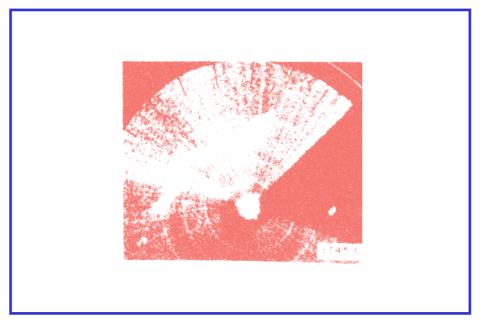
Vasilii Diakonov Portfolio of Projects

Vasilii Diakonov designs ways to bring institutions and initiatives closer to their audiences.

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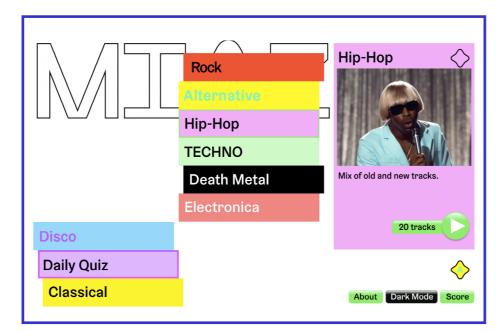
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Acts of Graphic Design Design and Art



Designing strategy for Vulners

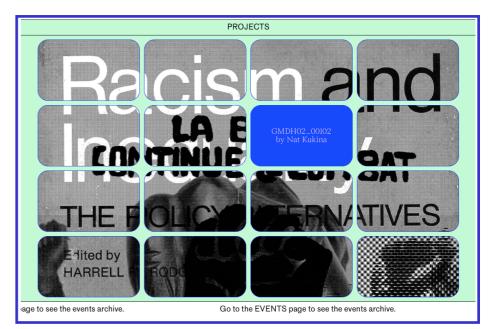
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Making the first steps with MIQZ 2019



Helping Kooperativ Cherniy grow 2021 — 2022



Preparing the Class of 2020

2020



Promoting We Begin With a Squiggle 2019



Small Projects 2020-2023

Vulners 2023

CX Strategy UI Design Illustration Branding

Go back up

Responsibilities:

Working with the team at Vulners to make a new approach to customer experience.

Challenge:

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Strategy:

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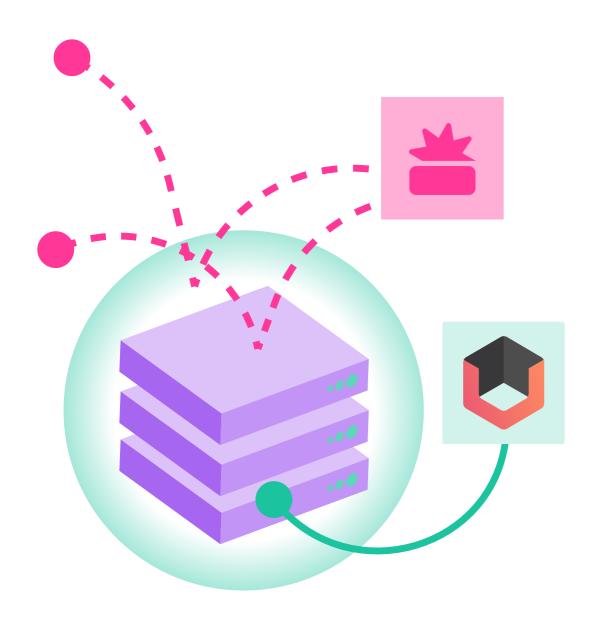
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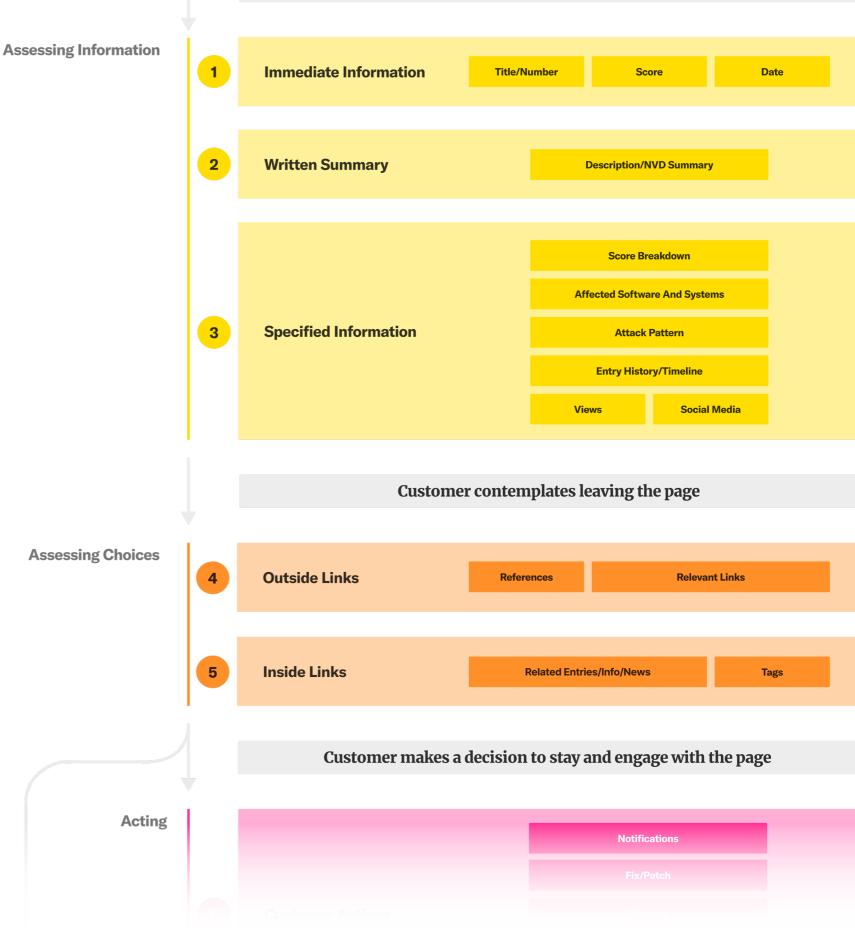
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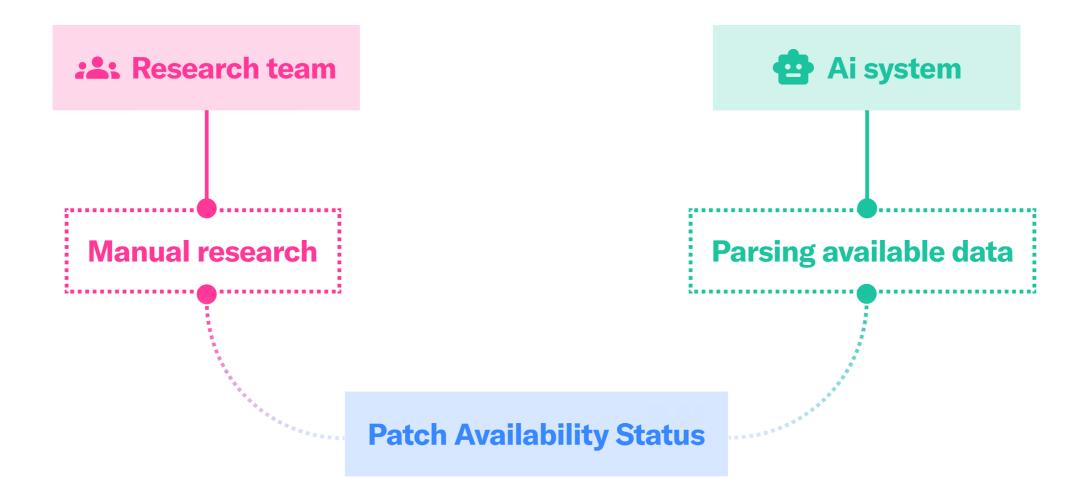
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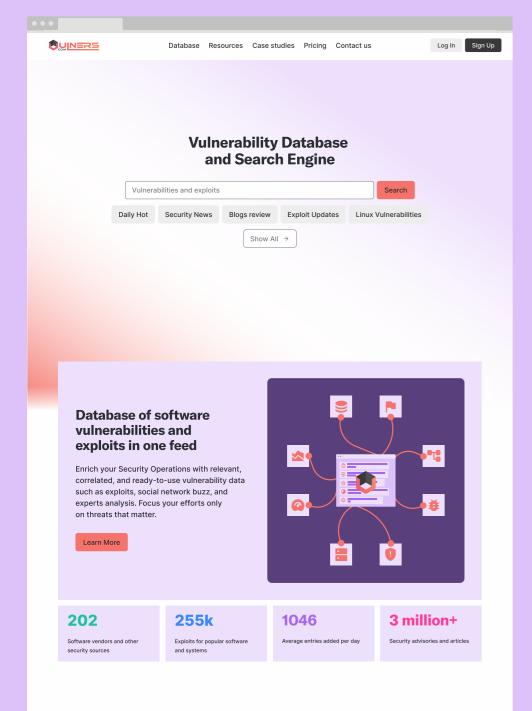


