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## **Case Study 3: Healthcare Facilities** **Research response 2: Non-Visual**

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# Background

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2013\_ Ph.D. Aalborg university, Department of Civil Engineering

2006\_ Textile Designer, Kolding School of Design (DK)

1999\_ Primary School teacher, Silkeborg (DK)



# Lighting healthcare facilities





2004\_ Hillary Dalke\_ Lighting and Color for Hospital Design

2004\_ Ulrich, Roger: Evidence Based Design

2006 Jain Malkin – Visual reference to evidence based design (US)

2009\_ Anne Katrine Frandsen – Helende arkitektur (DK)

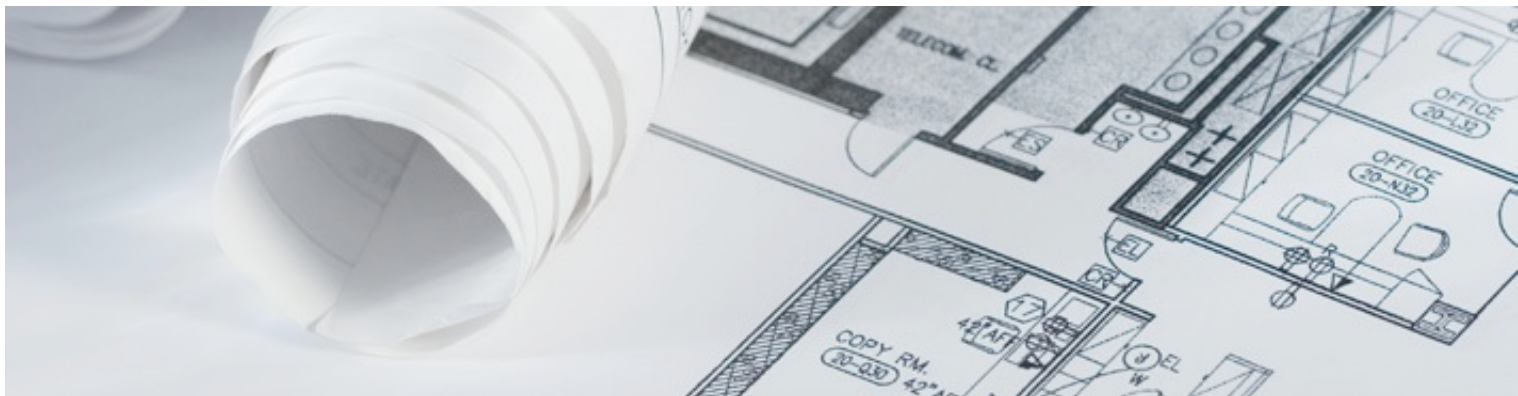


	
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<p>CONTACT US</p> 	<p>Patient Room</p>
<p>Acute Care Ambulatory Care Medical and Dental Office Design Long-term Care and Senior Living Medical Education and Physician Amenities</p>	<p><b>Project:</b> Indu &amp; Raj Soin Medical Center <b>Location:</b> Beavercreek, Ohio <b>Architect:</b> HOK</p> <p>In this hospital single-bed patient rooms employ evidence-based design with conveniently located large handwashing sinks, noise-reduction materials, ample space for families, bathroom located on the headwall (close to the bed to reduce falls), and expansive windows. The room is acuity-adaptable to reduce patient transport, and offers patients control of temperature and variable lighting options. The patient's view from the bed includes a care board, large TV monitor, plant shelf, artwork, and casework that conceals soiled linen and trash carts. A ceiling-mounted patient lift reduces staff injuries.</p> 

