



Aalto University  
Design Factory

**To get started with projects**

**...almost**



Learning to know each other

How do I react in situations...

What motivates me...

How do I organize myself...

I'm afraid of ...

When I'm facing conflict...

- I'm not sure if this is the right team...
- My manager is an idiot...
- How will it go with the remote students...
- We have no XYZ skills...
- We failed to get no 1 project...
- The project turns to smth different...



# Trends in Arranged and Love Marriages

(% of total)



Scores on Rubin's Love Scale  
(9-item version; possible range 9 to 81)

--- Love Marriages  
— Arranged Marriages

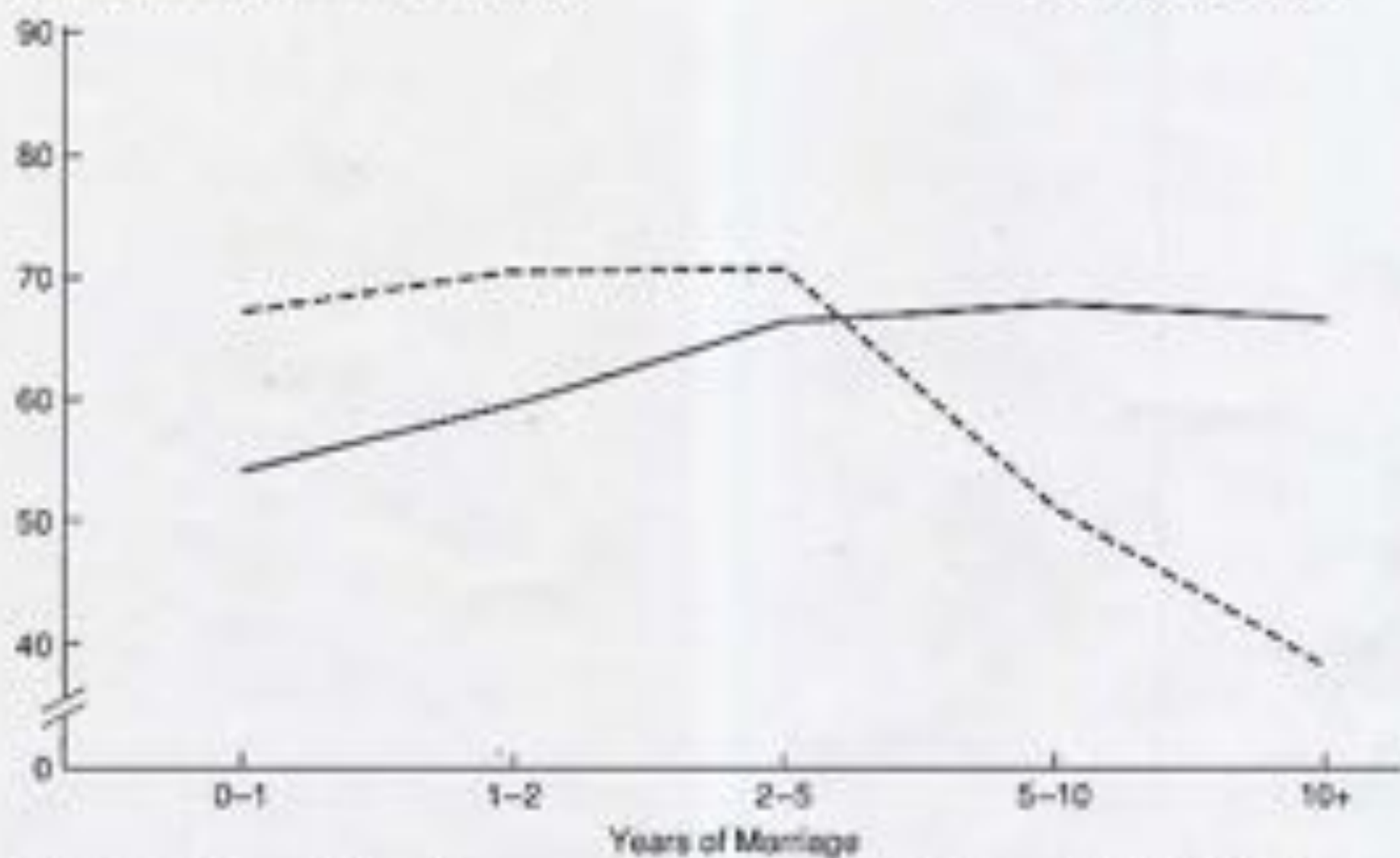
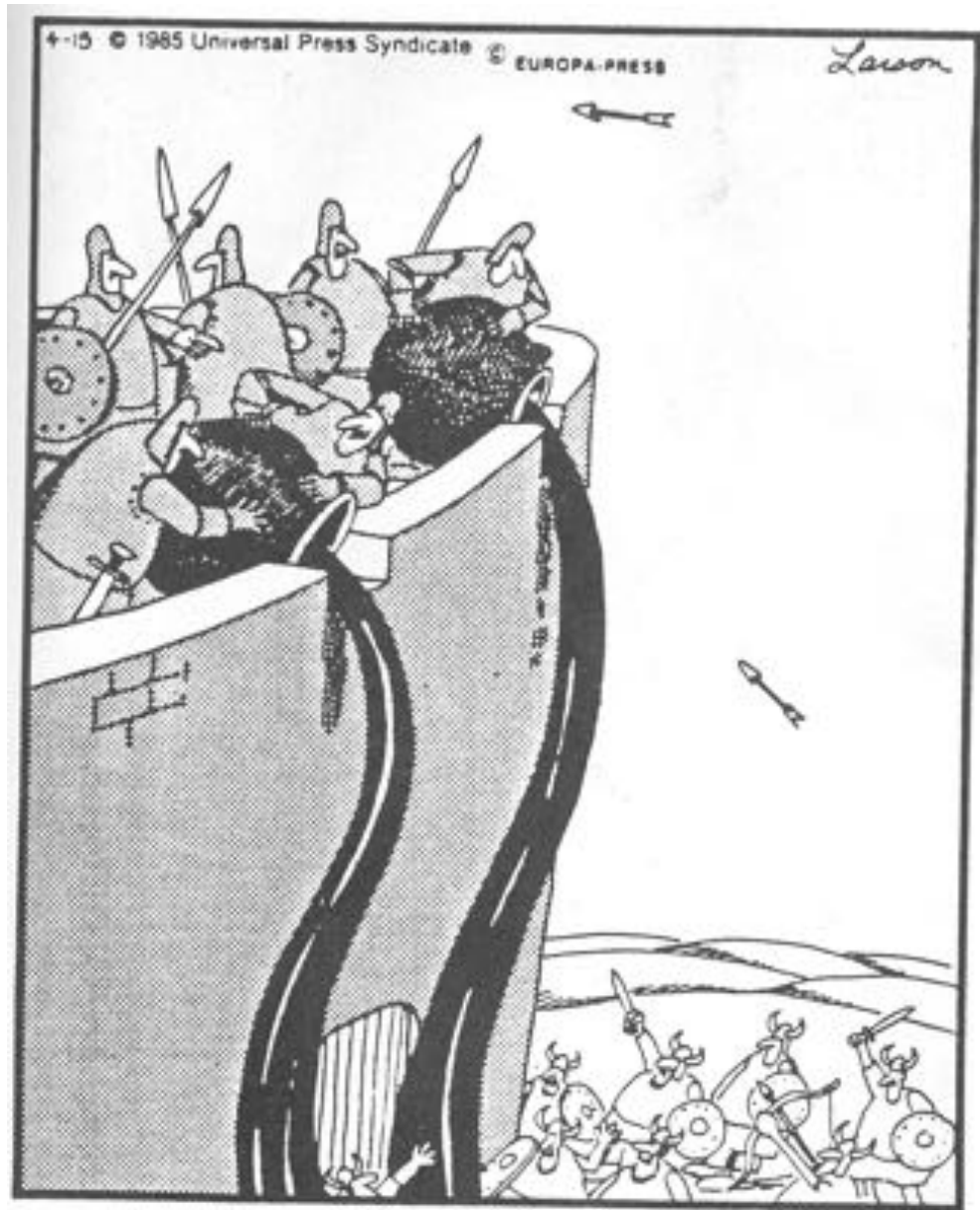