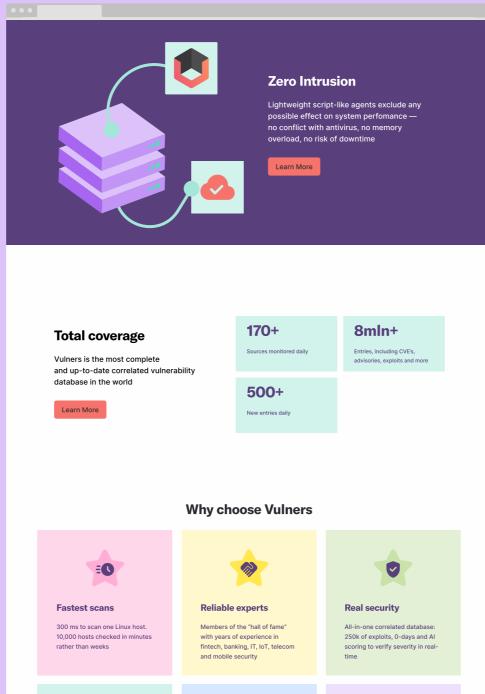
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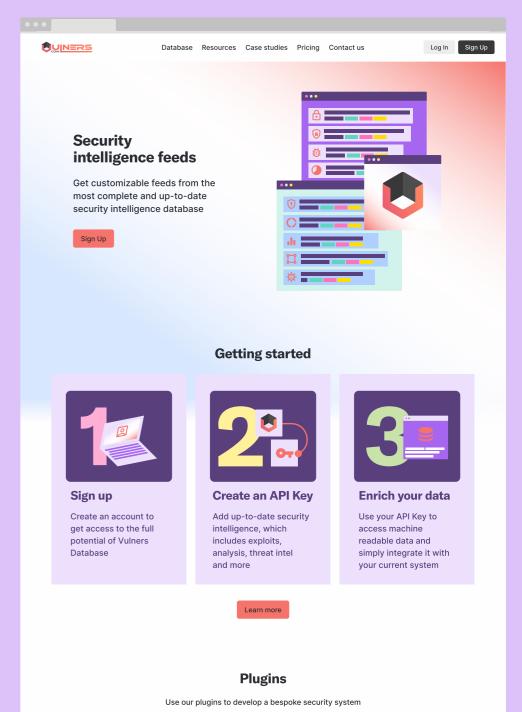


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Class of 2020 2020

UI Design

Go back up

Responsibilities:

Web design, research and testing for graduation website, working as part of a team of classmates. Liasing with other teams on project objectives, formulating schedules and roadmaps, facilitating design meetings.

With:

Nat Kukina, Lisa Falyugina, Sophia Solokhina

Links:

classof2020.online

Press:

It's Nice That – We choose five of our favourite degree show websites from this year's graduating class (as Wassily Dyakonov)

Summary:

The Graphic Design class of 2020 at the British Higher School of Art and Design faced a unique challenge of graduating during the COVID-19 pandemic. Because we couldn't have a traditional in-person exhibition, we decided to create a website to showcase our work.

The website was featured on It's Nice That's list of favorite degree show websites.

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Machineries of Joy with Wassily Dyakonov Writing and design: plot and healthy collaboration with Sofia Kravtsova (feat. Ksenia Matorina)

Audio Review with Lissa Lupicheva

GDB: GoogleDoc Brief with Lesya Kuranova How common is your sexual experience? with Regina Park

Nonchalant Talks with Tasha Shubina Dancing challenge with Nastia Suchkova

votpravda × Mix Master Kutyma LIVINRUM GRADU8 MIX with Martin Lezhenin

Pinhole photography in metro with Evgeniya Velichko Soviet graphical sound and synthetic music with Sonia Solokhina

Monologue: Urban Exploration with Mikhail Selitsky)

The process of processing systems with Masha Andrianova and Nat Kukina

3D For Dummies with Ksenia Gabueva

Tattoo and design as fields of work with Liza Falyugina

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How it all came to be

It all started very optimistically.

On the 11th of March, we, the graduating students of Graphic Design, faculty of the British Higher School of Art and Design, first gathered all together in our studio to collectively decide upon our Final Degree Show. By that time, there were only 8 cases of Covid-19 confirmed in Russia, and no-one really could predict what would happen next, and how our plans to collect and showcase our degree projects as a group of undergraduate students for the very last time would shatter to pieces within the following couple weeks.

The fate of the Degree Show remained uncertain. It was either to be postponed – until the following summer months, or next year graduation – or cancelled all together. Deciding not to wait until the official conclusion of the administration, we

Five days later, a letter came from the Head of British Programmes, stating that the University will be closed for two weeks. It was quite a late, yet expectable move. However, it would be matter of days until we understood we would not be able to access our campus till the very end of the semester.

Universal University
Recent UU regulations due to COVID-19

Dear BHSAD British Programmes students,
Due to the escalation of the global epidemiological situation with COVID-19, and in accordance to the guidelines issued by the Russian Ministry of Education, the management of Universal University has made the decision to close the University premises starting from Wednesday 18th March and will reopen on Monday 30th March unless otherwise instructed.

The closure will mean that you will not be able to gain access to the studios and resources after 10pm on Tuesday 17th, so we advise you to please collect any items you may require in order to continue working on projects from home during the period of the premises being closed.

Learning and teaching

We will work to ensure that your learning and assessment will not be disadvantaged through the closure.

During the period of closure and where classes were originally scheduled to take place, our intention is to continue to support learning and teaching activities online where possible and will provide more details on how this will work shortly.

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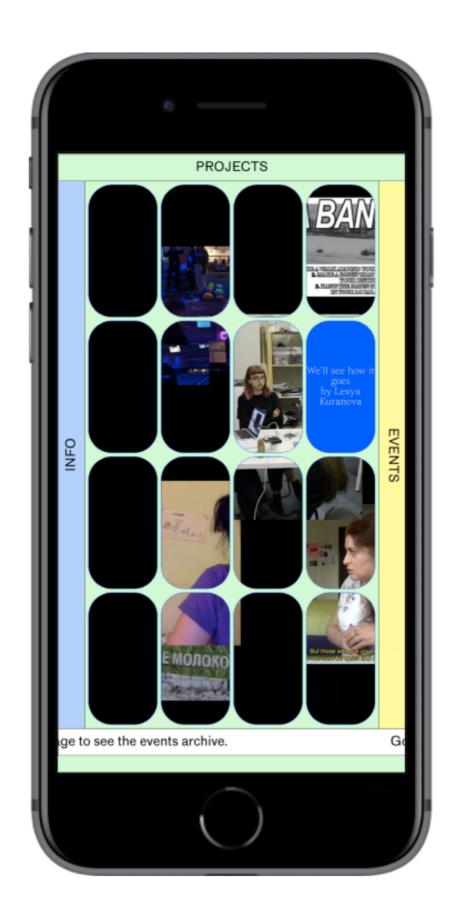
Any modules/units/learning activities that require access to physical resources and workshops within the University campus

will be effectively postponed until access is regained. These affected activities will be granted extensions equal to the same

As you each have your own timetable according to your programme or study, we will ensure that you receive clear advice and guidance as to whether your scheduled classes will either be delivered online or postponed until we reopen.

