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# FeedKnack

“Transforming real-time education data into insights for students and teachers”

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A word cloud of educational terms. The words are arranged in a roughly triangular shape, with 'incentive' being the largest and most prominent word in the center-right. Other large words include 'project', 'analysis', 'engagement', 'information', and 'iClicker'. Smaller words include 'teacher', 'students', 'lectures', 'group', 'learning', 'focus', 'shy', 'questions', 'team', 'sharing', 'media', 'professor', 'improvement', 'feedback', 'technology', 'work', 'interest', 'confusion', 'data', 'answer', 'ask', and 'work'. The colors of the words range from dark blue to dark red.

teacher  
students lectures group  
team sharing learning focus  
media questions shy **incentive**  
professor project engagement ask  
improvement **analysis** information  
feedback technology iClicker  
interest confusion work  
data answer

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# Problem and Solution

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# Contextual Inquiry #1

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Irving G.

- software engineer at Google
- uses MOOCs

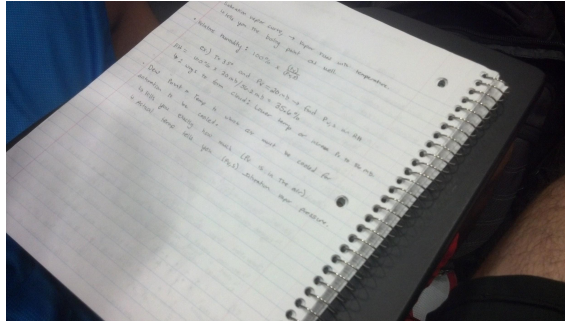
# Contextual Inquiry #2

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- freshman at Stanford
- actively participates in lecture



Kyle G.



# Contextual Inquiry #3

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- Lecturer at Stanford
- uses iClicker questions during class

Cynthia Lee

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# Major Takeaways

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- range in comfort level
- multitasking
- confidence in current feedback system

# Task Analysis

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- Who?
- Current tasks?
- Desired tasks?



# Task Analysis

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- How are tasks learned?
  - Where?
  - Customer and data relationship?
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# Task Analysis

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- Other tools?
- How do users communicate?
- Time constraints

# Task Analysis

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- How often are tasks performed?
  - What happens when things go wrong?
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# Student Input

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Students can ask questions and indicate confusion during lecture

# Improve Lectures

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Lecturers can improve classes based on feedback

# Pose Questions

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Enable lecturers to instantly pose questions



# Lecture Feedback w/Data Collection

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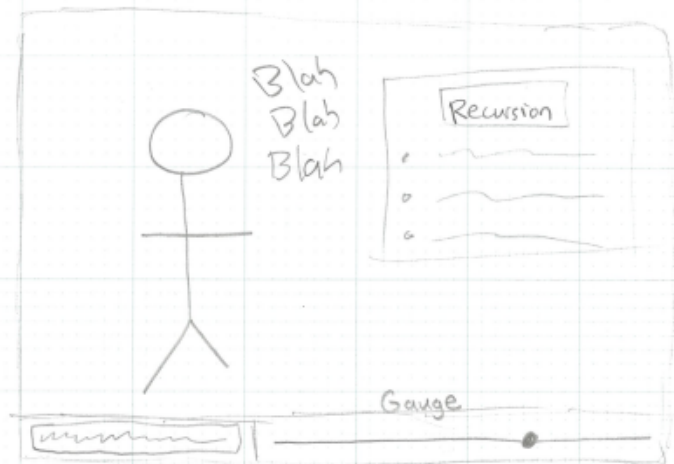
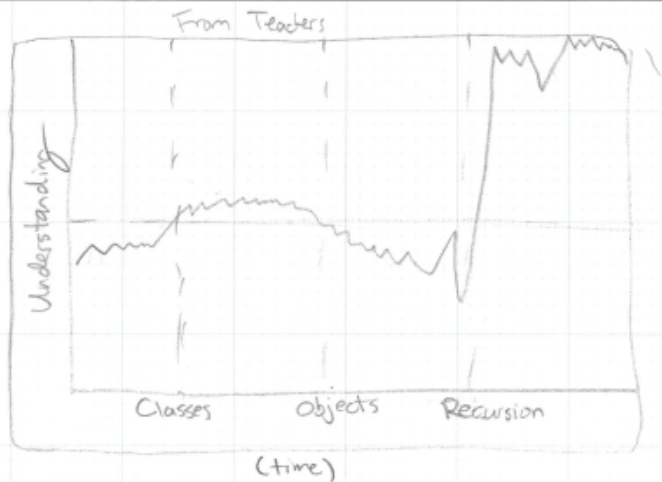
Goals:

- give immediate and long term feedback both to students and professors during live or online lectures

Application will allow students to:

- ask and answer questions
  - indicate any sort of confusion during a lecture
  - ultimately improve lectures for both parties
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Delayed/Student - Prof



Date: October 8, 2014  
class: PSYCH 30  
Today's Topics

- image formation
- photoreceptors
- data compression



\* students can't see how many students "thumbs up" or "thumbs down" each topic.

student view

Professor uploads topics for lecture before class. Students "thumbs up" or "thumbs down" topics as they are being presented based on understanding.

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Got It!  71  
what?!  8

Got It!  13  
what?!  66

Professor view





# Real-Time Question Scanner

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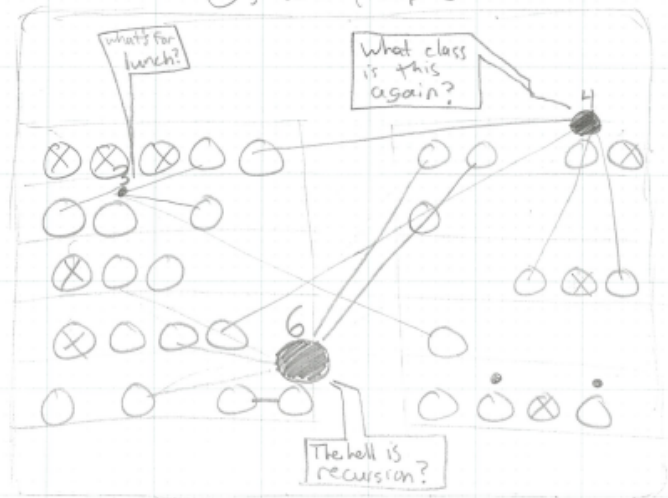
## Goals:

- help the lecturer actually see when students have questions

## Application:

- students have the ability to ask questions with a device, and other students can upvote certain questions
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O's are people



Perspective of Lecturer

- Dots are Questions, with bigger questions being ones more students in class have
- (X) means Zoned-out

# Attentiveness Scanner

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## Goal:

- allow the lecturer to know the students' engagement level
- incentivize students to be engaged

## Application:

- scan the room and determine attentiveness of the students
  - provide points to attentive students and deduct points from non-attentive students
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# SCANNING...



# Summary

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## Need

- better communication between lecturer and student

## Goals

- improve lectures
  - enable student input
  - allow lecturers to pose questions
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# Works Cited

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