

How to make

trouble and

influence

people

In Helsinki

How to Make

"How to Make Trouble" workshops

- more public spaces in Helsinki for conversation
- series in Phoenix where people
- ① open art labs in public parks
- less cell phone usage in public.
- ② a pill for leaning Finnish!
- + Playpens for guinea pigs
- Public discussion space for the citizens and politicians
- lower food prices in Finland
- ③ no picking noses in public
- more incentives to companies for adopting sustainable practices
- eliminate snoring
- Eliminate inhumane treatment of animals in food production.

Lisa

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was a 2 day workshop in January 2012 as part of 'Space is the Place' exhibition in Kaiku-gallery at the Finnish Academy of Fine Arts.

Using the following zines:
How to make trouble and influence people 1996,
How to stop whining and start living 1999 and
Revenge of the troublemaker 2003, to investigate culture as a form of cultural resistance.

With approximately 10 participants each wrote a list of what they would like to change in society. Thinking about political interventions, participants took an element of their list and discussed about taking some form of action.

Three days later the group came back with documentation of their intervention to collate into this Zine.

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HOW TO MAKE TROUBLE
 AND MAKE INFLUENCE.

DONT MAKE IT AS ART
 RATHER READ A BOOK AND
 TELL ABOUT IT.

TAKE PART IN PARTY POLITICS
 AND DONT RELY ON CHARITY

TO INFLUENCE NEEDS A
 STRATEGY. TO MAKE PEOPLE
 CHANGE YOU HAVE TO FORCE IT
 TO HAPPEN.

AFRODIS

Nest

... ja se ei olekaan
 ... ja se ei olekaan
 ... ja se ei olekaan

Resa

Mies, 28 v
 13.5.2009 23.47
 Ei mitkään erään vuokranantajan
 puolesta, vuokranantajan si
 parissa vaan jättävät o
 Pöytä on voinut olla. E
 yssykäsimme.

Punatoralci

Psittaculirostris
@Meri-Rasih

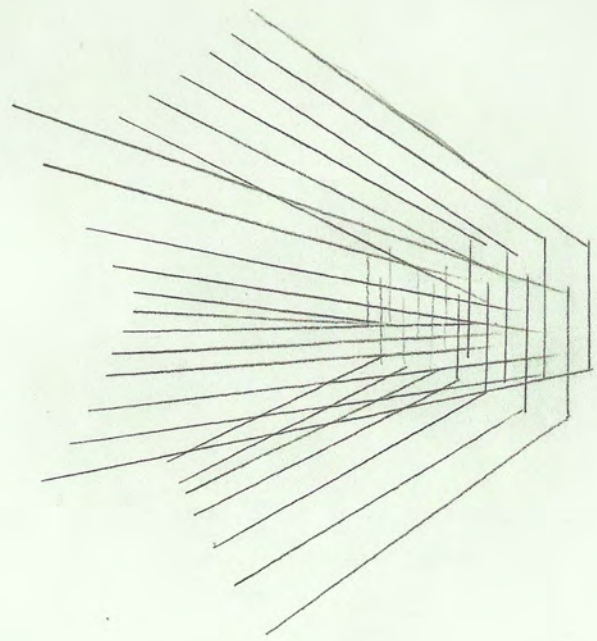


Stelarioidei

Catharus ustulatus



Coereba
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AIKAA SYÖTÄKÖ
 PUURUJA
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 JOKU
 PASKA

Columba
 livia
 domestica



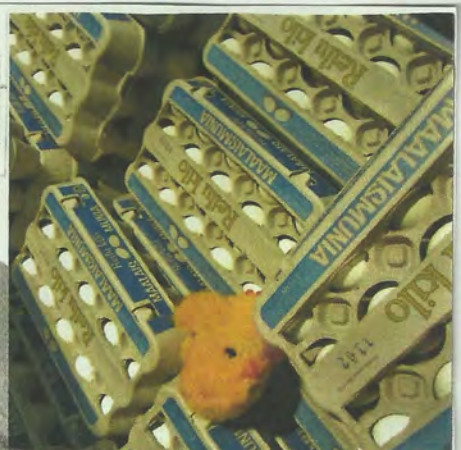
Double
 Suicide



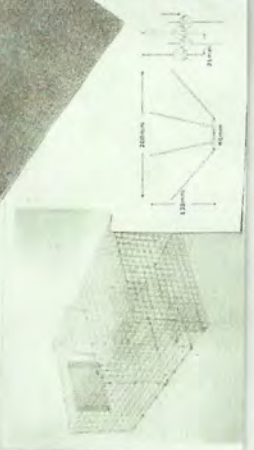
BIRD-X tarkoituksella
 Leivintään lintujen oleskelupaikoille.
 Tekee alustasta ilmamaisen, omniaisuus josta
 lintu ei voi pöi.
 Ei vahingoita lintuja vaan tekee oleskeluun
 miellyttäväksi.
 Käyttöönotto on välttämätöntä, kalsiumin ja vauron myös
 kalsiumin ja vauron myös.