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MIQZ 2019

UI Design Branding

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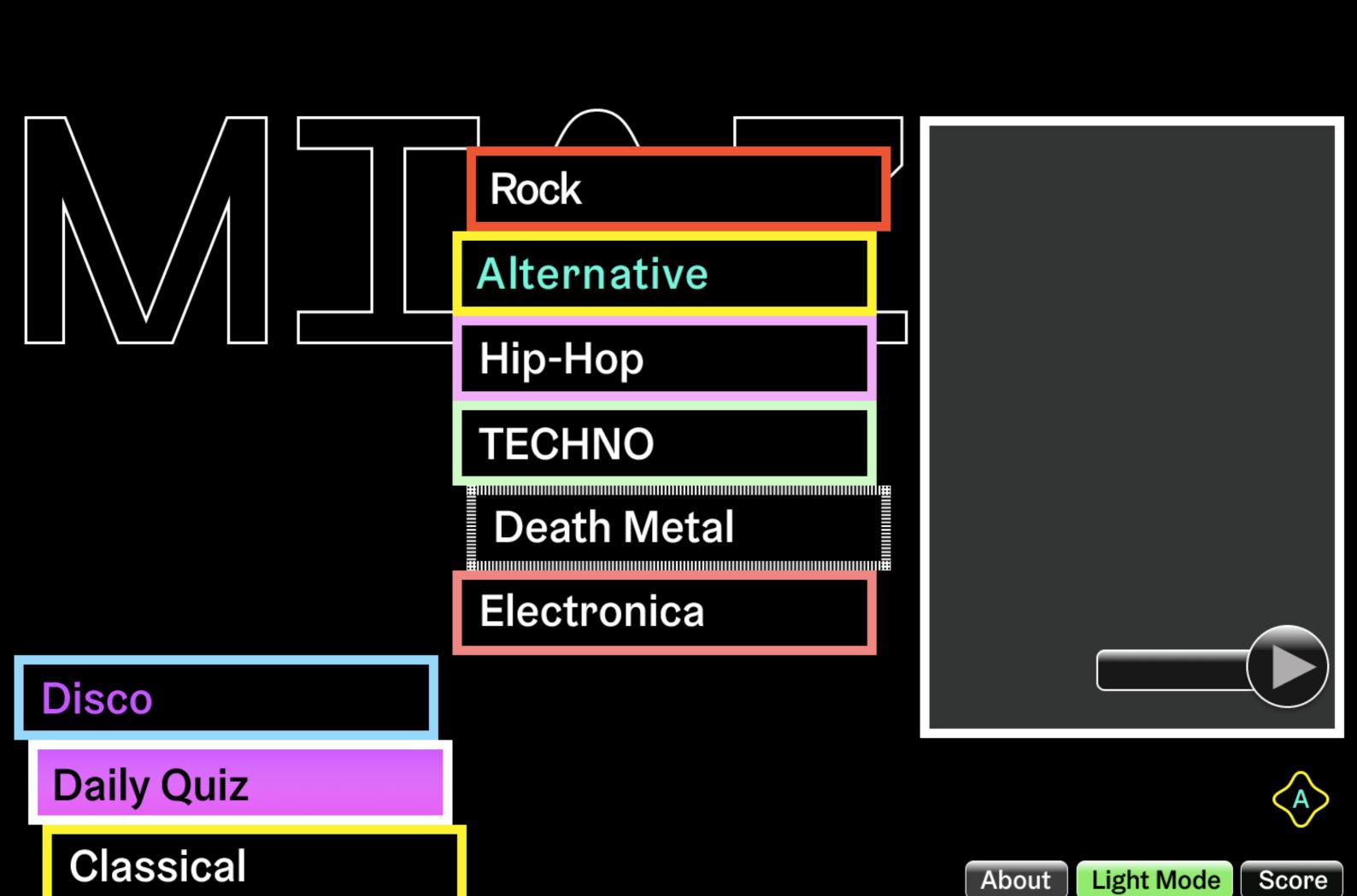
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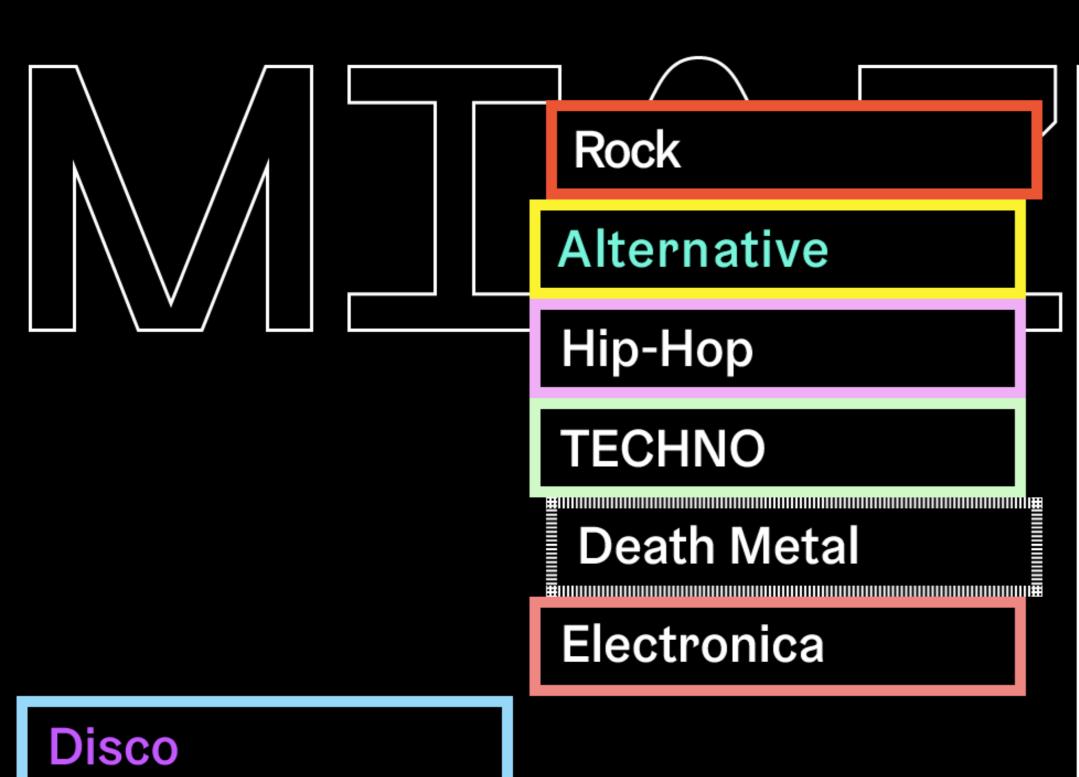
Web-design, testing and user experience design for website and web-app. Motion graphics using Principle. Discovery sessions with the client.

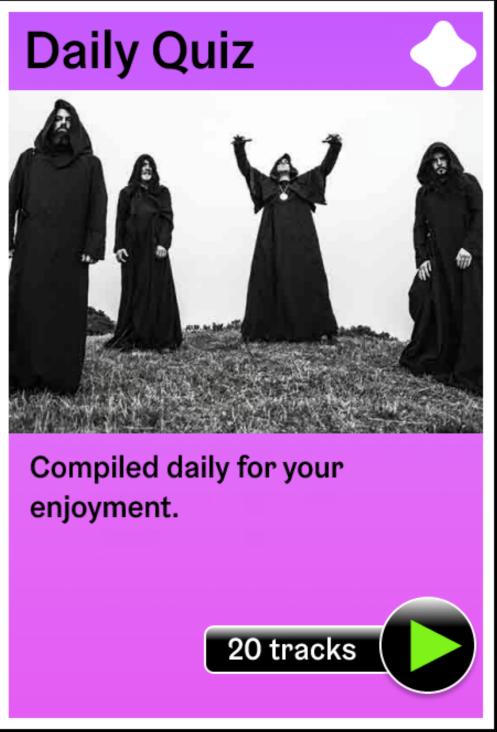
Summary:

Orientir Studio was approached with the idea for a music quiz game that would use the Spotify API. The project was in its early stages and the founders were seeking direction on the game's appearance and identity.

We were heavily inspired by Japanese dance arcades, as that seemed like the best way to game-ify the experience of using the app. We saw many parallels with the founders concept and this reference.









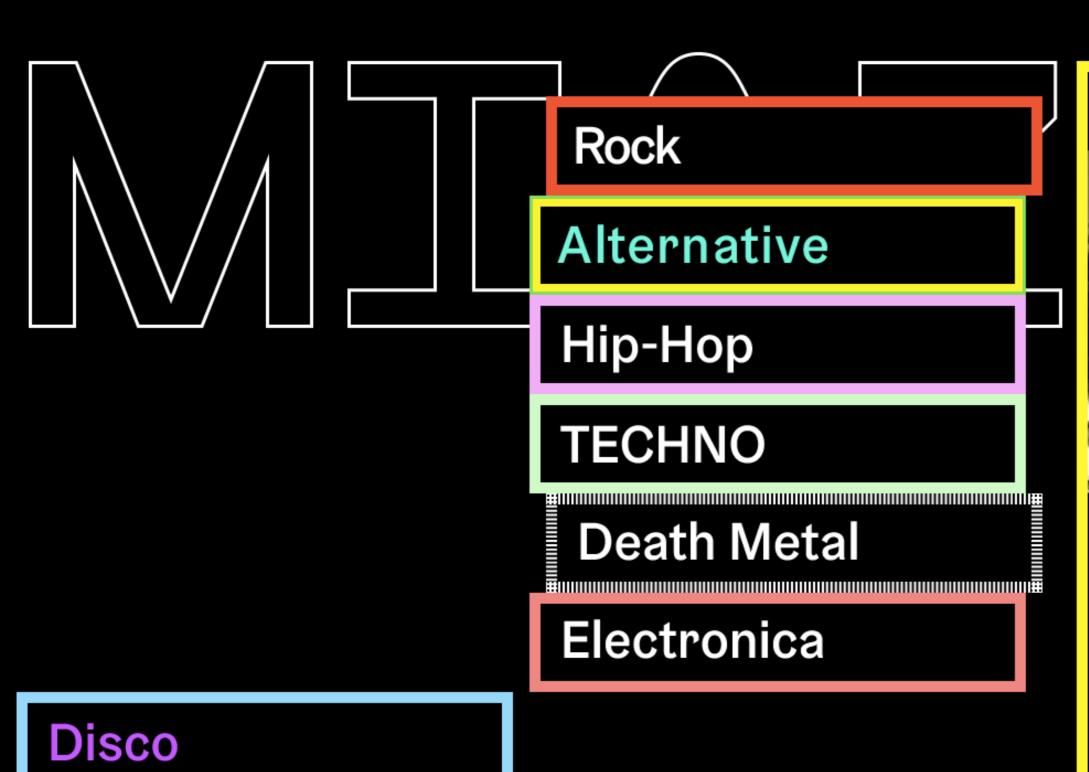
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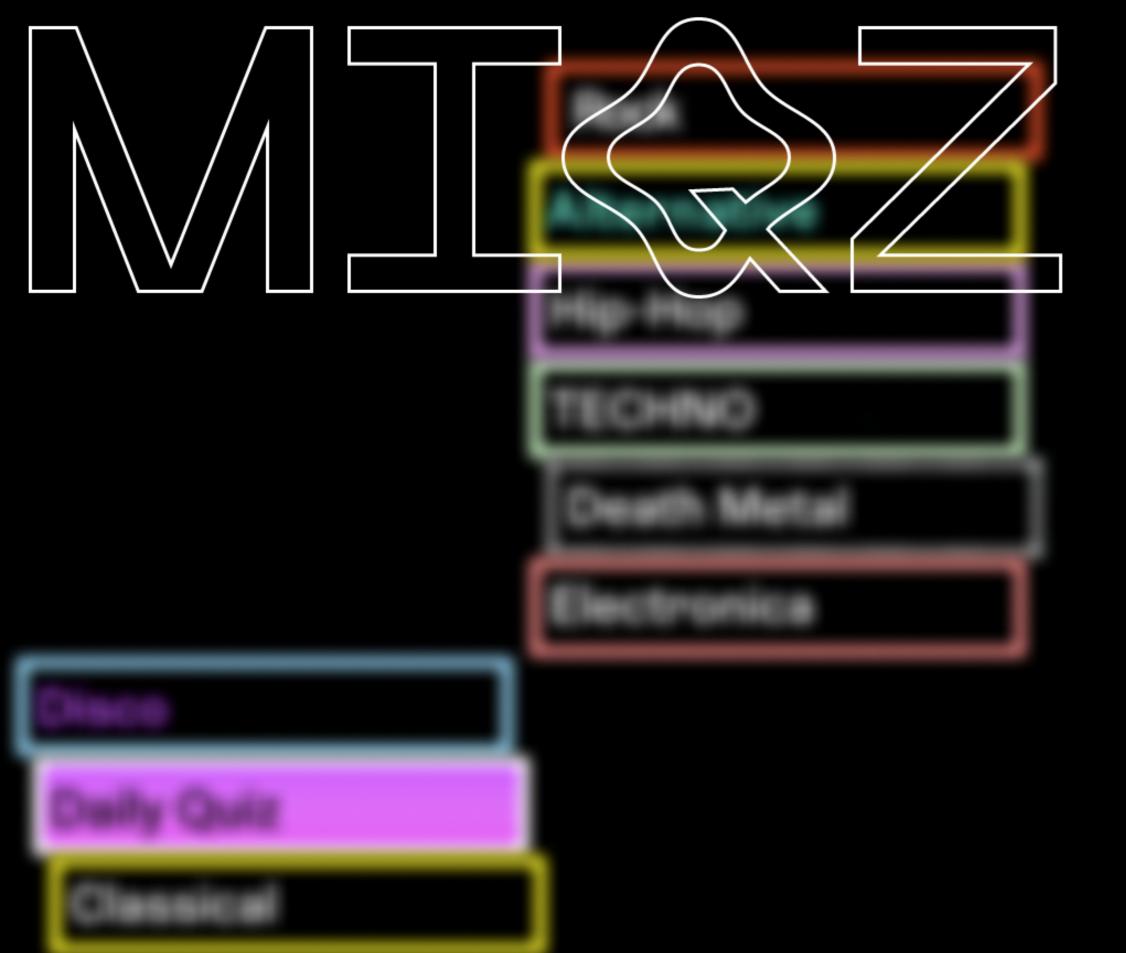


