

TID 2015 Award
Taiwan Interior Design

空間家具

The TID Award of Space furniture

更快樂咖啡

Happier Café

柏成設計有限公司 J.C. Architecture

主持設計師
Chief Designer

邱柏文 Johnny Chiu

王菱儀 Nora Wang

Maria Isabel Lima

協同設計師
Co-designer

林俐玟 Winnie Lin

攝影者
Photographer

查克利 Zachary C. Hone



HAPPIER
Furniture

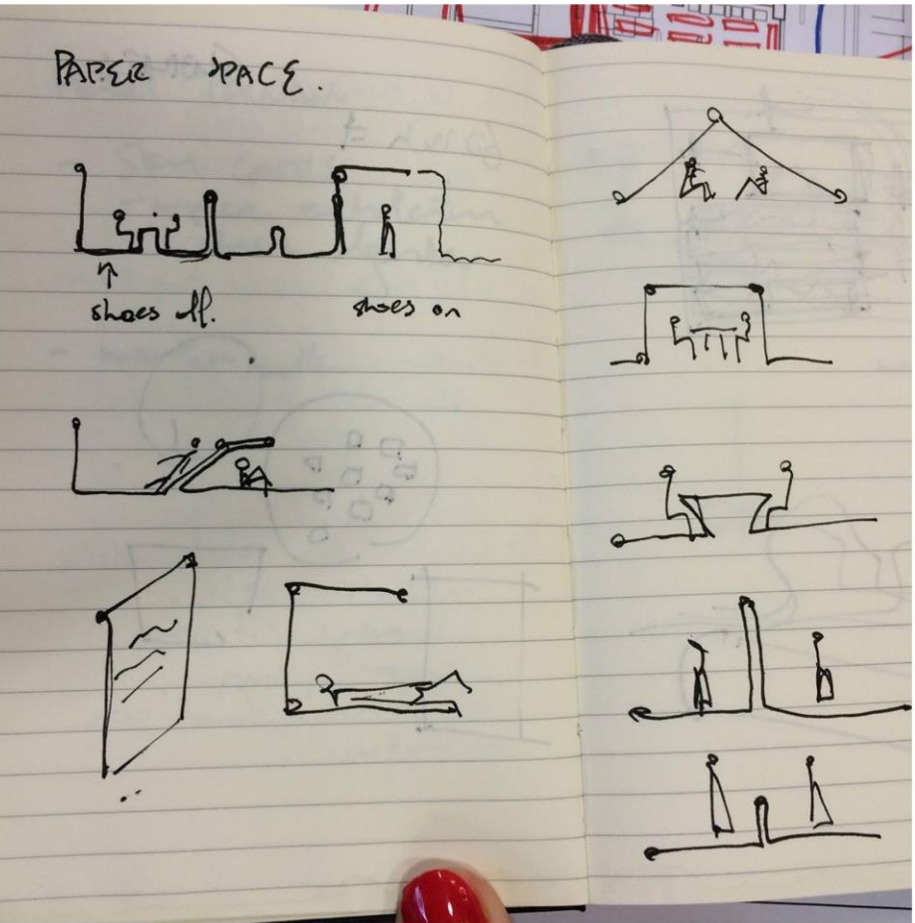
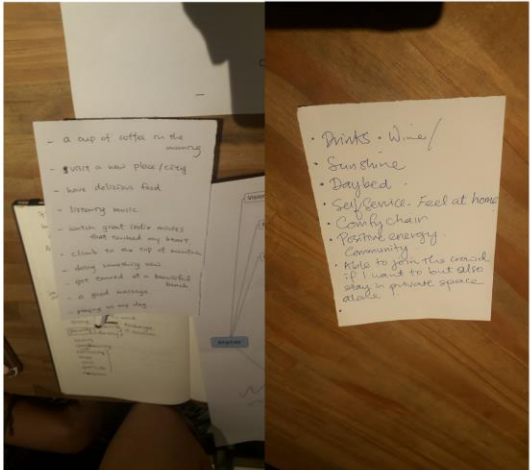
WHAT DOES IT MEAN TO BE HAPPY?
AND HOW DO YOU DESIGN A FURNITURE SYSTEM THAT
ALLOWS FOR ONE'S HAPPIER EXPRESSION?

We started with nothing, no clue, no idea, just a lot of questions, how does one design happy? Is it even possible? Our strategy : Instead of us answering the questions, we throw it to our clients, "what makes you happy?"