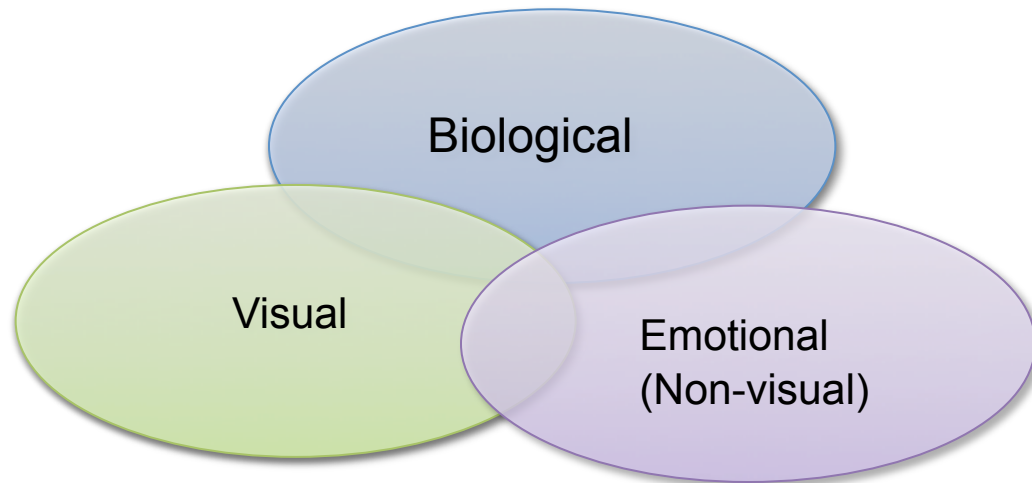




# The Danish situation



# HOSPITAL LIGHTING





# Quality of Light

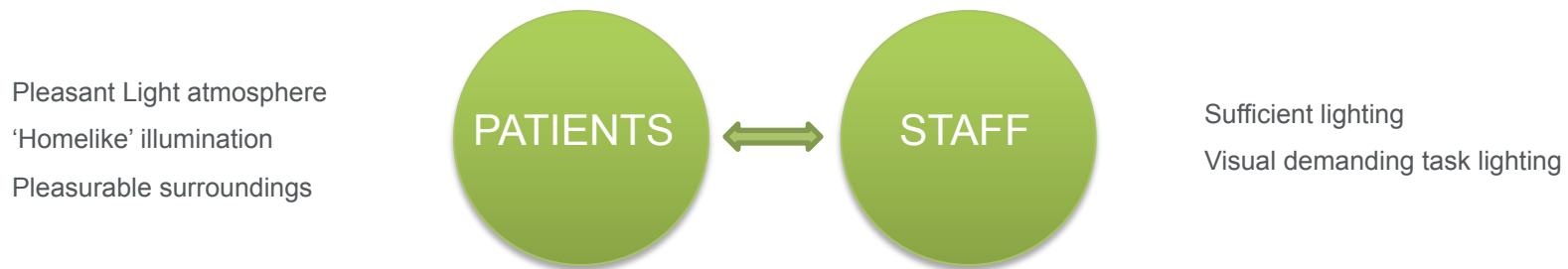
3. Light received by the eye
2. Light supporting human needs
1. Light level on horizontal plane



Cuttle C, 2010 'Towards the third step of lighting profession



# Regulation for Light in Danish Hospitals (DS703)



*Patients only have few visual tasks. They require pleasurable surroundings supported by the illumination. Staff however need sufficient lighting to perform work that is often highly visually demanding. The light color must be selected according to the patients' needs for a pleasant 'homelike' illumination, which in most cases is color temperatures no higher than 3000K and a fairly good color rendering of  $Ra > 80$*

?

‘Homelike and Pleasant’

=

‘Pleasant atmosphere’





*Atmosphere can not be seen – It must be experienced through other senses and an atmosphere occurs rarely through one sense alone, but in an interaction between several senses. Atmosphere affects people emotionally.*

*'Urban Atmosphere' Albertsen, N. 1999*



Atmosphere is not 'A stamp of approval' for a good taste or a correct architectural understanding. Atmosphere is momentary phenomenon available everywhere at all times.