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20 tracks

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Jeb Bush

Your Score:

33 correct

105 wrong

Most plays:



Favourites:







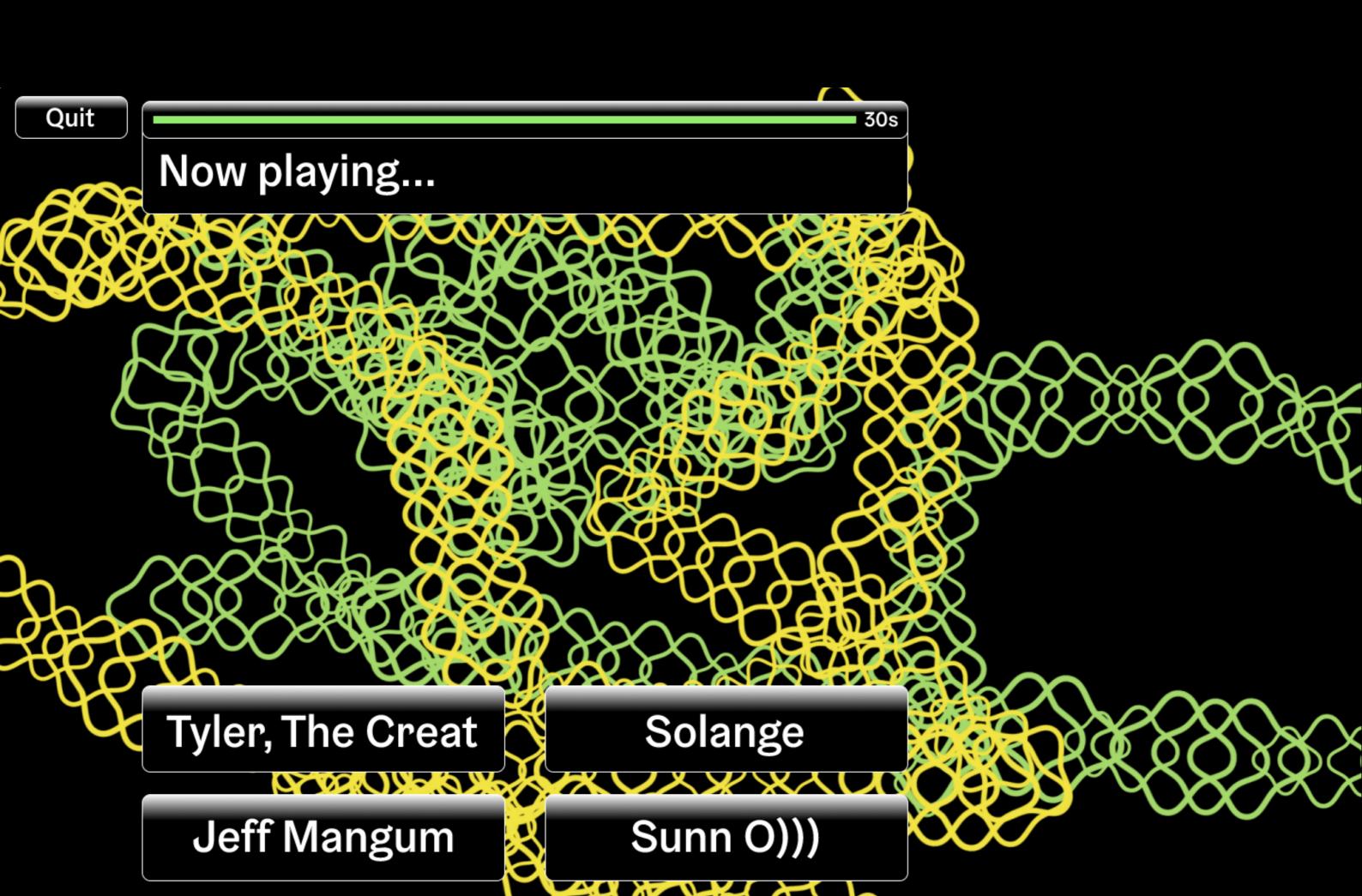


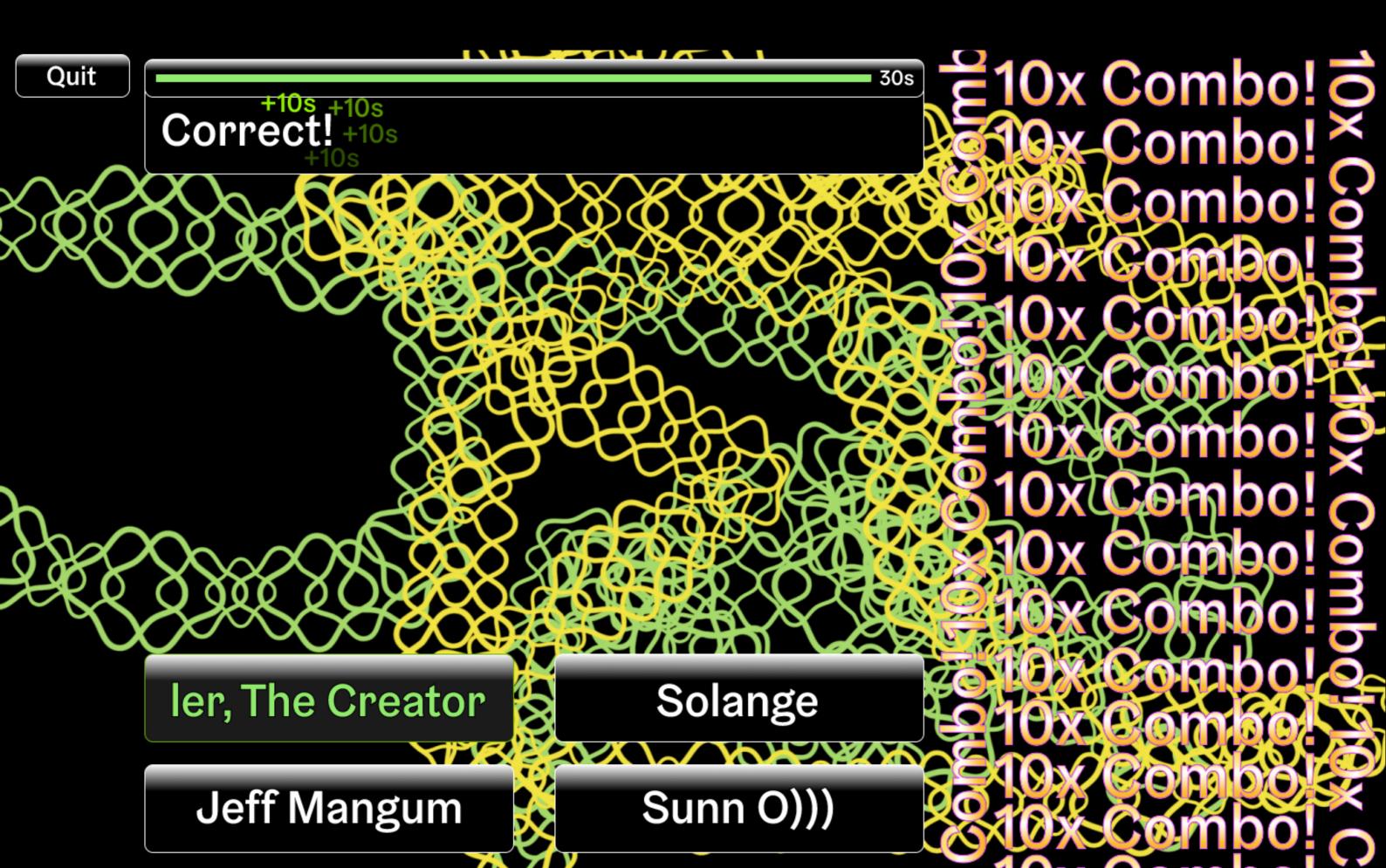


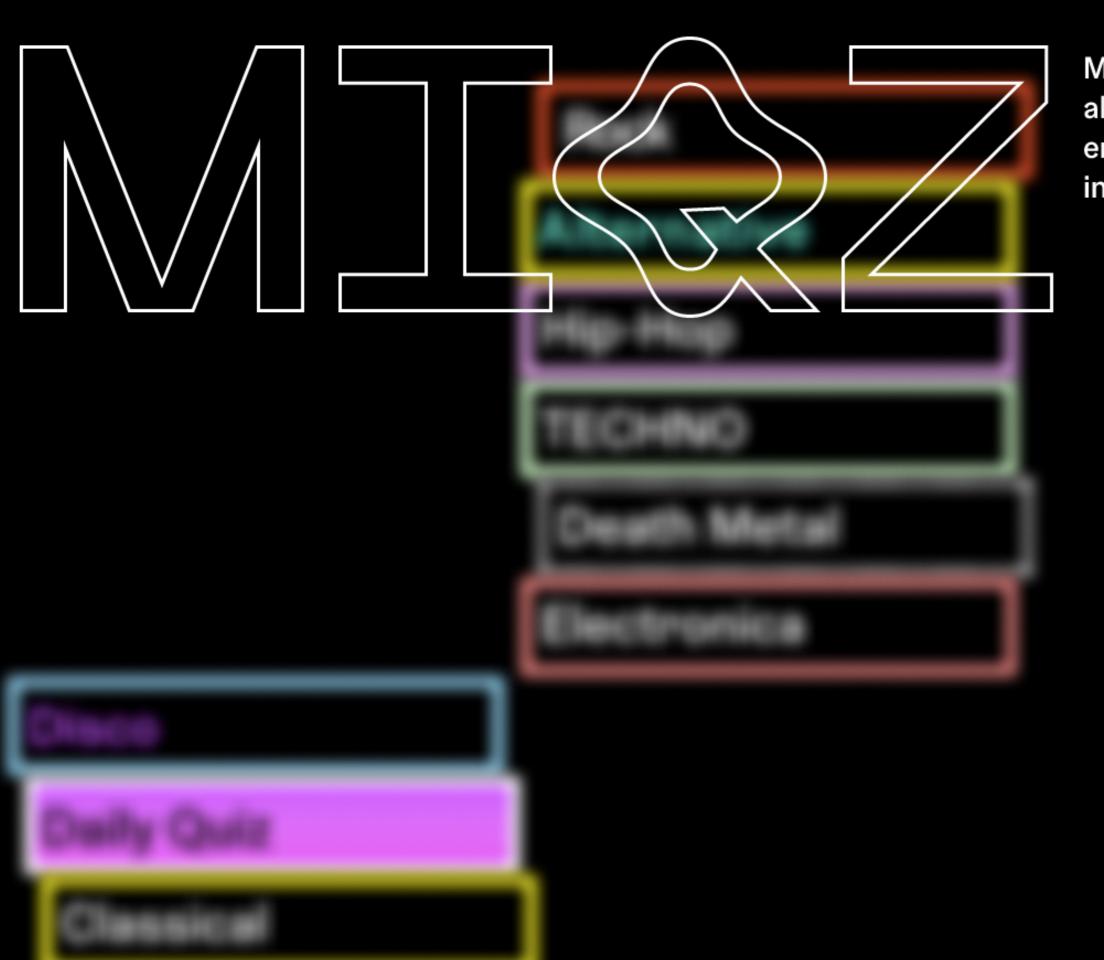
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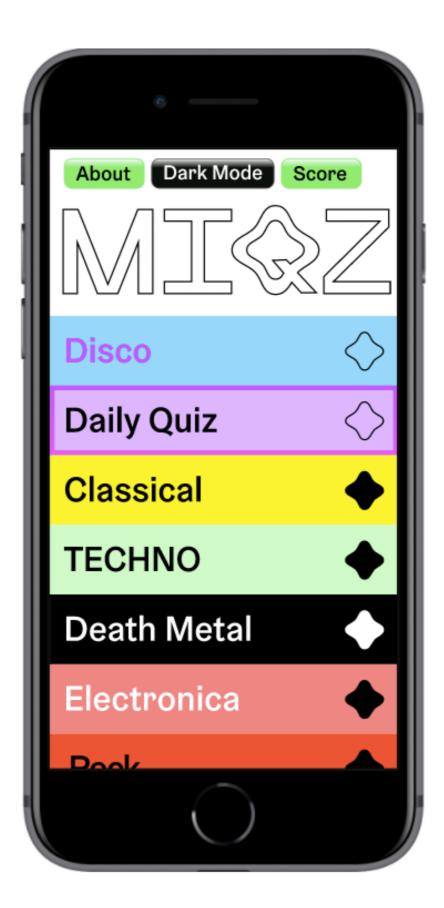


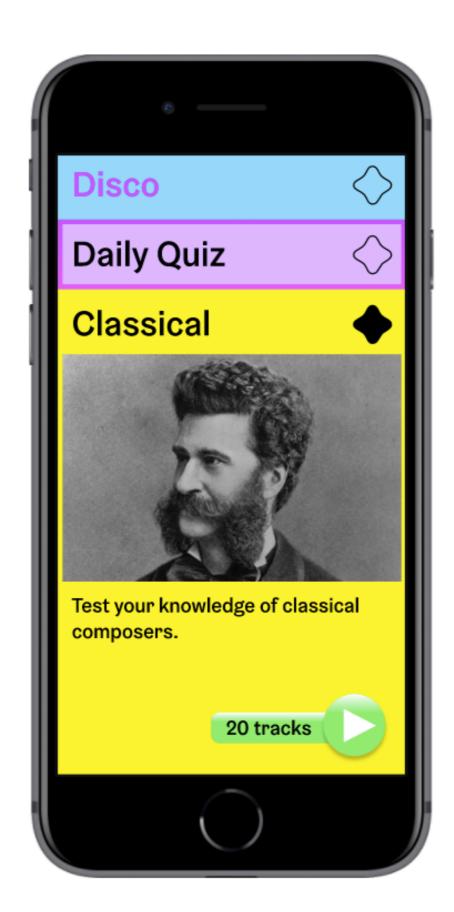


Miqz is a music quiz platfrom allowing for music ethusiasts to engage with their favourite sounds in a new way.