FIGURE 8.3. Romantic love decreases after people marry for love. A study in India compared arranged marriages to those in which the spouses married because they were in











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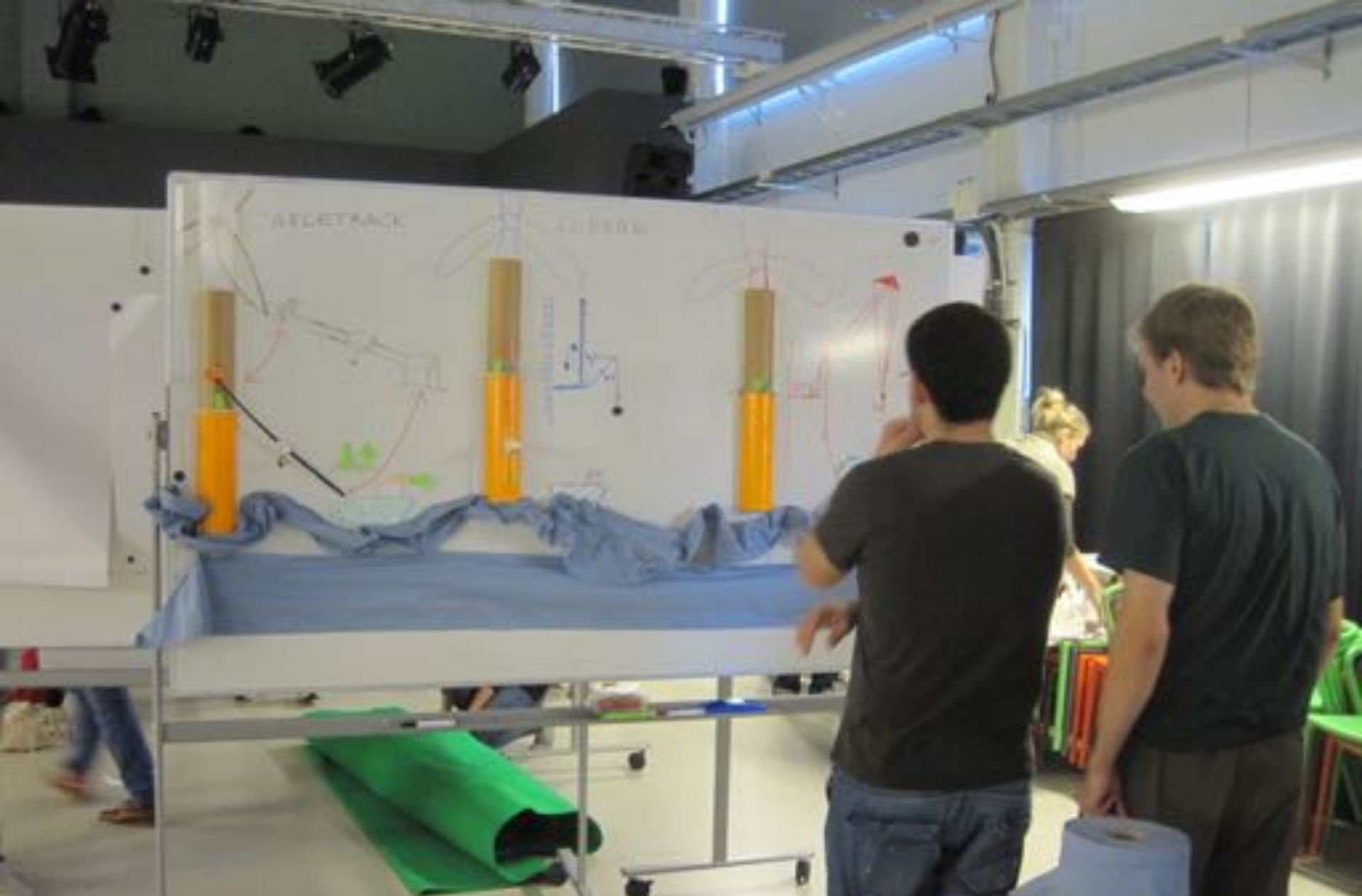
"Using cutting edge design, technology and engineering to deliver innovation to social and commercial modular temporary accommodation for Kapseli OY."