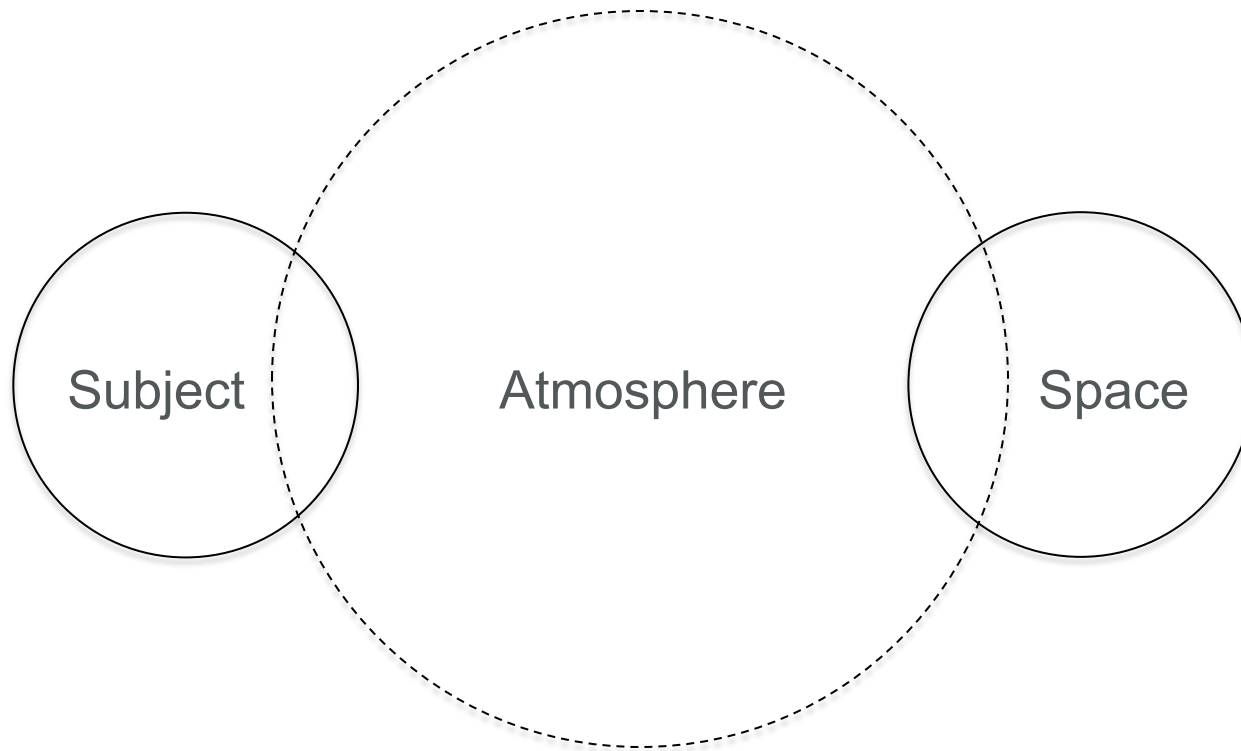
Feel Good  
MALTA  
Every Day!