Shy
 Double
 Wink
 Domestic
 Double
 Suicide

Golden
 Double
 Domestic
 Double
 Suicide
 "Dori Kuorittu"
 @X-kurkot, kumpi



Häikkipyydyks varpuslin



PROJECT: access space/site/place

aim → claim a space, a site, a place

an arm → bodies of matter

a finger
a head
words

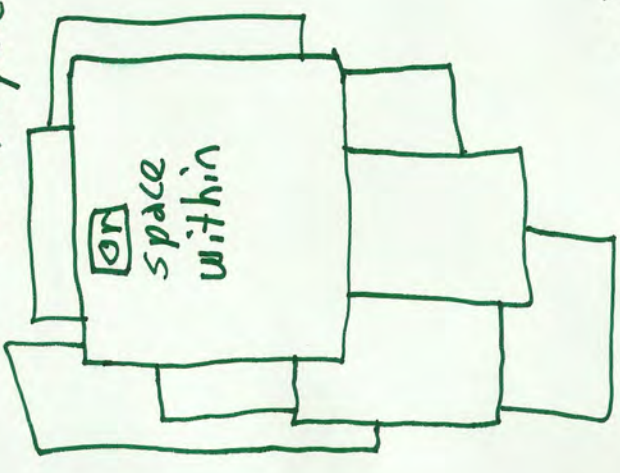
the site of language

she says/he says → "there are no words"
they say / we say ref: Eugenia Raskopolous installation

Soap box

freedom of speech → excitable speech (ref: Judith Butler)

if you can break through the glass walls of all we learnt to say



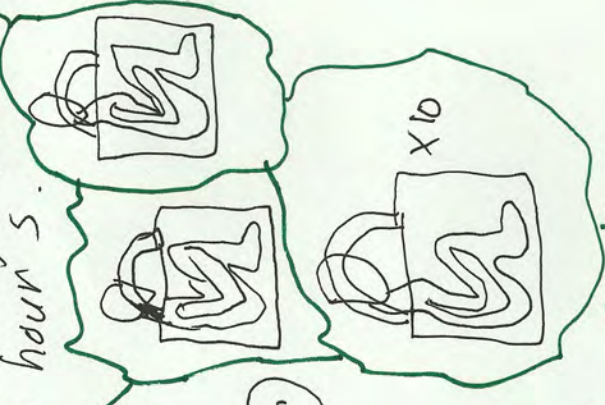
a room
a hall
a corridor
out of space

a bridge
a house
a carpark

she masturbates in public to subvert stereotypes ref: Johanna Lydell

Aim: to claim public places for private actions

take 10 people & 10 chequered bags (big enough to fit a person in) to a public garden in front of a big institution. Climb into the bags & remain in the bags for 10 hours.



stmr

aim: reclaim stuttered speech by

injurious speech

arrows

Cut out this advertisement,
Take it to your local pharmacy.
Ask if they can give you
Suomenex®. Don't leave until they do.



Take this ad to your local pharmacy. Ask about SUOMENEX®.

* Suomenex® can help promote cultural integration in Finland.

My plan is to occupy the privately-owned space of pharmacies, with the thoughts of public concern. We can stage interventions that make use rethink our notion of healing, and free ourselves to shift dialogue to political and social issues in the sacred space of medicine. Use fictitious medial concepts to propose new solutions.

This spring, I plan to carry out some interventions that challenge the medical and marketing code, in an effort raise questions about cultural integration in Finland. How do we make it easier for people to learn such a difficult language? What if a pill could help? "Take control of your language skills. Ask your pharmacist about Suomenex® today."

If you would like to participate in the pharma interventions, contact Lisa at: lisa.erdman@aalto.fi

Be your own pharmacist.

Time to take control of your language skills.

Try Suomenex® and

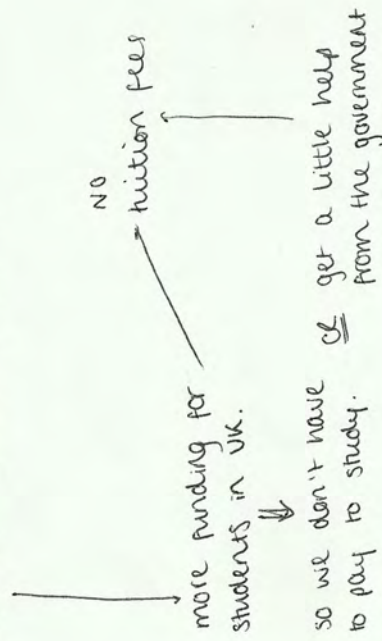
learn Finnish in only 5 days.

Ask your pharmacist today!



valmistettu Suomessa

WHAT DO I WANT TO CHANGE?



Fake money

A SELECTION OF STICKERS!

karolina
heilberg



-----cut it out



-----cut!

i am a sticker too!

making stickers is very easy, using for ex glue to attach them on some surface in the city space is pretty easy as well. a sticker is a small but a concrete contribution for more interesting public spaces.

VIOLENCE THAT CANNOT BE
FULLY UNDERSTOOD / REALIZED
CANNOT BE REGENERATED

LEARN HOW A GOOD DETOURNEMENT
WORKS AND DON'T TELL WHAT
EVERYBODY THINKS.

WHEN SOMEBODY SAYS VALUE
ASK ABOUT QUALITY.

DON'T SAY ANYTHING WITH YR.
ART.

DON'T FORGET
TO PLAY!

