fandom. At each stage, they
will be given a new task and
will have to design blueprints
and build their structures. They
will simultaneously write a fanfiction
narrative that follows their fandom
characters as they journey through the designed scenes.

BREAD

Students will explore the concept of
proportional relationships through an
investigation of money, goods, and the
definition of worth. Throughout the course
of the mission, students follow a loaf of bread
locally and globally to better understand
how value is constructed, how value can
change, and how value is relative based
on context. Students learn how to
use percents, proportions, ratios, decimals,
and fractions as they must ultimately create
their own bakeries in countries with
exchange rates, tasked with the
challenge of making the most profit.

SKILLS + CONTENT

- Rates, Ratios,
Proportions

- Data
Analysis +
Statistics

- Expository
Writing

ZOMBIE APOCALYPSE

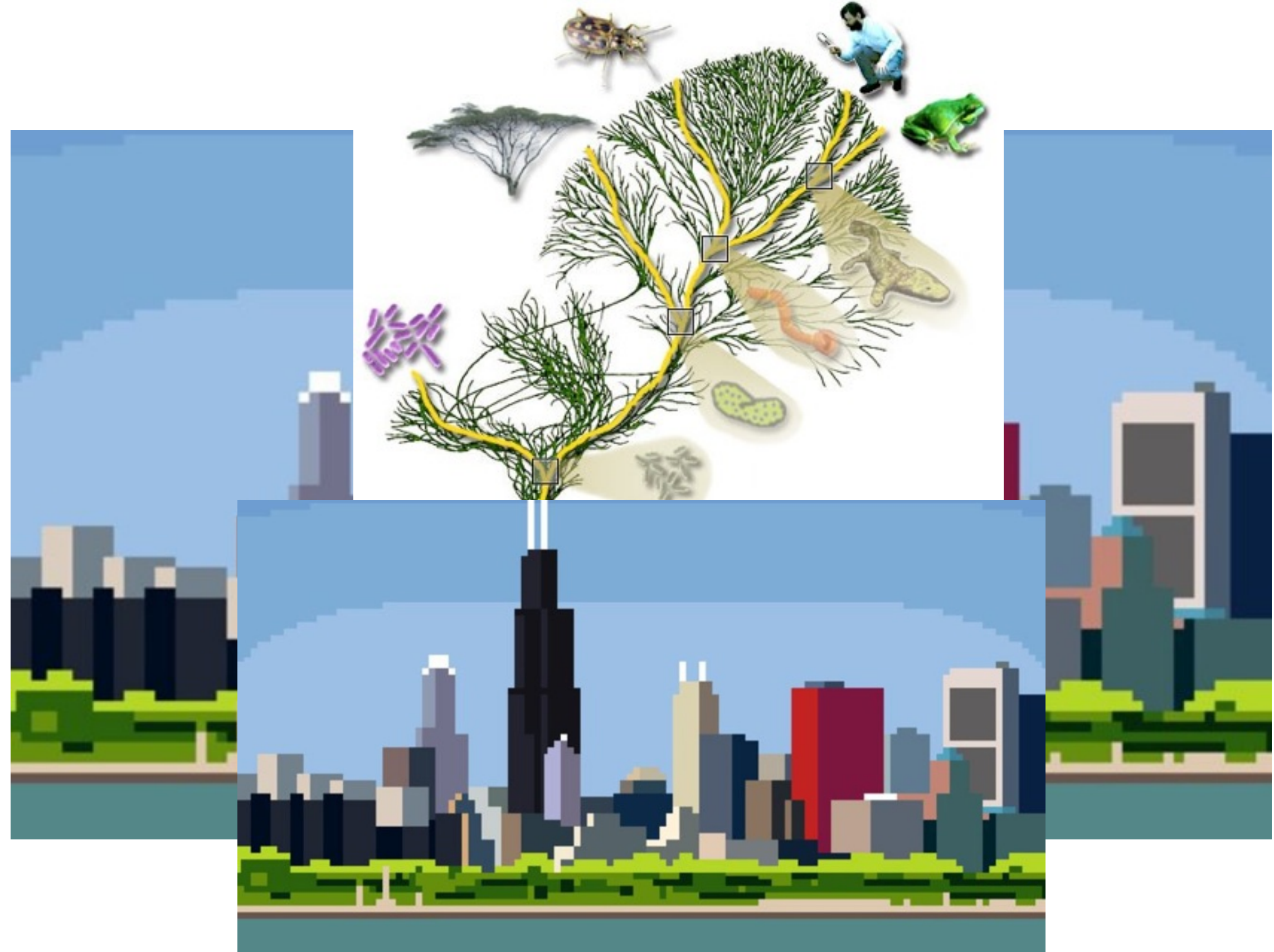
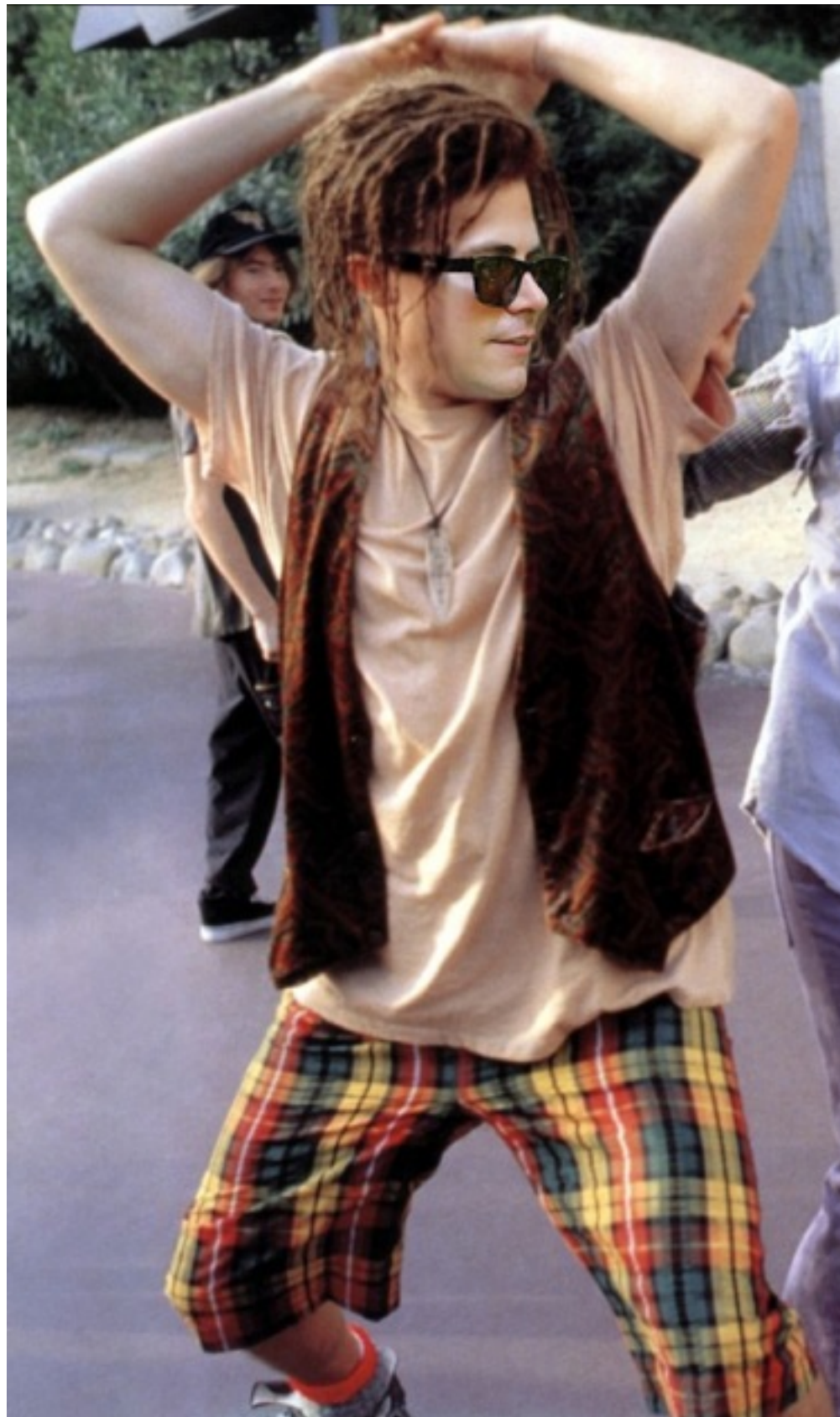
Students take on the role of advisers to the
CDC when a sudden outbreak of a zombie
epidemic sends the nation into panic. Students must
compare the relative rates of zombie growth across the
cities that are affected, make projections for future
zombie growth, and ultimately decide how to stop the
zombie epidemic from spreading. As advisers to the
CDC, students will communicate frequently with the
government, writing arguments in attempt to convince
the government to go forward with certain
action. Students must analyze
antidotes, the benefit of
need, and the
only a limited number
able, students must
balance in the allocation
that the most