THE  
SUBWAY  
CAFÉ

SO THICK,  
SO DELICIOUS  
WITH EXTRA  
VITAMINS



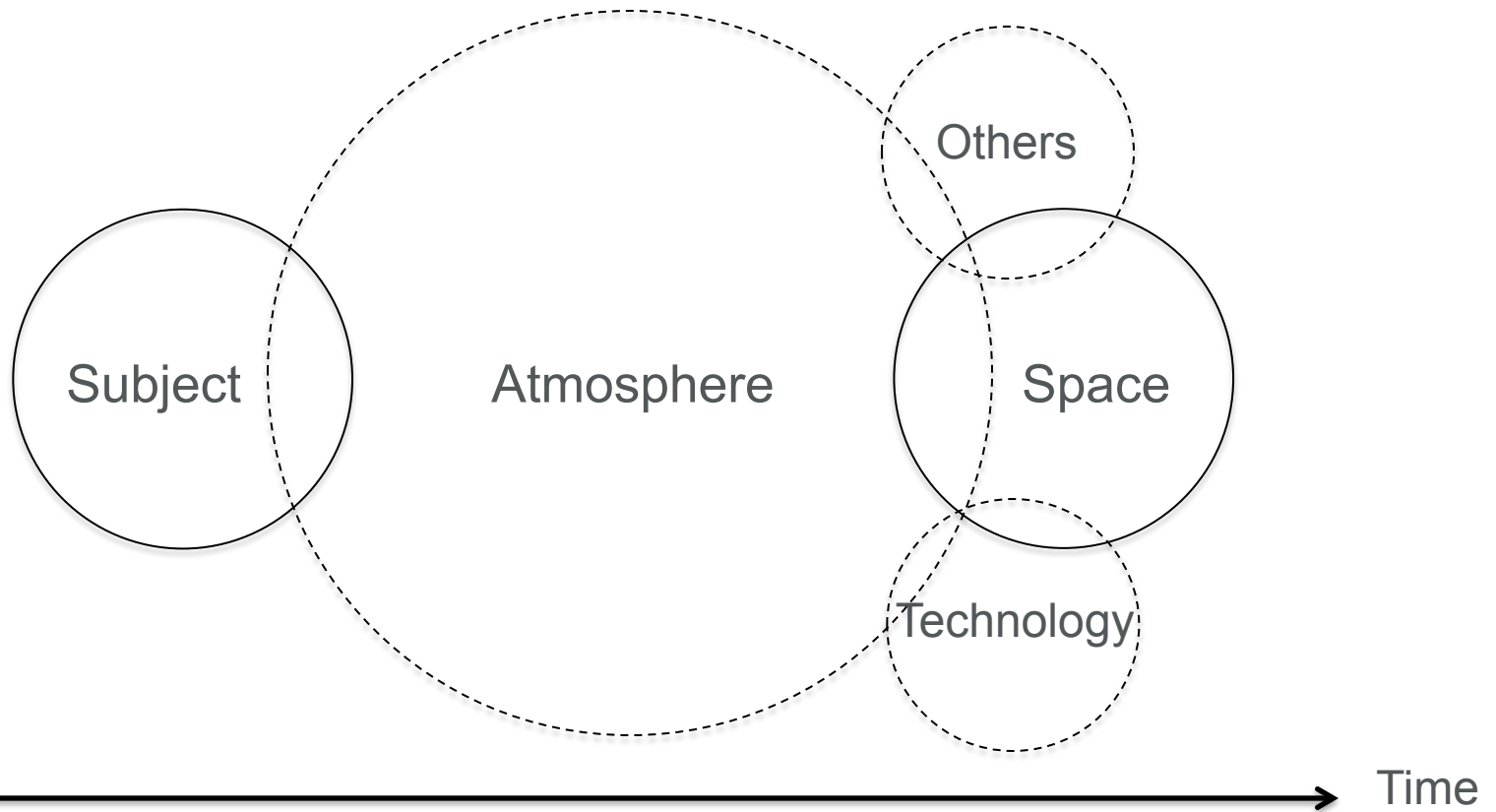
# EXPERIENCING ATMOSPHERE



'The Concept of Atmosphere', Böhme, Gernot 1993