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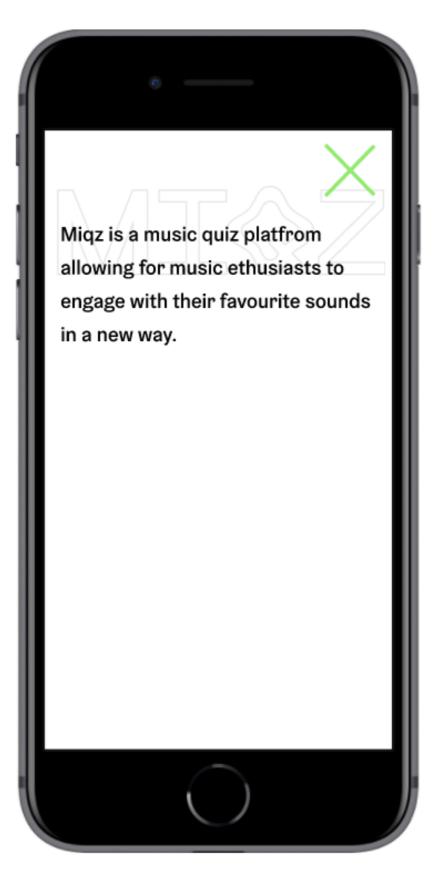
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We Begin With a Squiggle 2018

UI Design

Go back up

Responsibilities:

Web-design, typography and interaction. Type-design with Glyphs.

Link:

Website

With:

Nat Kukina

Summary:

The "We Begin with a Squiggle" program was held at the Moscow Museum of Modern Art and led by Claudia Doms. The website was intended to gather students from all over Moscow for the workshops supervised by the BHSAD and Rietveld tutors. The program culminated in an exhibition at MMOMA's Lecture Hall on Tverskoy 9.