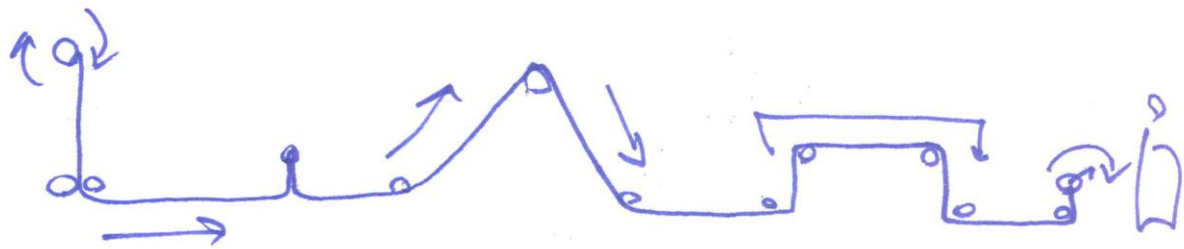


We hosted a workshop, and we asked our clients and our team to write down everything we can think of that makes us happy within a 5 min period. Our clients and us worked hard, in trying to figure out what makes them happy, in the hope to find some answers inside this happiness list.

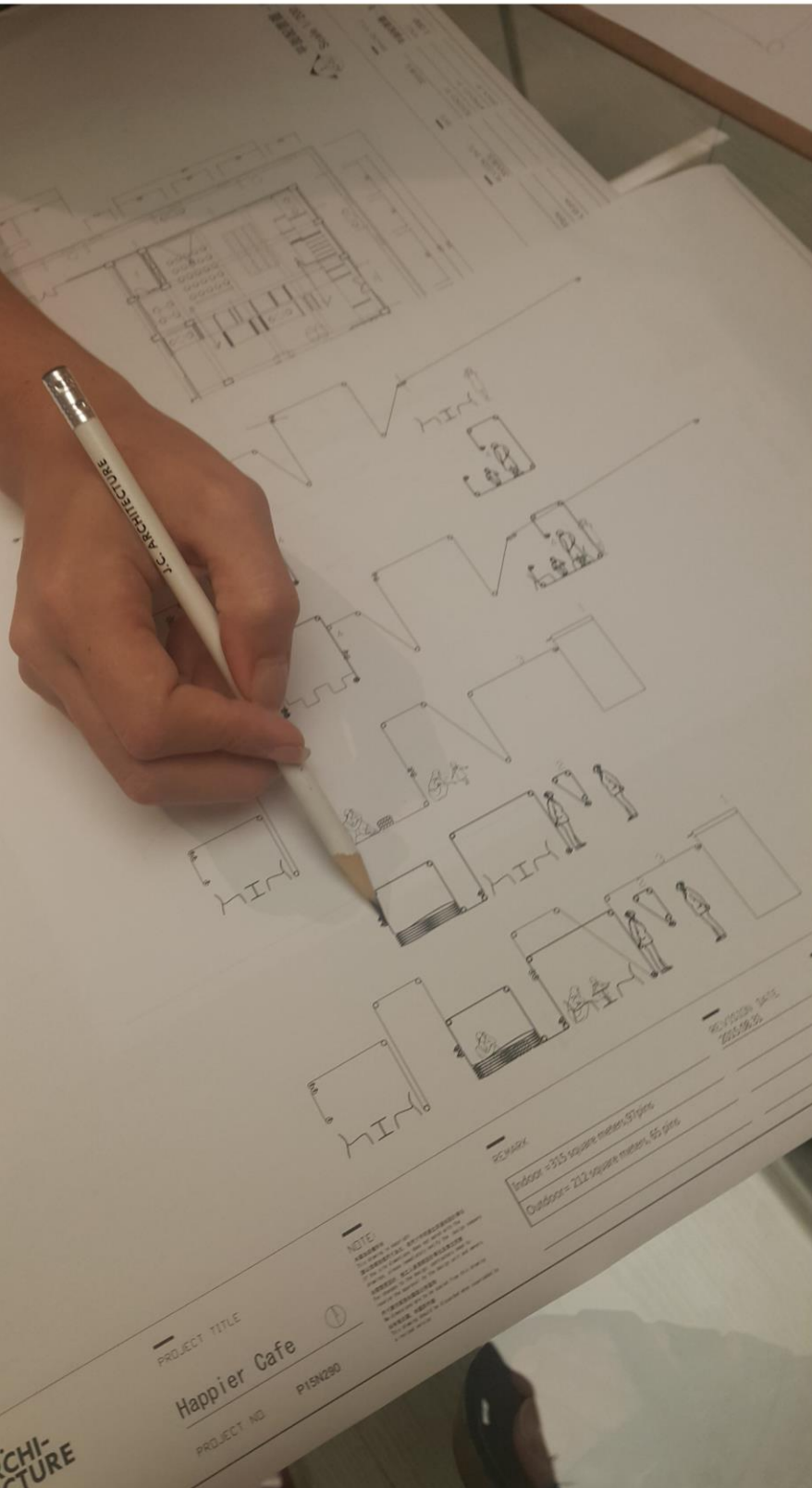
What we essentially did, was 'big data' that will enable us to turn it into spaces. We realize from the data, most of the answer can be related to systems. From here, we ask our self, out of all the possible answer, how ONE system can accompany all the HAPPINESS REQUESTS.