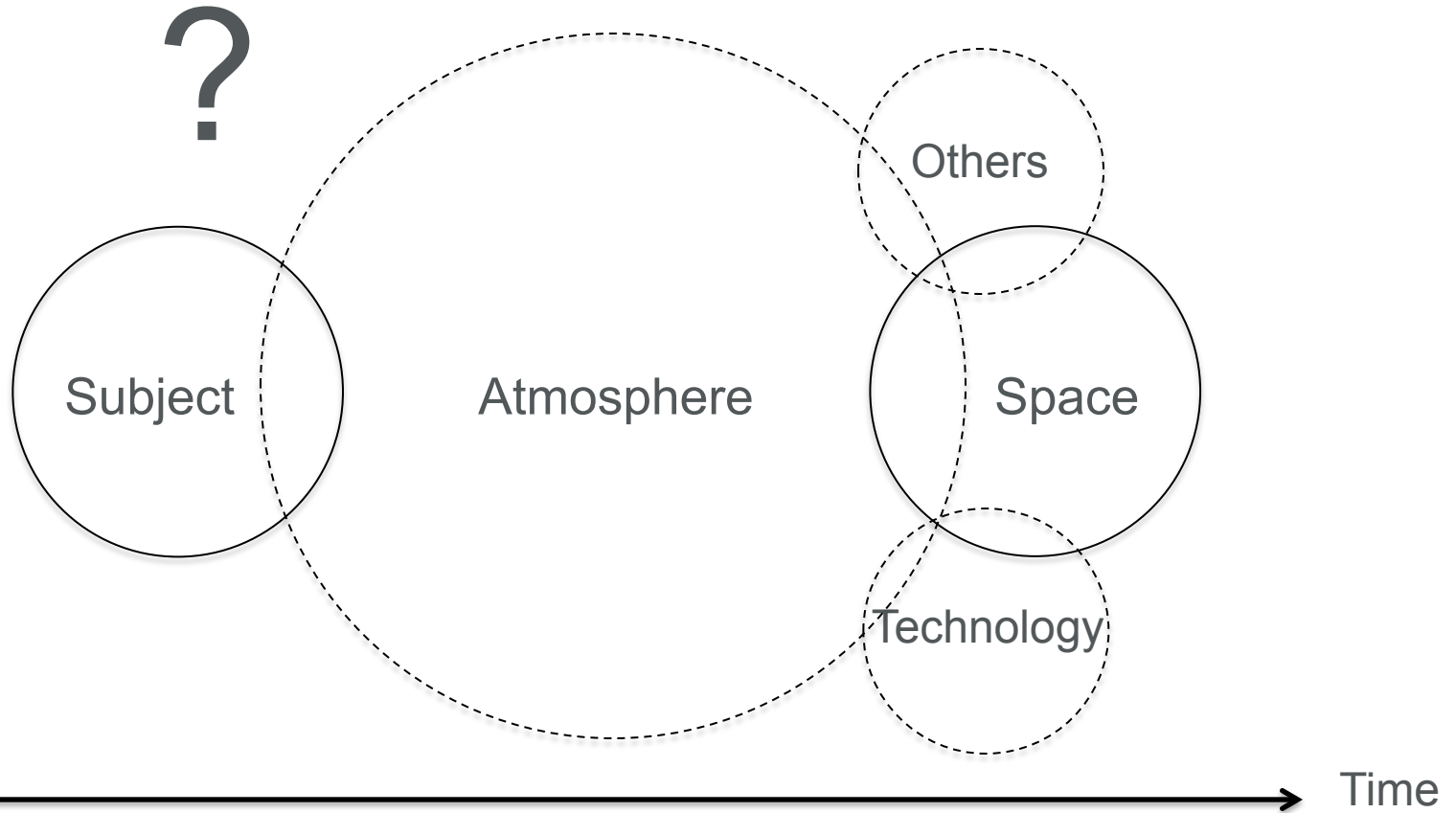
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Dalsgaard, Kortbak – Staged atmosphere into a design scene