**OUR STRENGTHS**  
Raisio, materials strength, product design, visual communication design, chemical engineering, mechanical engineering, user centered design, ergonomics and international business.

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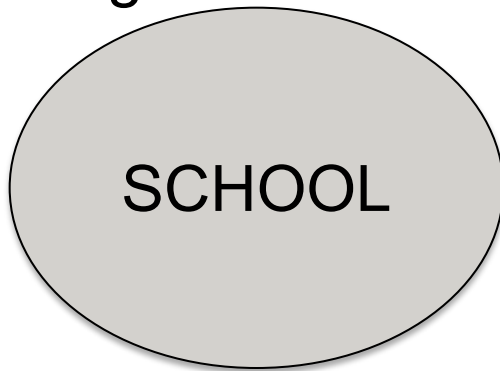




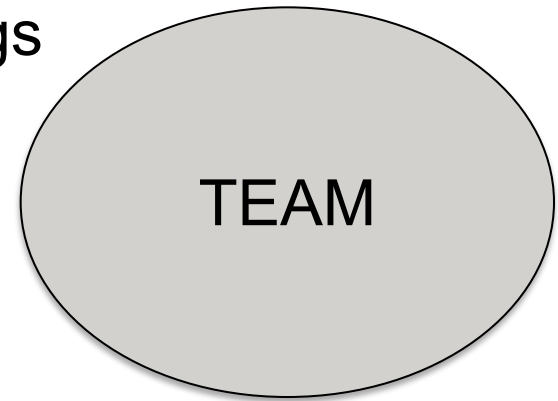
# Decision making



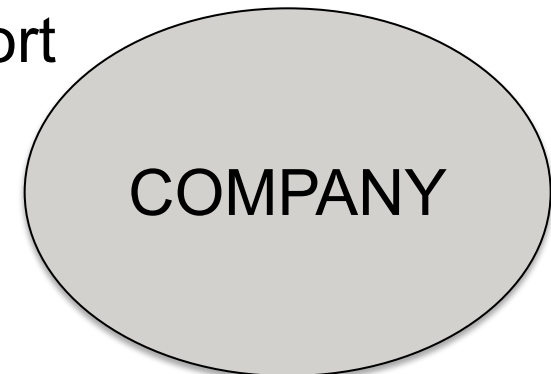
Learning  
Legislation  
Safety  
Accounting  
Rules



Sharing  
Workload  
Meetings  
Skills  
Roles  
Protos  
Testing  
Remotes



Control  
Deliverables  
Guidance  
Support  
IPR  
NDA



# How to prepare for Match Making

-why?

-who are they?

-your interpretation?

-testing your first thoughts?

-any real and serious deal brakers?

