### ==== Women of Enron (Amy, Christina, Cristina) =====

https://pad.xpub.nl/p/women of elron

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# 1. Guided meditation to get the ball rolling

#### [GROUND]

Close your eyes and allow yourself to rest comfortably into your breathing.

Feel yourself within your body, relaxing fully

take a deep breath and relax into the exhale

procedures mean jack all

Feel the support beneath you, as you sit comfortably, as you disconnect from the environment around you.

Allow your body to release the emotions it no longer needs to hold on to

Let them go.

flowing out and away

Let your body take 'the opportunities that are presented to you all the time'

feel no remorse

continue to breath

continue 'building more assets'

Breath down to where the weight of the body rests.

Below the base of your spine.

To your roots.

The energy ball of belonging.

visualize your energy ball in color blue

Imagine your ball is in their court providing details,

so you can take something to structure and seize the opportunity

Breath in to your root.

Let it soften and gently expand on your breath.

Get the ball rolling

You are empowering and creative

The lawsuit does not define you

Take nourishment and lifeforce for energy

Allow your roots to connect down.

Down to the ground below, deep into the earth.

And envision a light of glowing red energy, surrounding the base of your spine.

Take all the excess energy you have and channel it into the ball

Release the ball into another court

**Empowering** 

**Embodying** 

Grounding you in the here and now.

Pick up the ball like you pick up the slack

(Pause)

# [BELLY]

Begin to sense the space around you

Breath in the space and become aware of the rise and fall of your breath.

Let your body take what it needs

Move your awareness towards the centre of your body

Shape a new energy ball

breath in and gently channel your gut feeling onto the ball

get the ball rolling on these benefits,

change your status from terminated to active

Stop playing hard ball and start playing soft ball

Soften the edges of your belly

Open yourself up to the thrill of dropping the ball at the conference

(Pause)

### [HEAD]

Allow your awareness to move up. towards your head

In the place where risk-taking decisions are being made

You have got to stand up for yourself,

and you have got to ask questions.

If you don't stand for something, you will fall for anything."

feel yourself.

breath in this area

let it gently soften and expand on your breath

balancing

empowering and motivating

Moving your awareness towards

your ball of self developement and power over others.

gently breath in your power

Now feel the whole body.

As if you were your own skin

Feeling the outline of the body

You may feel some surplus energy radiating out.

With focus and energy, move that energy into some more assets.

Feel the rush and thrill in every single particle of your body

You have to know how to make your success

And before you end this meditation

Hold yourself for a few moments

With risk and aggressiveness

for the accomplished and unique being that you are

End of meditation

# 2. Rush Script

#### 3. Women of Enron

# - Corporate Cassandra https://www.fastcompany.com/47208/women-enron-corporate-cassandra:

"It was based on fear, that if we did bad things, we'd get caught and  $\dots$  burn in hell!"

"But I'll tell you, it made us think about things with the end in mind. The problem with Enron was that no one was afraid of getting punished, even if they ever got caught."

- "I was compensated on the profits. I had to know how we made our money,"
- "I went to my interior decorator,"
- "No one has offered me a book contract, and I haven't asked for one,"
- "What can I say? I'm 43. I wanted the \$800 of free botox."
- "I did the right thing about Enron, and I got punished for it,"
- "I wasn't very politically attuned before. I'm getting better, slowly."
- "I don't know, maybe it's like they told us in Catholic school: People would rather beg for forgiveness than ask for permission first."

# - The Best Revenge https://www.fastcompany.com/47148/women-enron-best-revenge:

"Isn't it kinda funny, that Ken Lay is sitting at home and people are coming up to me and saying, 'We gotta get you to Davos next year'?"

"Oh shit! Pardon my French."

"I'm not going to be in demand on the lecture circuit all the time, [This is] a public platform that hopefully I can use for good."

"Corporate governance on paper means jack all, procedures mean jack all. It's more about the relationship between the board and upper management."