Open Call

'We begin with a Exchange and Workshop @ MMOMA education center 6-10 May, 2019

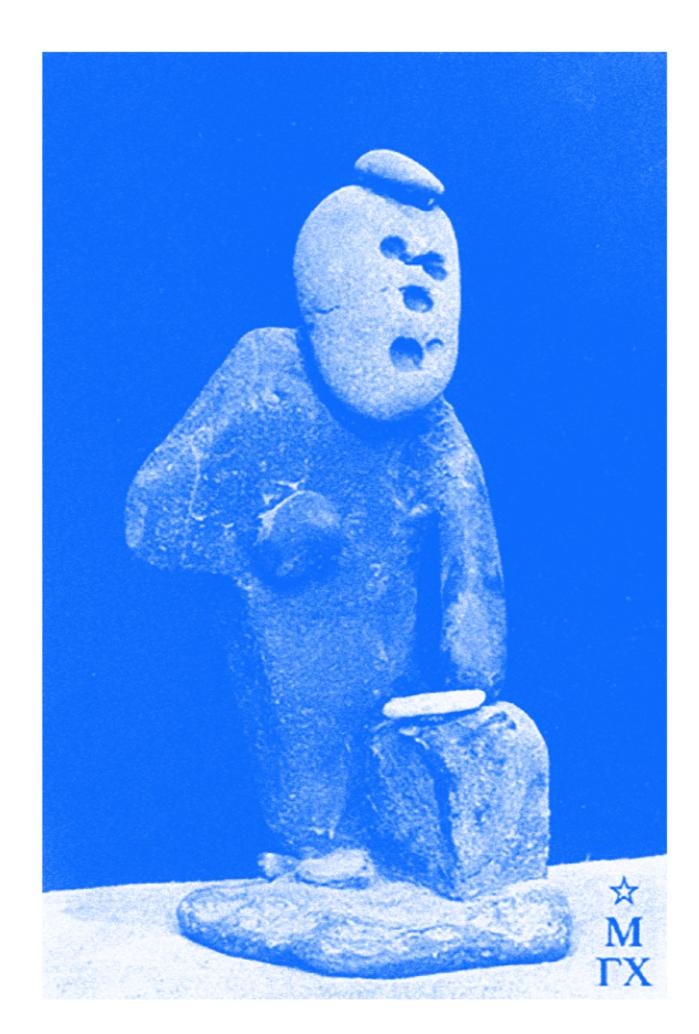


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8 Claudia Doms is a graphic designer and educator from Germany. She is a graduate of the Rietveld graphic design program and currently teaches at the British Higher School of Art and Design in Moscow.

David Bennewith is a graphic designer and typedesign researcher originally from New Zealand. He is the head of the graphic design department at the Rietveld Acadmie.

The workshop organisation is assisted by Bram van den Berg. Website by Vasily Dyakonov and Natalia Kukina.

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Kooperativ Cherniy

2021 - 2022

Branding Packaging

Go back up

Responsibilities:

Design of the packaging and visual communications.

Developed the shops visual language and brand book.

Held client sessions with key stakeholders.

I worked directly with founder Artem Temirov and

Cherniy's marketing department to create the brand.

With:

Sebastian Campos

Challenge:

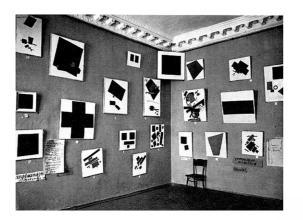
Cherniy, a specialty coffee place in Moscow, faced declining customers at their only location due to the pandemic. To grow the business, the management team expanded to select supermarkets but a rebrand was needed to reach new customers.

Strategy:

To create a new identity for Cherniy, focusing on packaging design. The plan included a redesign of assets such as online shopping and signage.

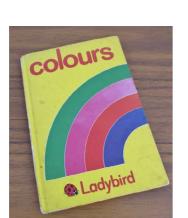
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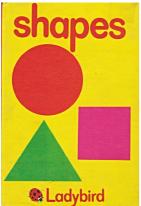
The new identity for Cherniy was based on a collection of variable shapes derived from the original logo. The colors represent the taste profile and price range, while shapes represent the brewing method.



























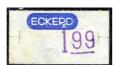


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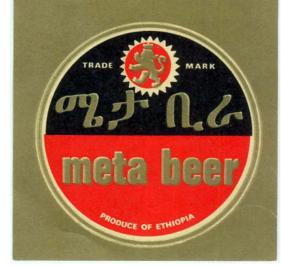