end



**KEEP  
CALM**

**&**

**FOLLOW  
THE RULES**

Being late

Email, sms, call

Rotation

Files and storages

Documentation

Backups

Supporting activities

Talk to strangers

Safety comes first

Fail fast succeed sooner

## **GOOD PROJECT**

**+share your expectations, ensure common goals**

**+focus on good communication**

**+listening, speaking, asking, understanding**

**+roles of mistakes, and chance**

**+help each others, do your share, “talkoo”**

**+maintain project plan - frog/helicopter perspective**

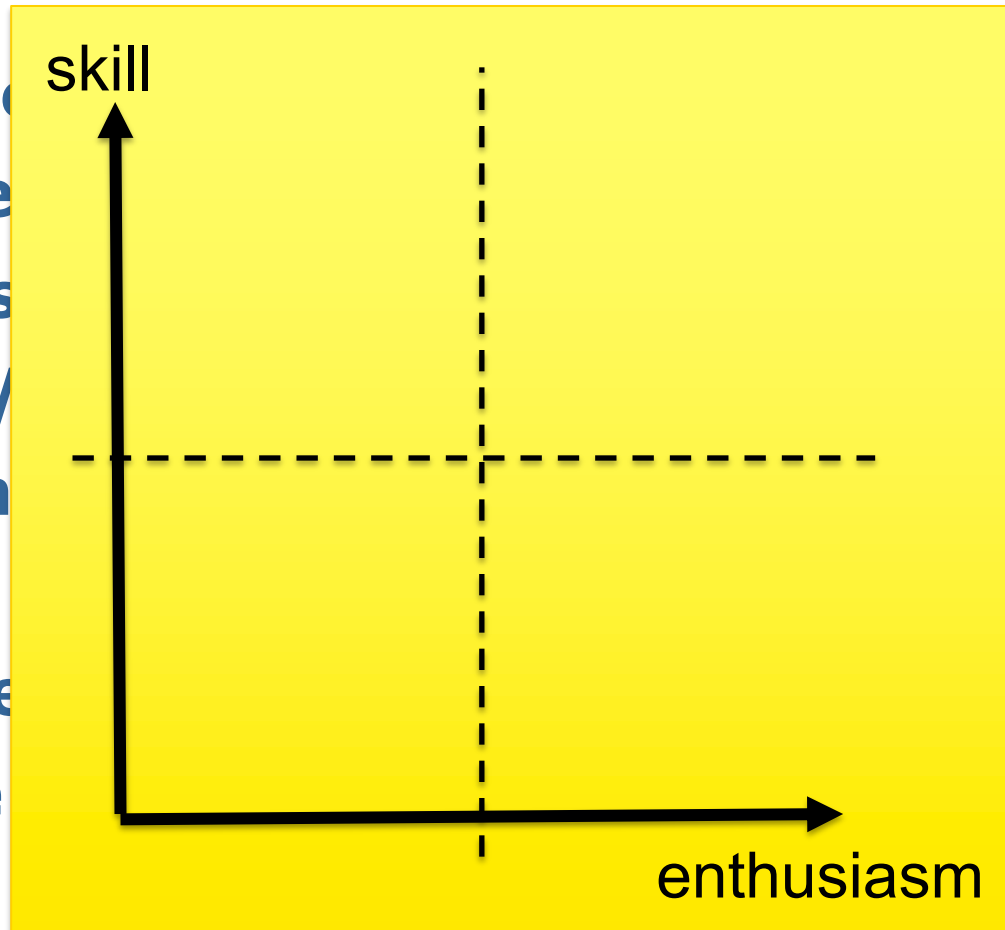
**+maintain control over critical path**

**+identify and actively manage project risks**



# STUDENT PROJECT

- Difference
- Part-time
- Enthusias
- Sponsor /
- Opportun
- Have fun
- This proje
- Make the



bonus ?  
k, hobbies

8 months

Make your self easy to find

Make yourself easy to help

Do your homework

We are all human

Start with what you can give

Look for the win win

Be concistent

Build your project brand (=promise,  
no conflict with your ethics)

Luck happens (must buy tickets anyway!)

When all fails, just laugh!

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# First meeting with company

- schedules in general
- communication
  - frequency
  - quality
  - process
- contracts (NDA)
- project plan
  - objectives
  - WBS
  - actions
  - budget
  - Gantt
  - risk mgmt
  - org. chart
  - spirit

# Project plan

1. Background
2. Project objectives, expected deliverables
3. Methods
4. Organization
5. Work breakdown structure
6. Schedule
7. Budget
8. Communication plan
9. Meetings , checks and decision making
10. Risk analysis
11. Plan for reporting and transfer of results
12. Tracking experiences, lessons learned and feedback