SKILLS + CONTENT

- Linear
Relationships
(formulas &
graphs)









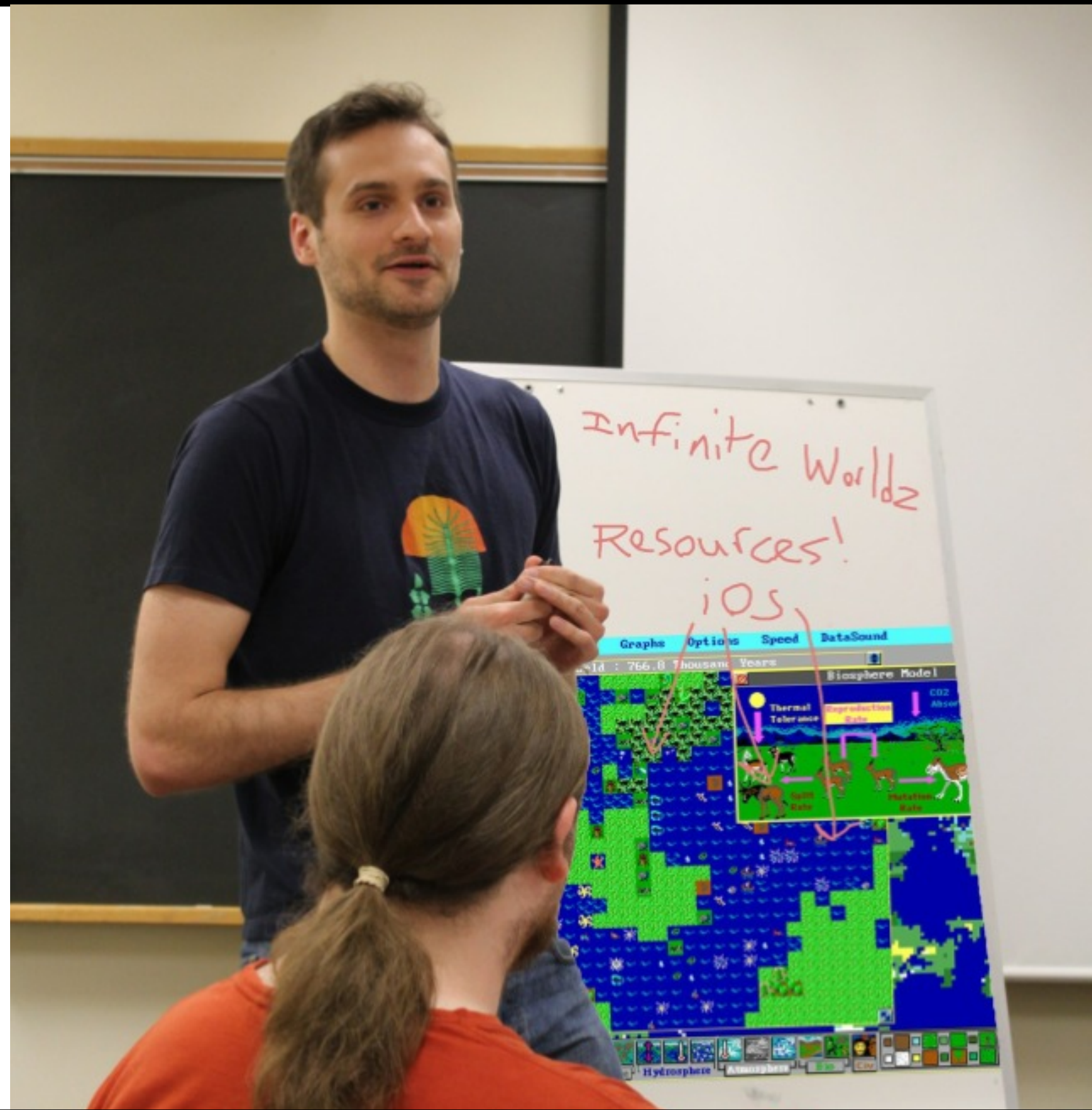


















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A computer game about the life of an octopus trying to pass himself off as a [human] suburban father.