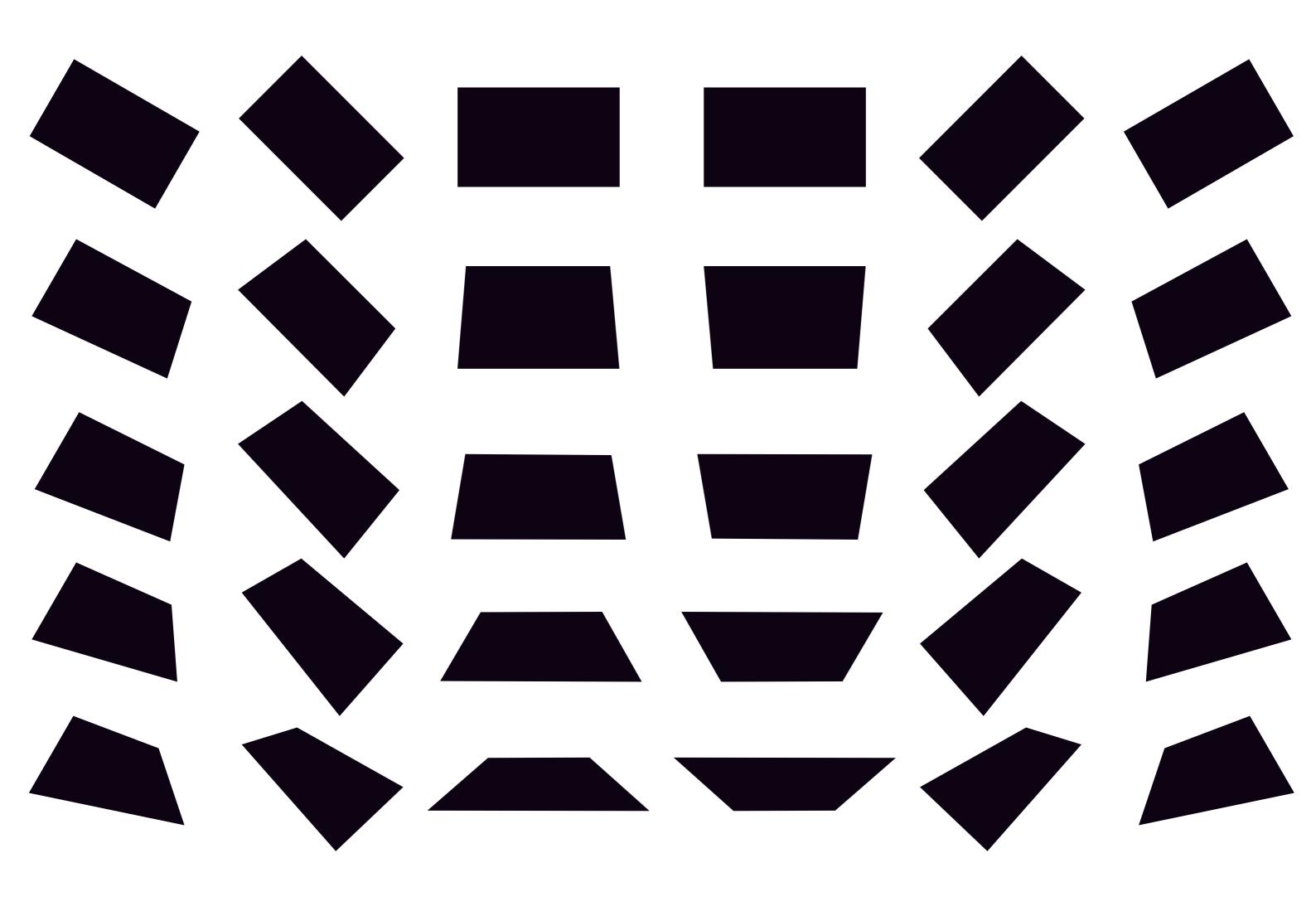












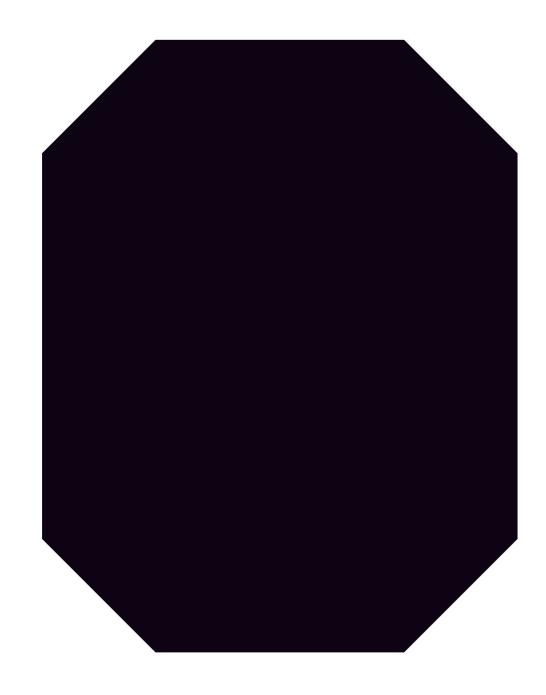
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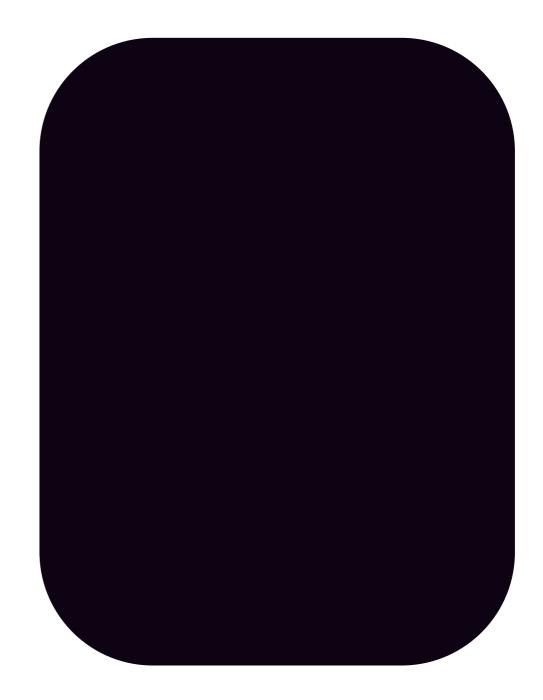
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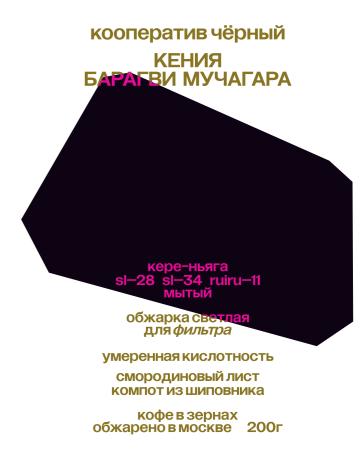
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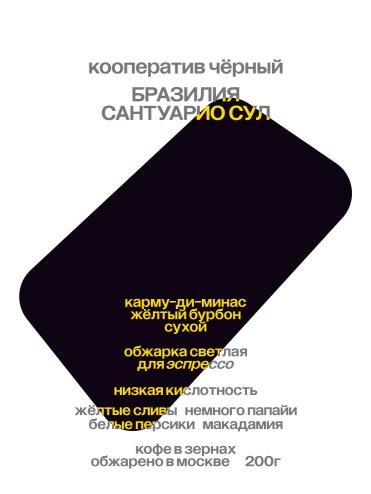


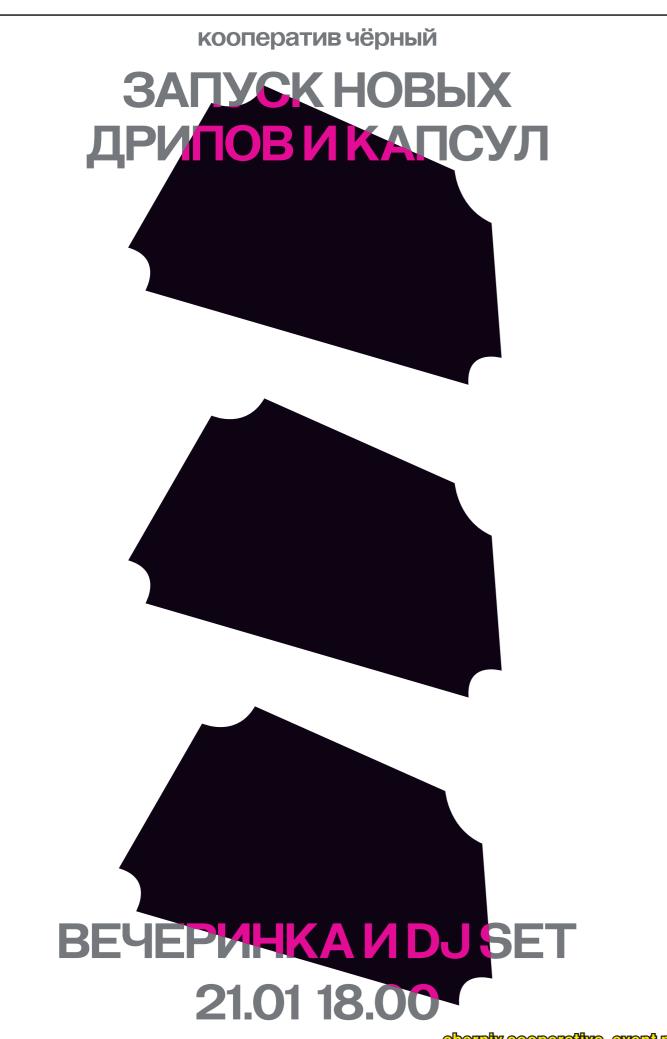


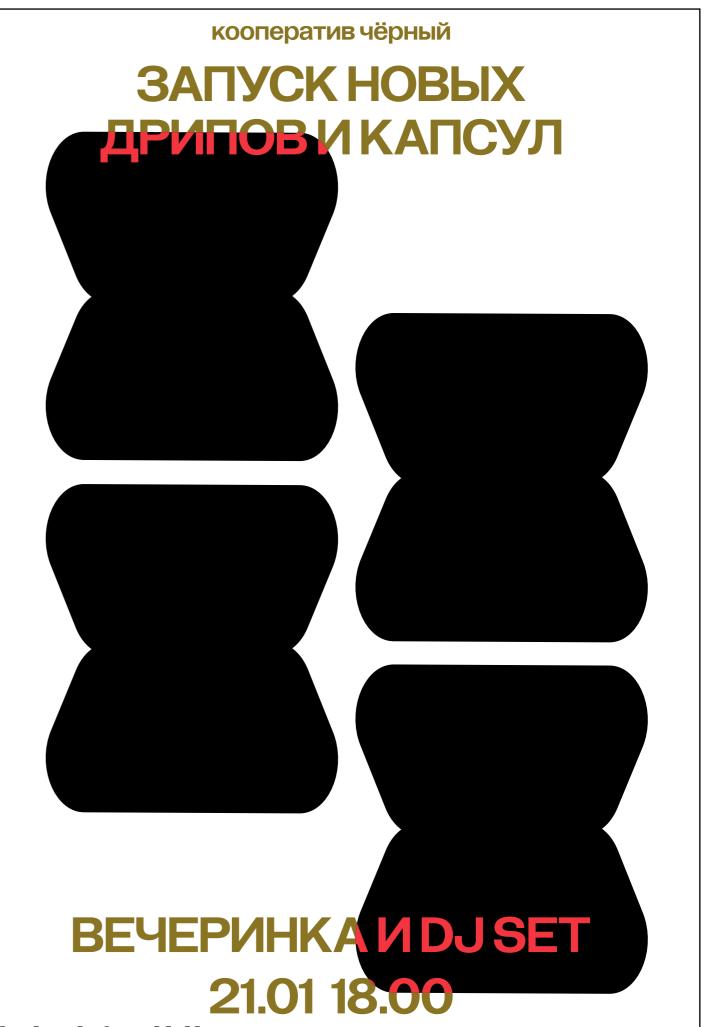












<u>chemity cooperative, event posters displaying: launch of new drip kits</u>



UI Design Generative Graphics

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Responsibilities:

Mobile widget design, typography and interaction design.

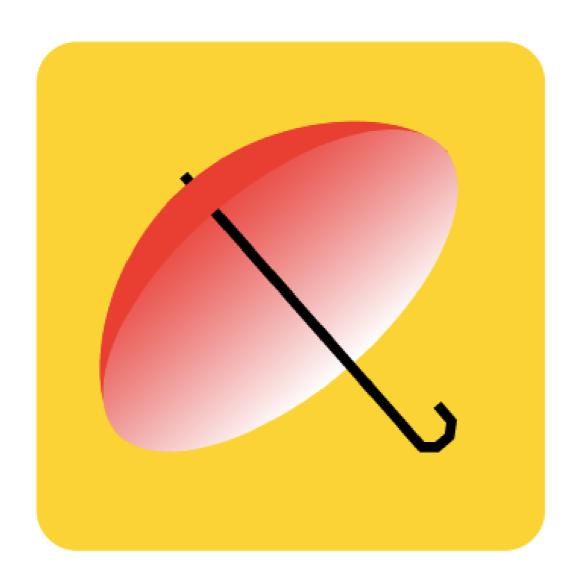
Working with the band to define the style and direction for generative album graphics.