"[Enron] was a totally dysfunctional board, but on paper it looked good. This is routine maintenance to make sure that you never turn into an Enron or a WorldCom."

"If someone can come up with a better term, fine, it's not what I'd call myself. When a company cooks the books, its best bet is to come clean itself. Rat-finking outside isn't going to correct the problem."

"I was going to make him have to say hi or do something, so I walked up and just said, 'Hi, Andy, this is my daughter, Marion. I don't think you've met her.' He looked like a stricken person, like he needed to get out of there soon."

#### - A Separate Peace https://www.fastcompany.com/47280/women-enron-separate-peace:

- "I sometimes wonder if i am still related to that person"
- "Can you go back and watch the movie so Mommy can talk on the phone for a minute? Please remember to go potty!"
- "250 of our closest friends."
- "I'm out here building more assets,"
- "a witch hunt of major proportions."

"It's not fair. It's not right,"

"It's just a convenient way to show that [regulators] are doing something to clean up the system."

"There is no point in looking back,"

When things are not working right and they don't feel right, they probably aren't right. But we all live our lives based on the opportunities that are presented to us at the time."

"I don't feel remorse,"

"I get angry when I think about the ruined lives of so many employees. I do feel sadness and a sense of responsibility for the shareholders, but equity is called 'equity' for a reason."

"There are many times that I remember in my life at Enron when I should have taken more time out for my children,"

"Looking back, I don't know if that sacrifice was warranted."

"It's what we as adults miss out on. Children compensate for what they don't get in other ways. We as parents never recover [from] the loss of the joy and the richness of taking them to school in the morning, or listening to their travails of the day at night."

"I don't see myself ever getting back into business on that level again,"

"I'm good and tired."

"Just say that I'm sitting out here watching the elk migrate across the mesa and raising my cattle."

"Black Angus, of course."

#### - A New Calling https://www.fastcompany.com/47088/women-enron-new-calling:

"It was a very fulfilling year, it really changed my life around."

"I became an activist so that I could speak for people who cannot speak for themselves,"

"You have got to stand up for yourself, and you have got to ask questions. If you don't stand for something, you will fall for anything."

"How we got raped by Enron."

"It's not bad. When I was working at Enron, we were comfortable. Now I am happier."

#### 4. Two jokes from the Enron emails

### JOKE 1

A woman and a man are involved in a car accident; it's a bad one. Both of their cars are totally demolished but amazingly neither of them are hurt.

After they crawl out of their cars, the woman says,

"So you're a man; that's interesting. I'm a woman.

Wow, just look at our cars! There's nothing left, but fortunately we are unhurt.

This must be a sign from God that we should meet and be friends and live together in peace for the rest of our days."

Flattered, the man replied, "Oh yes, I agree with you completely! This must be a sign from God!"

The woman continued, "And look at this, here's another miracle. My car is completely demolished but this bottle of wine didn't break. Surely God wants us to drink this wine and celebrate our good fortune."

Then she hands the bottle to the man. The man nods his head in agreement, opens it and drinks half the bottle and then hands it back to the woman.

The woman takes the bottle, immediately puts the cap back on, and hands it back to the man.

The man asks, "Aren't you having any?" The woman replies, "No. I think I'll just wait for the police..."

Moral of the story:

Women are clever bitches. Don't mess with them.

# JOKE 2

# The Top 13 Answers from the Magic 8-Ball

Jokes from Enron corpus

13> Al Gore: "Can I trust an 8-Ball to answer all my questions?"

8-Ball: "Hell, yes -- you invented me!"

12> Guilt-ridden, Jewish son of the 8-Ball: "I'm going to play some Snooker with the fellahs, okay, Ma?"

8-Ball: "Answer hazy -- I'm probably not having a stroke, though. Enjoy yourself. I'll be fine in the dark by myself."

11> Pete Rose: "Will I ever be admitted to the Baseball Hall of Fame?"

8-Ball: "Don't bet on it. BWA-HA-HA-HA!!"