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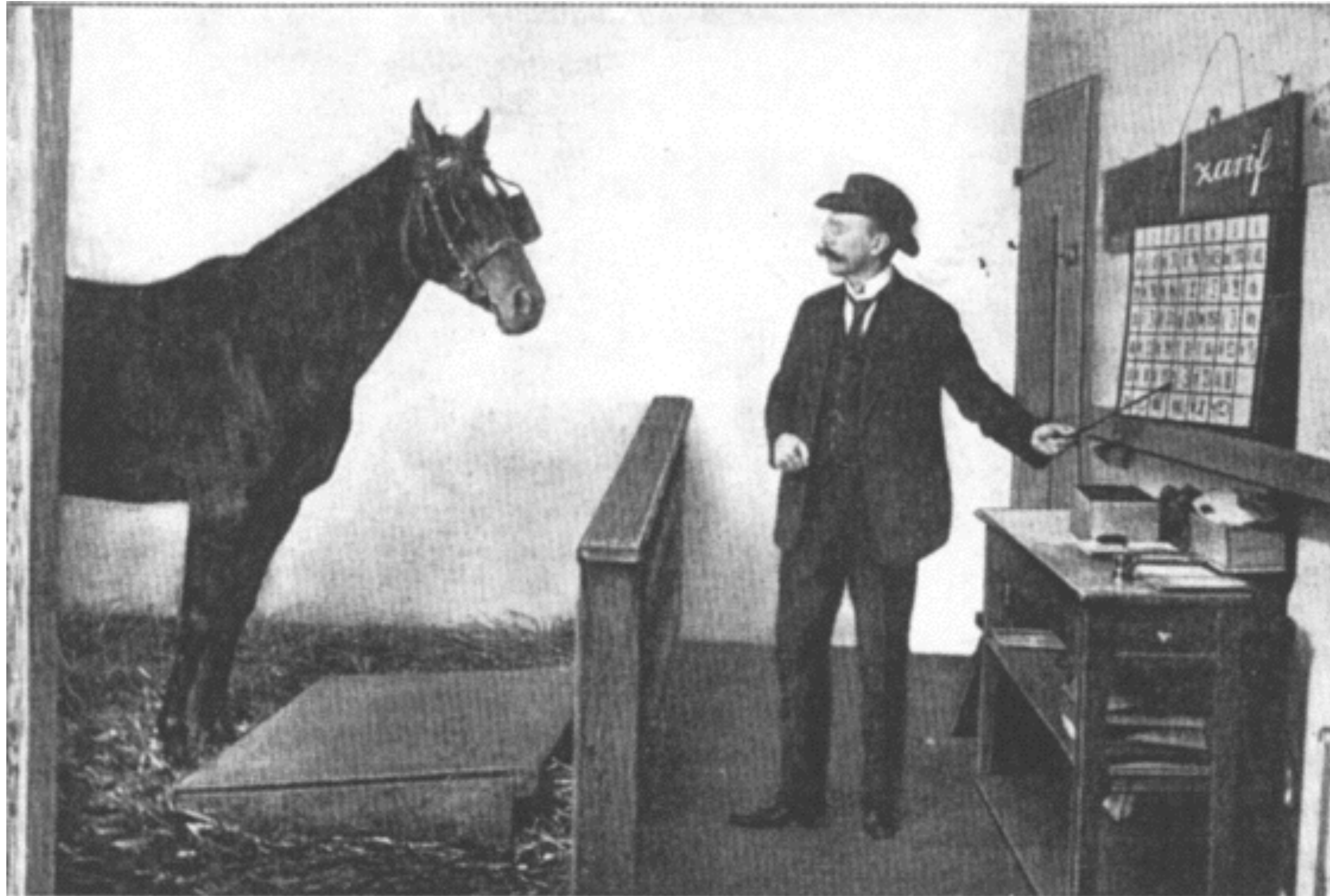
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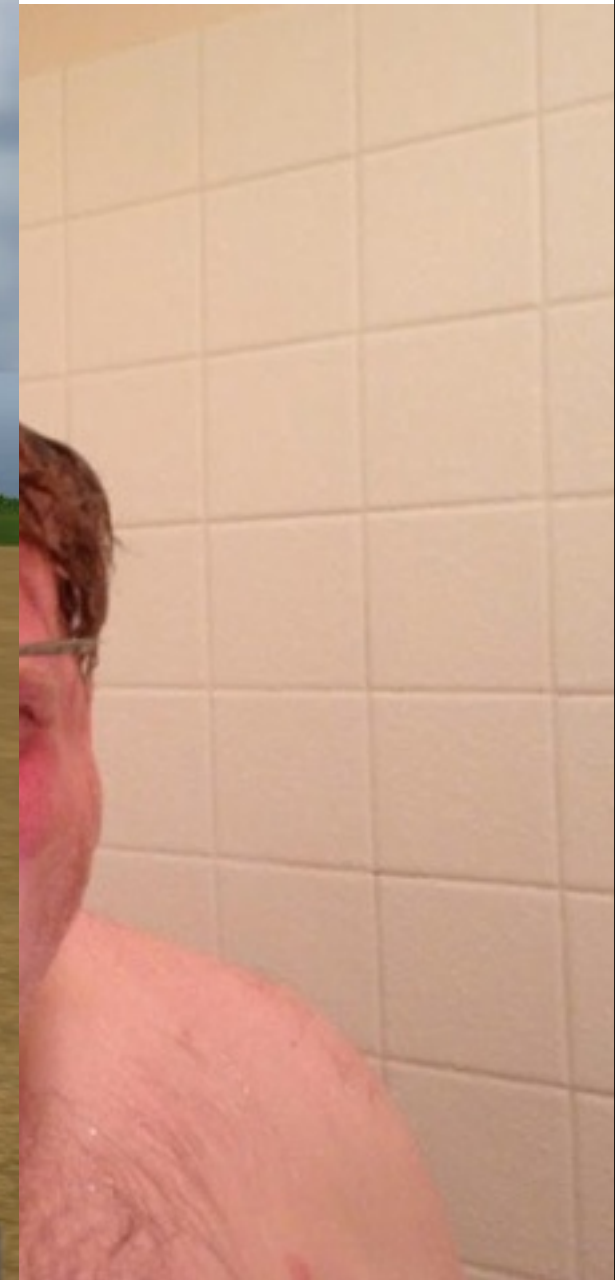