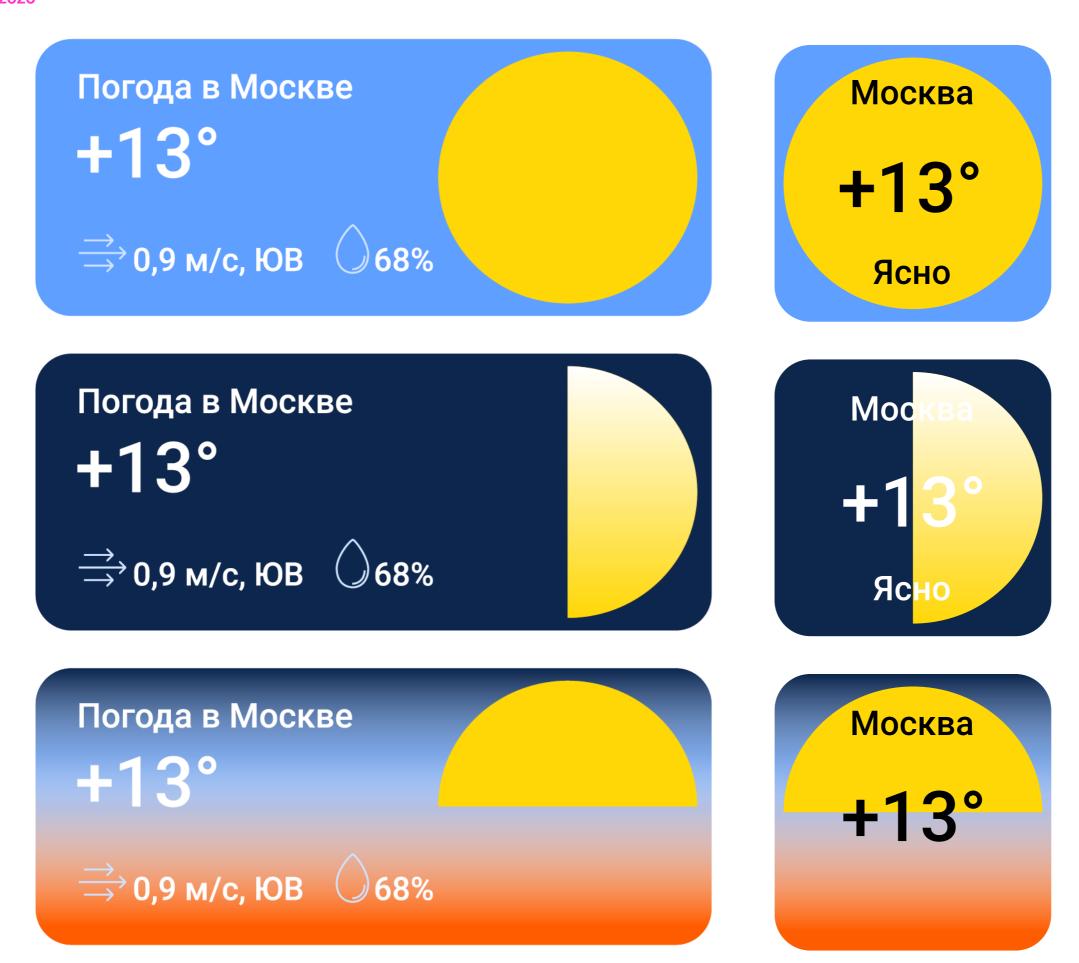
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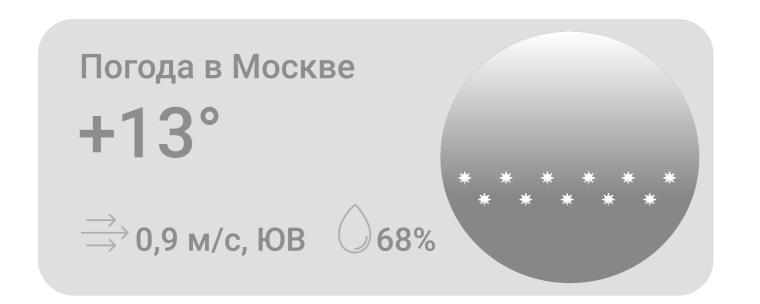
Yandex Weather widget designed with the Android guidelines in mind. Reimagining how the weather app engages it's users, as well as how much information about the weather and the time of day it can show.

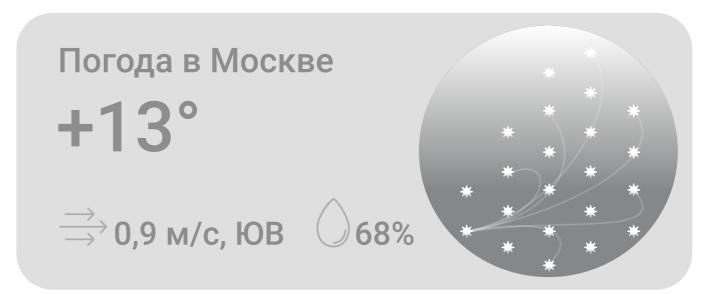
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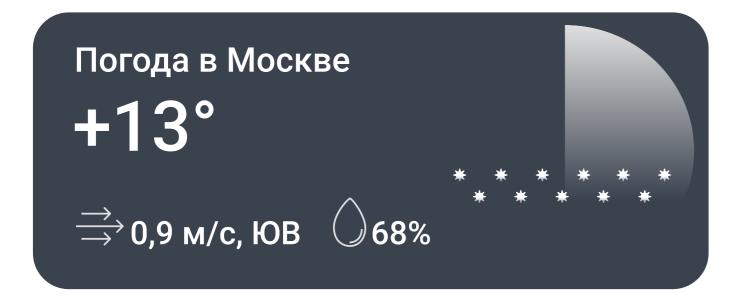
Generative album artwork for Mira Volition, a London-based shoegaze band.



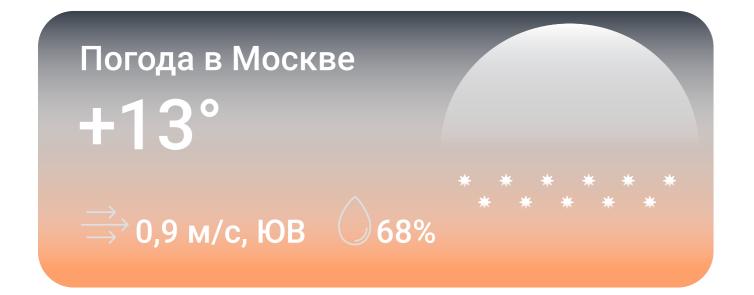


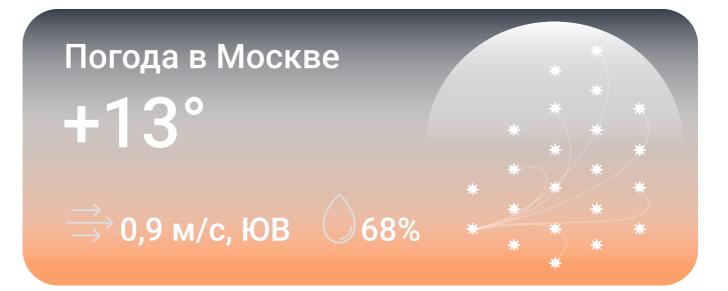


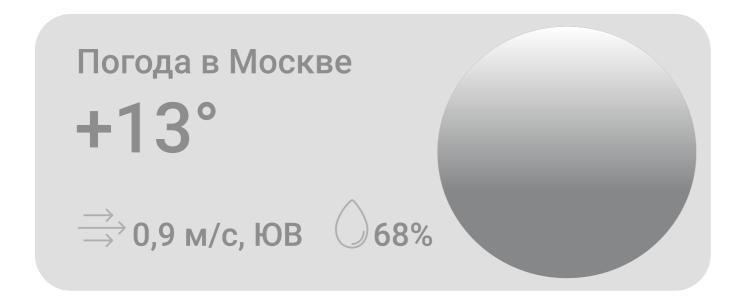


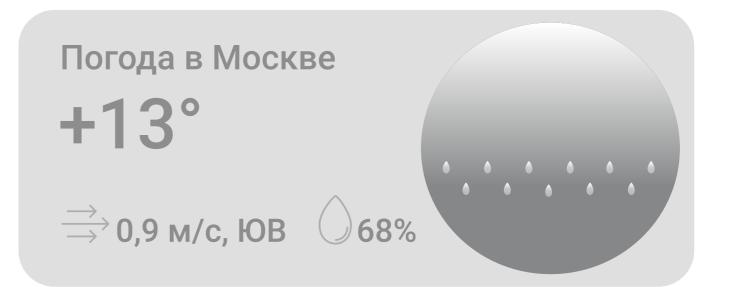


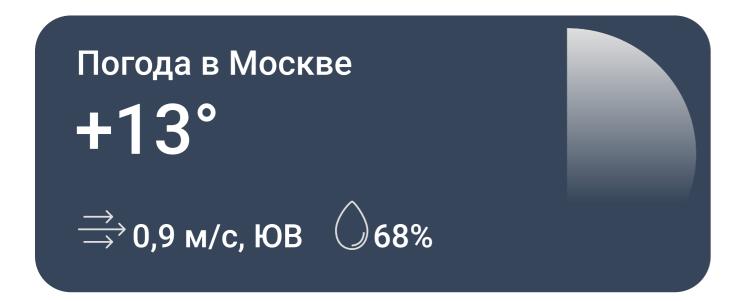


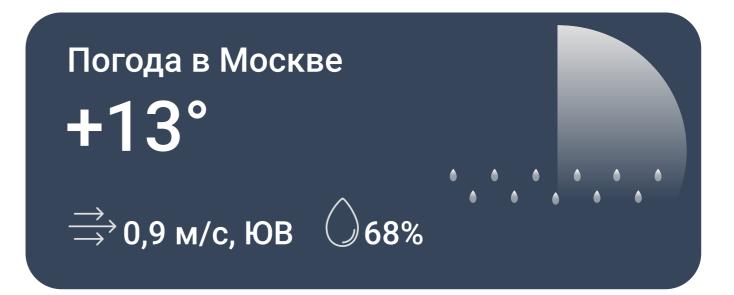












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