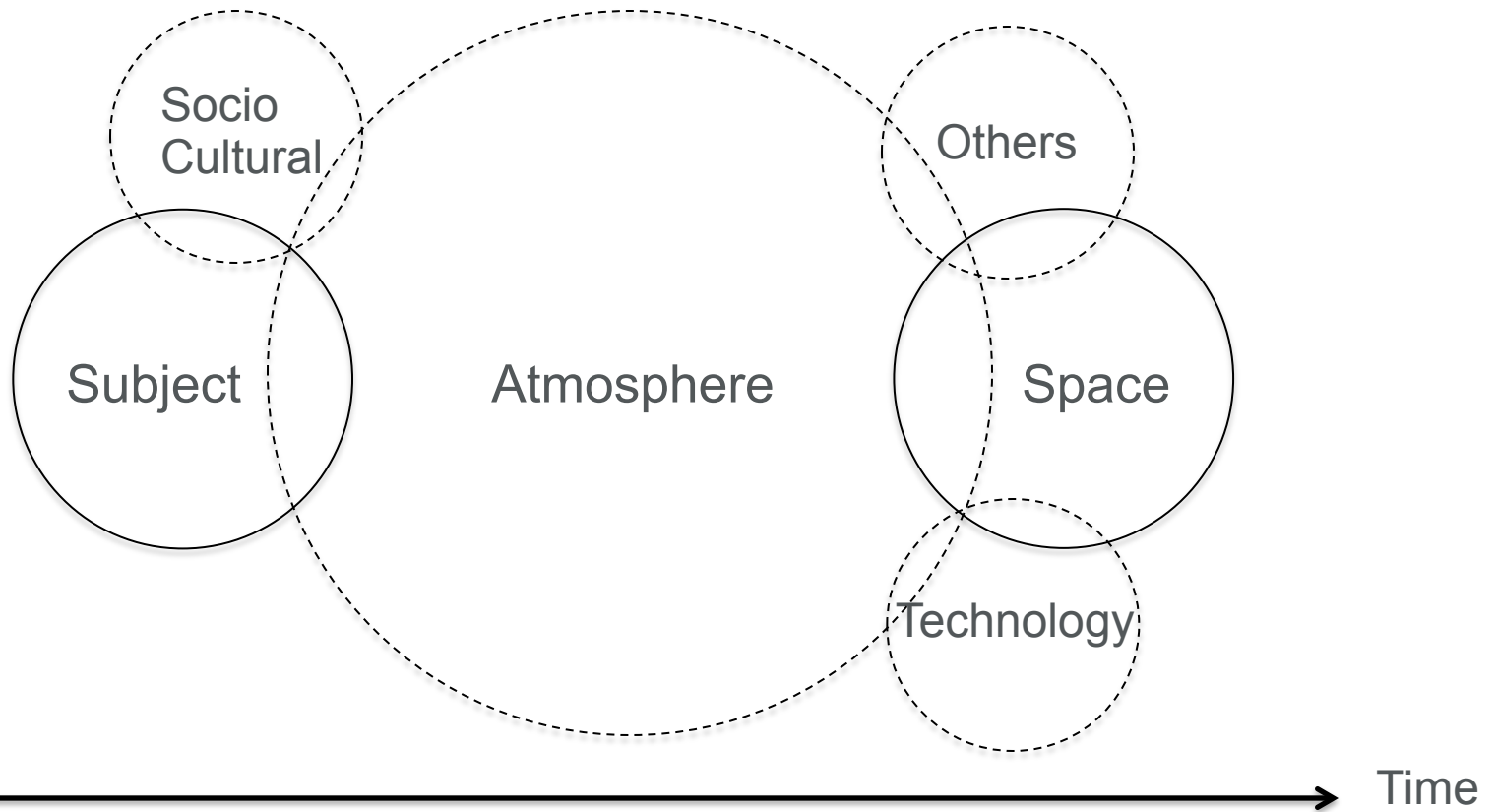
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Symbolic interactionism – Herbert Blumer