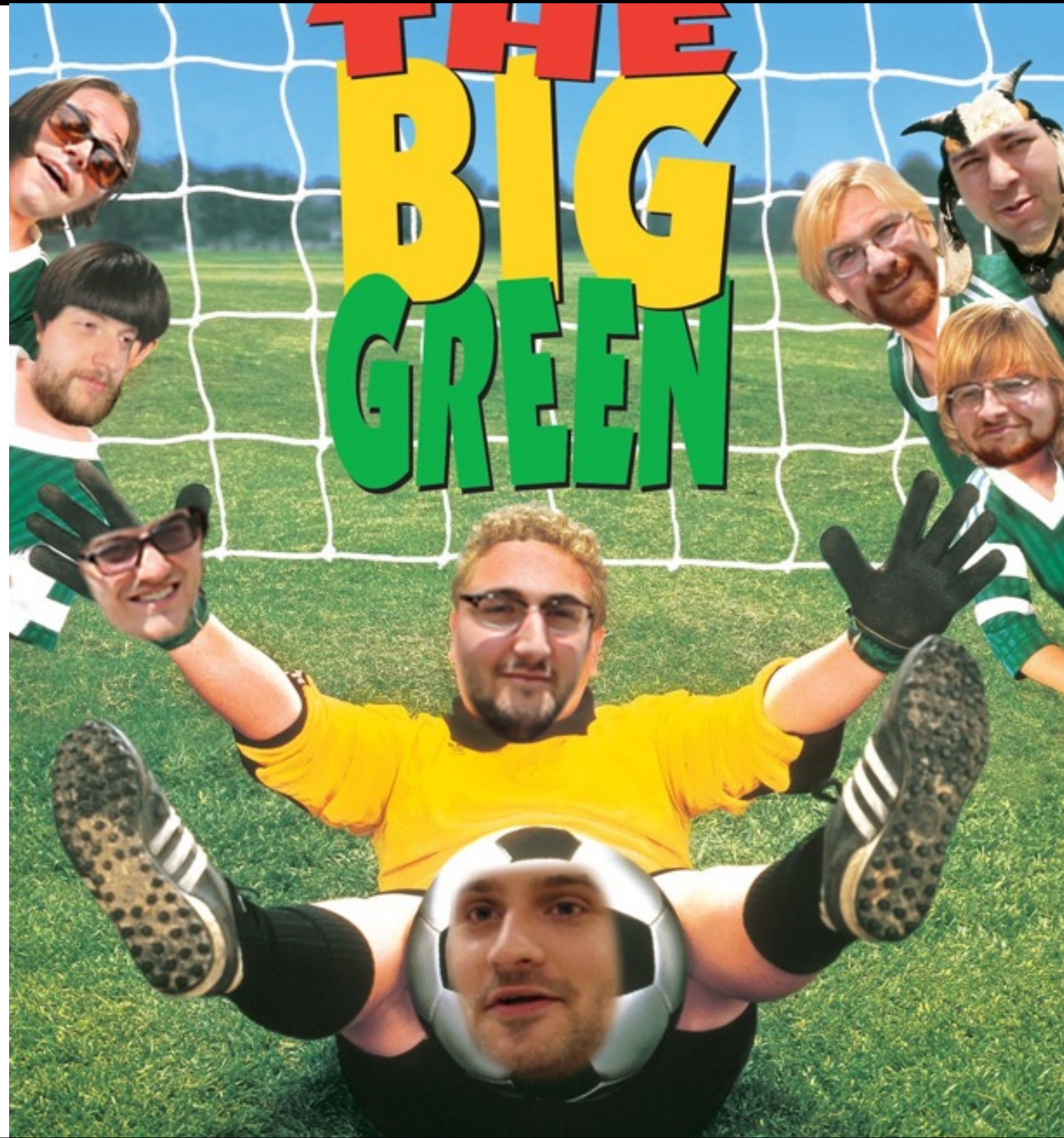


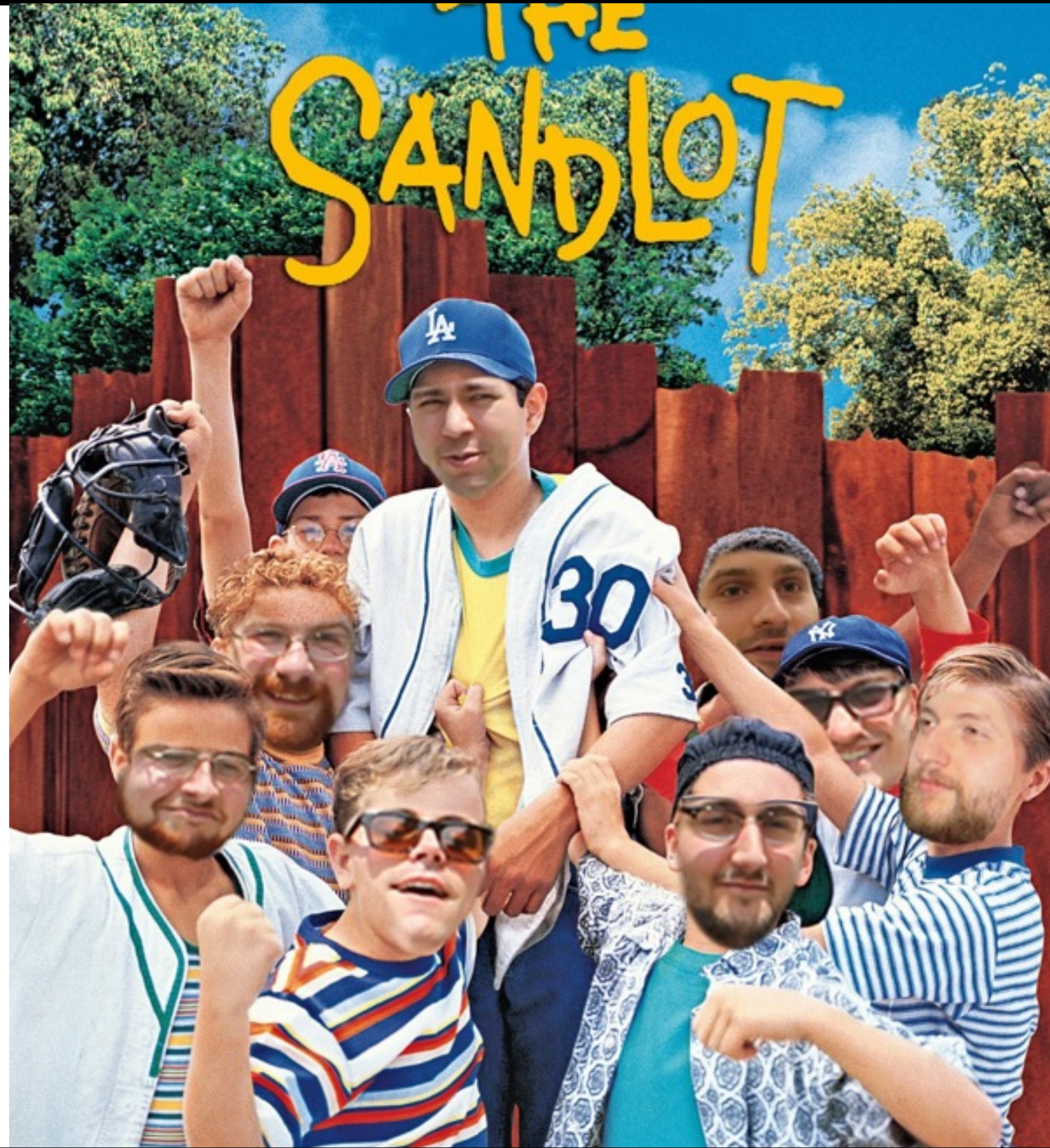
































LAWFUL GOOD

Chris Stallman - Art



NEUTRAL GOOD

Seth Parker - Sound/Music



CHAOTIC GOOD

Majdi Badri - Design



