

Design Project Journey Map

Design is the process of learning how to NAVIGATE AMBIGUITY with confidence as you problem-find and problem-solve in a human-centered way. You have to make the choice to get out of the boat and into an ocean of ambiguity. How did you navigate ambiguity over the course of your design project? Make a journey map of your **personal experience** that reflects how you felt as you moved in and out of different layers.

SPLASH ZONE

where it's fun and comfortable,
and feels pretty easy
(ex: swimming, snorkeling)

DISCOMFORT ZONE

where it's unclear where you are,
what you're doing, and why you're
there
(ex: free diving, scuba)

DISCOVERY ZONE

where breakthroughs happen, and
skill, effort, and persistence are
rewarded
(ex: deep sea exploration)



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