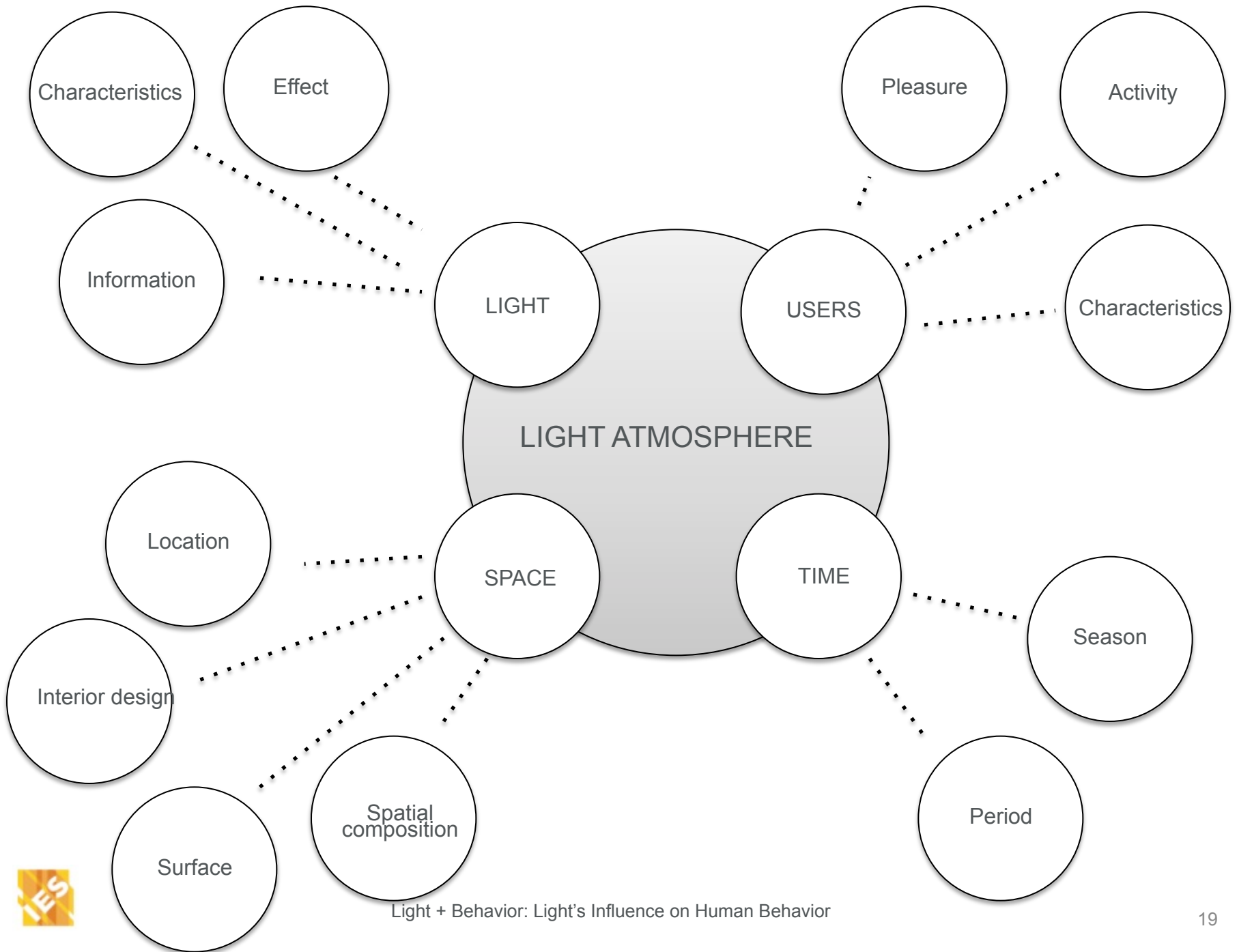


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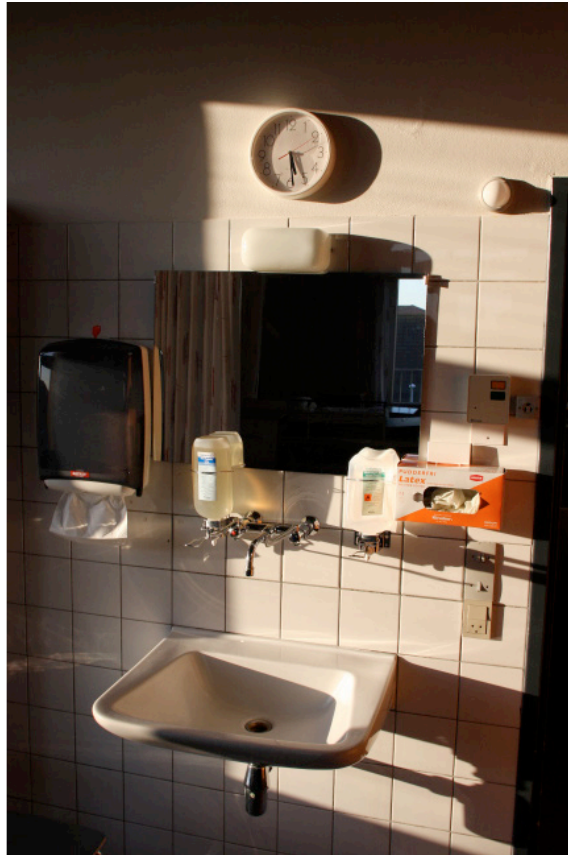