LAWFUL NEUTRAL

Kevin Zuhn - Design/Writing



TRUE NEUTRAL

Lawful Good Stuck in a Chaotic Evil Body



CHAOTIC NEUTRAL

Devon Scott-Tunkin - Programming/Web
Finance Officer



LAWFUL EVIL

Kevin Geisler - Programming/Production
Operations Officer



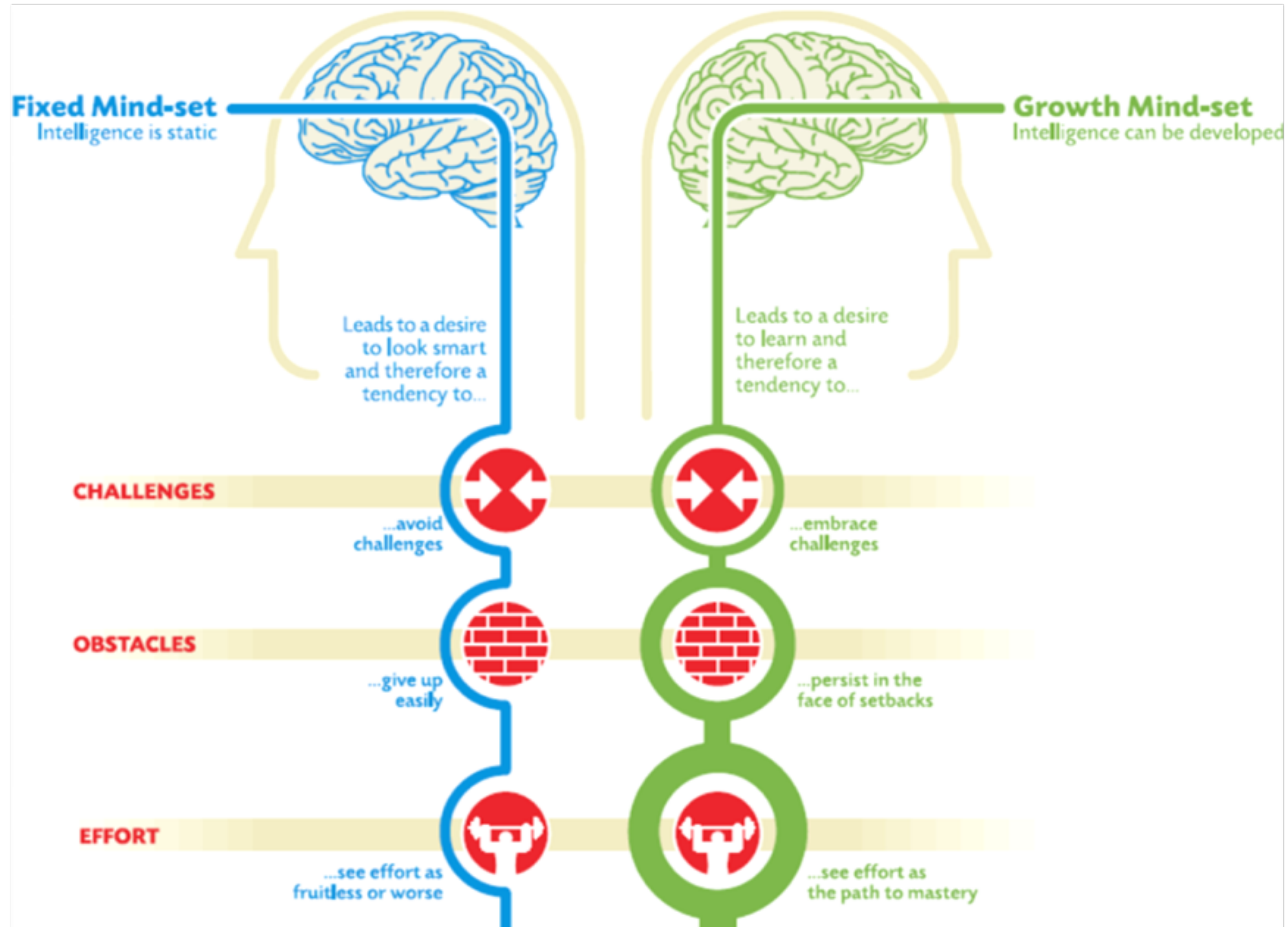
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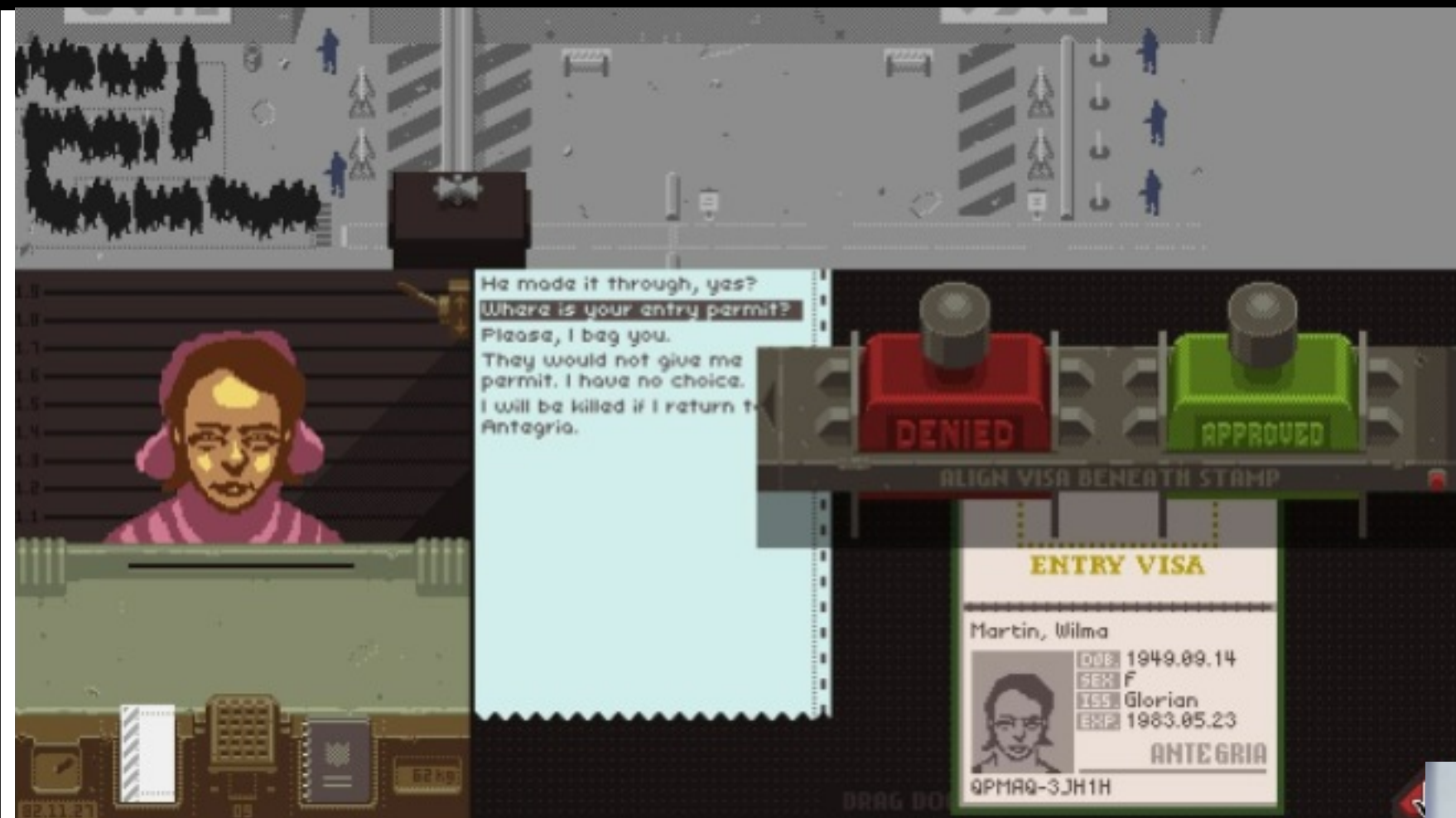
Phil Tibitoski - Programming/Community
Executive Officer