PARTICIPATION
- THE ACT OF
WRITING.



How is Happier Furniture associated with paper?



What is the ultimate answer? A paper furniture system. With a budget limitation of USD\$4,000, more than 400m2 of spaces to cover, and a rental agreement for 6 month, this was a perfect answer to cost save while creating a happiness aura.

Why? Paper is versatile, its can become all the shapes that one desire. We use this property and think about the division of spaces we can achieve, the definition of space, the furnitures, the beddings.

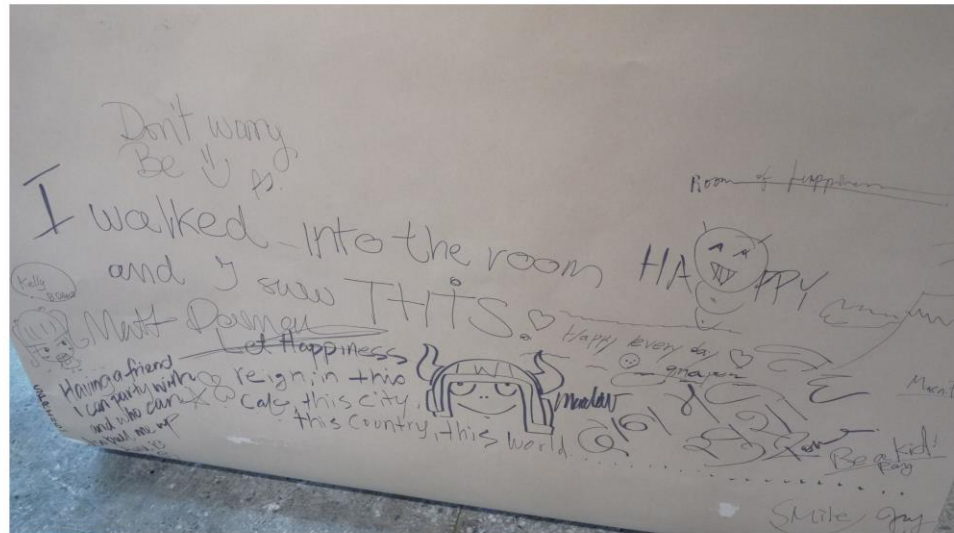


Sometimes being with yourself is the best way to happiness



I will be happier,
if i _____

HAPPIER
café



Paper is the best way to leave something behind, intentionally or non-intentionally, it shares one's memory here, after the 6 month period, it can be rolled up, and be collected as a physical memory to be exhibited elsewhere.

① Design one place that can roll like my suggested.

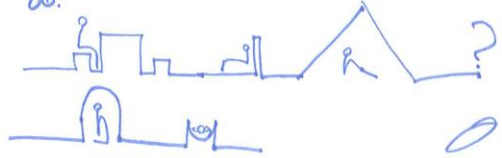


② tell me where

③ the paper I need to provide function's more like my sketch, + not the division of space.

can it be seating? table.
light?

push the idea of what paper can do.



Always leaving your happy memory behind



The Happier Furniture system can be used by individuals, or as a collective. By using one element : paper, people are connected either physically interacting with each other, or with other's beautiful memory left behind in-scripted.

With the message " I will be happier, if I _____ " It encourages people to think about Happiness, at the same time bringing a smile to people who are reading the message.

How would you like to be happier ?