10> Warren Christopher and James Baker: "Where will we be going next?" 8-Ball: "Madame Tussaud's, for a touch-up."

9> Chris White: "Will this list suck?"

8-Ball: "Umm... is that a new shirt? It looks great on you!"

8> Adam Sandler: "Will I ever be taken seriously as an actor?" 8-Ball: "Gimme a break. Go play with your money, dumbass."

7> Al Gore: "What is Florida orange juice made from and what should I do in 2004?" 8-Ball: "Concentrate and try again."

6> Santa Claus: "This year, will I get cookies or nookie?" 8-Ball: "Have another Chips Ahoy, Tubby."

5> Robert Downey, Jr.: "Does prison sex involve more cuddling than it did three months ago?" 8-Ball: "My sources say, 'Bend over, pretty boy."

4> Jack Nicholson: "Will Lara Flynn Boyle and I ever get back together?" 8-Ball: "YOU CAN'T HANDLE THE TRUTH!!!"

3> Kid Rock: "How many minutes of fame do I have left?" 8-Ball: "Let me get you Vanilla Ice's phone number."

2> Britney Spears: "Am I pregnant?" 8-Ball: "Probably, you little slut."

1> Palm Beach County voter: "Can you make Al Gore the next president?" 8-Ball: "Yes! Mr. Buchanan will be the next president."

# ===== PaganData (Artemis, Aggeliki, Chris) =====

# Responses via mailing list to an open call for the creation of a feminist hacker initiative

# · radio warm-up

Pauline Oliveros(waking up the face)+ rubbing the body and shaking radio warm-up:Try repeating, "Mm-mmm. Mmm-hmm."

Try repeating, "Nay, nay, nay" ten times.

Try making a siren sound using vowels up and down your vocal range

Try repeating, "Betty Botter bought a bit of butter" (x6 times)

Hold your tongue behind your top teeth. Breath out, vibrating your tongue in the sound of an "r." Maintain the sound. (low and high pitch)

# https://www.wikihow.com/Develop-a-%22Radio-Voice%22

- angry voices (circa ten sentences)
- cross talking-annotation (with the same sentences)
- concepts as characters (language, argument, server)

#### Pool of sentences (Translated):

Please stop abusing/vandalising the Greek language so brutally! (If anything, she is a woman too.)

There is no such thing as a feminist server.

If you don't speak Greek that well, contact a philologist to edit your texts. It's not a shame. It's a shame for you to be humiliated by this.

Really, what does "our feminist server" mean? If you say "our male server" will it belittle your feminism?

Translating a foreign language term and adopting/using it in Greek is a subject we cannot blame people about.

Interesting initiative, the hosting of the feminist server.

How does the manifesto-ideology of / etc / feminist\_server fits with the space, as the latter follows total inclusion and "be excellent to each other", while the former is based on exclusion and in particular, against anything that has a penis (pay attention to the language they use, and their "hidden" hatred for patriarchy), it touches neo-fascism.

The men, straight and Allies, can they login?

You are the last in initiatives, but the first in opinions.

Dear, are you done?

you knew very well what you were doing, preparing for the answer and now that things have calmed down, you get the apologetic style

If you use "wooden" language, like that of the feminist movement, don't expect people welcome you with roses.

Provoking is not a way of approach, it is a way of repelling.

Tell me really, from a feminist perspective, how do you order coffee?

How do you call a man or a woman in your family?

How do you call a man or a woman civilian?

How do you call a man or a woman secretary/doctor etc?

The server is the he-server, whether you like it or not.

The server in the Greek common language, <u>διακομιστής</u> or in ancient Greek <u>διακομίζω, that means: διά + κομίζω</u> It is a noun, Male

In recent years we have been reading more and more frequently, official texts and press releases written in increasingly bad Greek language.