CHAOTIC EVIL

John Murphy - Design







What if you were the

SOLE CREATOR

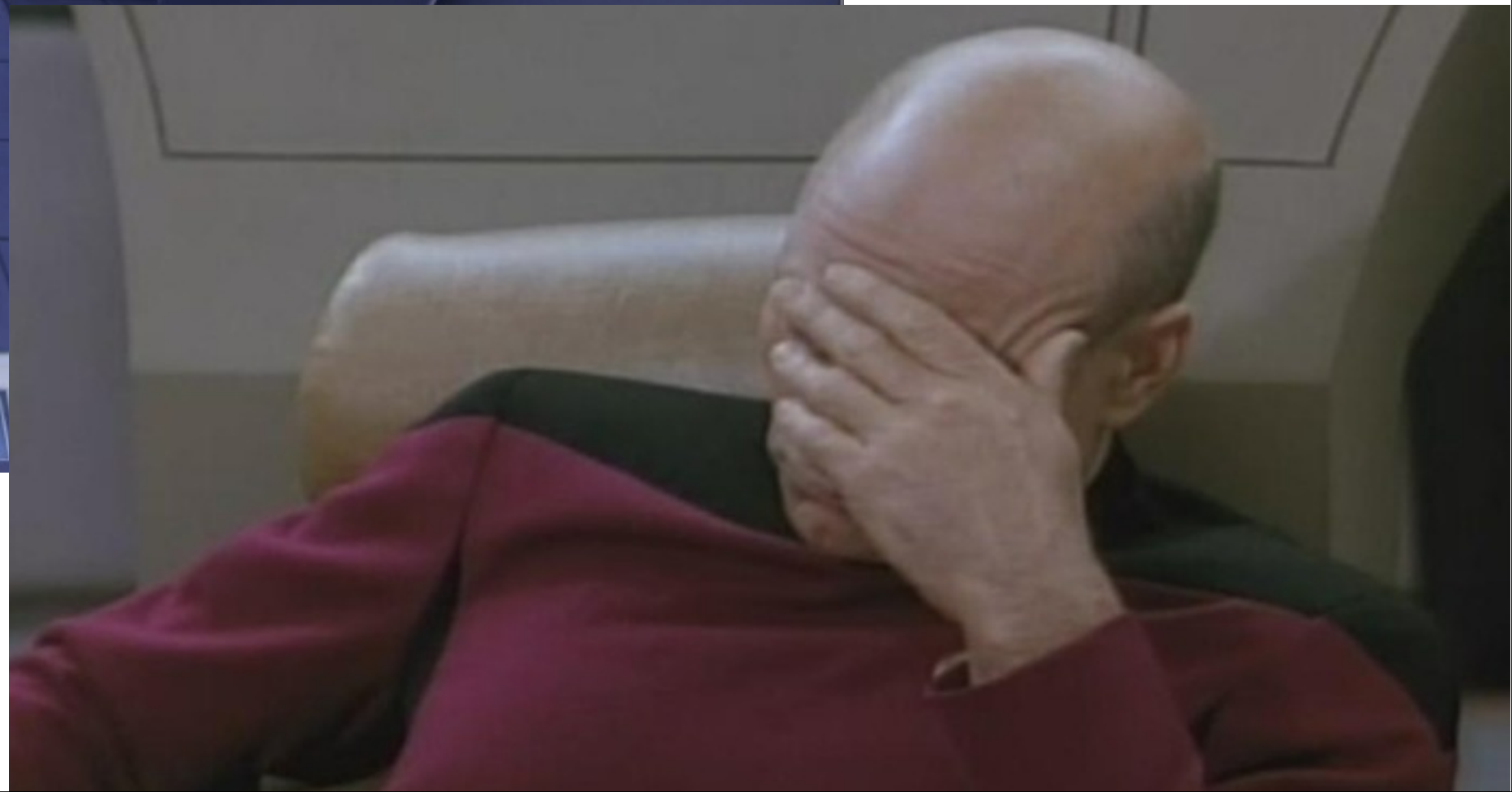


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Misguided Angels (2000) and Legacy (2004), as well as a recent limited Australian tour CD collection entitled Club Salvation, and remains a staple in the

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New Wave, synthpop, dark wave
English
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