But sometime this should stop! "the emperor has no clothes"

I got the courage to make my critique using my university email and not some disposable, as a "hare" or a "troll" would do.

maybe that's the reason for the behaviours of the black riders of the keyboards

Really, did you read the manifest they sent?

- \* Is a situated technology. She has a sense of context and considers herself to be part of an ecology of practices (Yes, So?)
- \* Is run for and by a community that cares enough for her in order to make her exist (yes but one has to pay for the power, existence is not an end in itself)
- \* Builds on the materiality of software, hardware and the bodies gathered around it (Software is immaterial....)
- \* Opens herself to expose processes, tools, sources, habits, patterns (Yes, So?)
- \* Does not strive for seamlessness. Talk of transparency too often signals that something is being made invisible (WTF?)
- \* Avoids efficiency, ease-of-use, scalability and immediacy because they can be traps (So wants to exhaust us, because amstel;)
- \* Knows that networking is actually an awkward, promiscuous and parasitic practice (7 Layers of OSI destruction...)
- \* Is autonomous in the sense that she decides for her own dependencies (So a lot of AI and hueristics;)
- \* Radically questions the conditions for serving and service; experiments with changing client-server relations where she can (The Al we were talking about...)
- \* Treats network technology as part of a social reality (OK)
- \* Wants networks to be mutable and read-write accessible (Whatever the admin gives, you want NFS, you want SAMBA, you want sftp)
- \* Does not confuse safety with security (do we have anything for assurance?;)
- \* Takes the risk of exposing her insecurity ("Guys i have these exploits...download me)
- \* Tries hard not to apologize when she is sometimes not available (So there will be no page "This site is under Construction";)

I'm sorry, but THESE are not serious things ...

Please remove me from the list. I don't want in a Sunday morning to read from white men that neo-feminist views are fascist .... and generally the whole light patriarchal fairy tale (since we care about you, darling, why do you blame us) .I'm really pissed. He felt threatened by the feminist server and he has stunned us for so many days . why do we have to endure all that?

My day was fine. From your response it seems that you did not have a good day and you were angry.

The above is for everyong, sex/gender agnostic...

Toxic reference? What do you disagree with? Is this a bit fascist? A little bit?

Tell the truth, you hide the fascist inside you, whoever disagrees with your own views wants to send him away, so that he doesn't trigger you ... it's not a shame, say it.

You've got it wrong, to disagree with the fascist methods of neofeminism does not mean that they are a phallocrat, don't forget that we all have mothers, sisters, nieces and daughters. Here they put in a sack those who have a phallus, stick them a label "Here you spit hatred, it's all mens fault" and everything is fine.

Please elaborate, mesh networked server and then, and then?

I read the texts from the hyperlinks and to be honest I was scared, they don't seem to show any love to anyone who has a phallus. We must have guilt, whether we really care, love and support the other gender.

If you are not used such reactions, don't worry. There is always a first time for everything.

And for your information, the reaction was not about what you want to do, but how you demand it and the way you demand it (as feminists).

When you visit the space, come inside, and while you look at the ceiling you will see the project, ask who set it up, who presented it, and who helped others to understand what it is. With my own expenses I bought the equipment, I dedicated time for the presentation and I offered it so the future cryptoparties can use. Also, I proposed an Inventory project and nobody answered, not even you. So the things you say about initiatives and opinions go straight to the garbage.

When a community publish an open call - that means it is addressed to a wider audience and they don't pay the least attention to their text, then yes, I believe that it is self-humiliation, because it shows sloppiness in their initiative. And I don't understnad why the critique to it can be disrespectful, unfair, unjustified or off-topic.

# **Angry voices:**

Dramatic reading of sentences. Pick one sentence at a time, read loud using different voice tone, emotions, speed, pitch

### Cross talking-annotation:

1. Angeliki- chris (commentator)

- 2. Amy- aggeliki (commentator)
- 3. Artemis- Amy (commentator)
- 4. Cristina- Artemis (comments)5. Christina-Cristina (comments)

(3 rounds)

Say stop after you finish commenting