*Stidsen, Kirkegaard 2013*





# LIGHT CHARACTERISTICS



# LIGHT INFORMATION

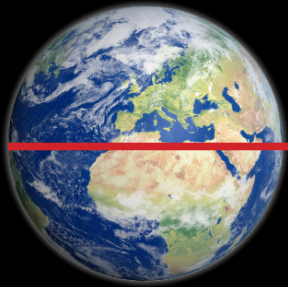


# LIGHT FUNCTION



'Human factors in lighting', Boyce PR. 2003

# SPACE LOCATION



Equator

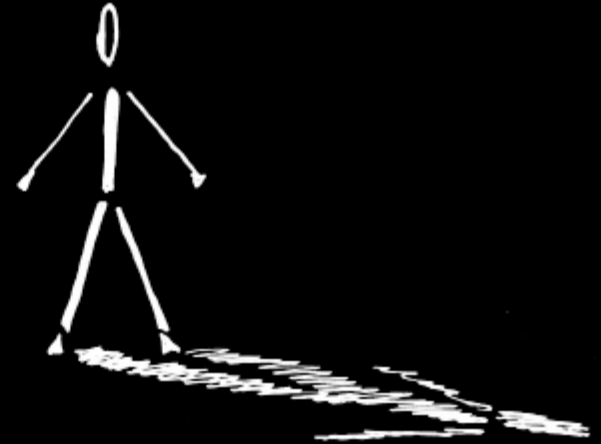




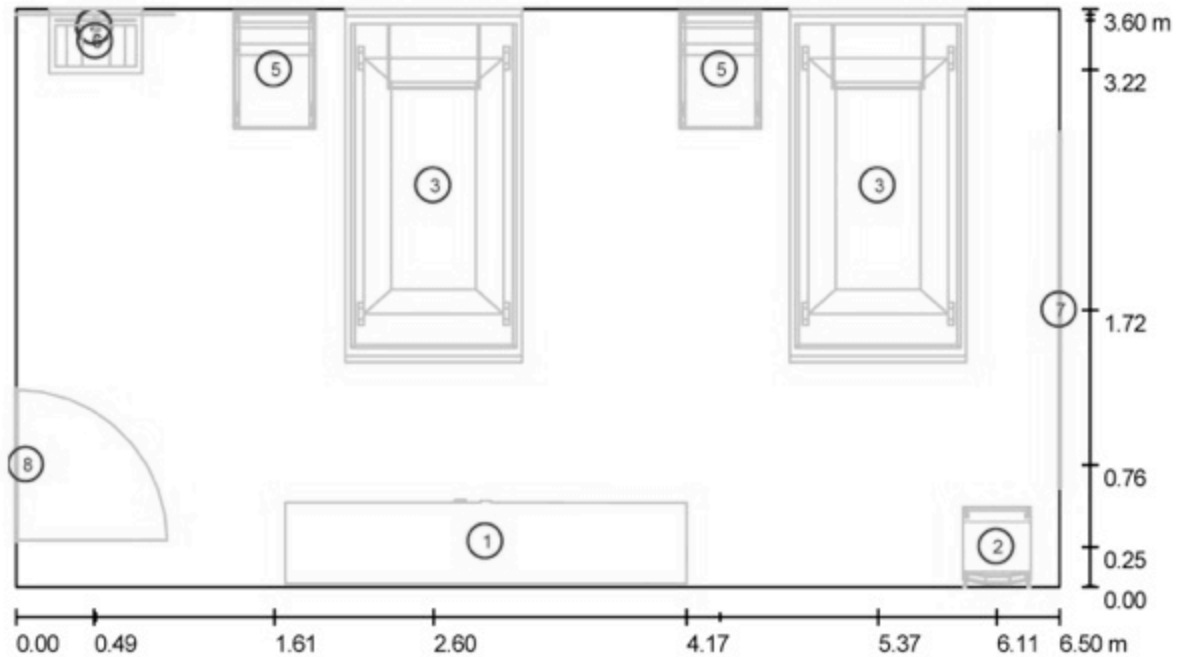
# SPACE LOCATION



North



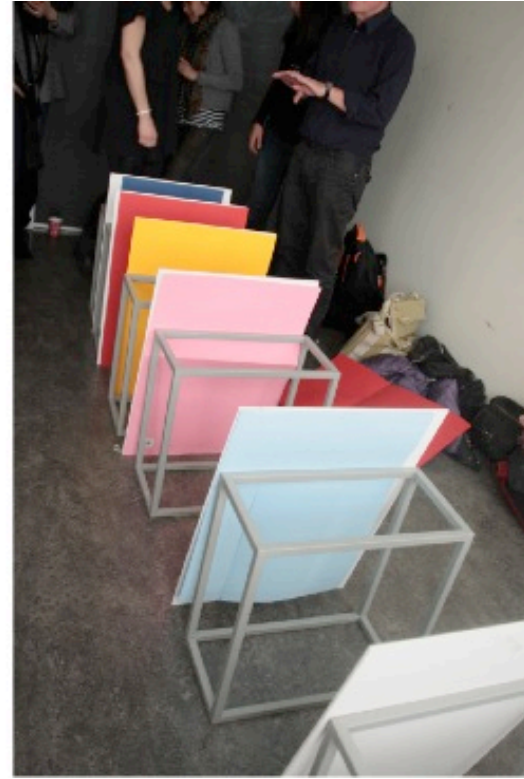
# SPATIAL COMPOSITION



# SPACE INTERIOR DESIGN



# SPACE SURFACE



# SPACE SURFACE



# SPACE SURFACE



# TIME SEASON



# TIME PERIOD

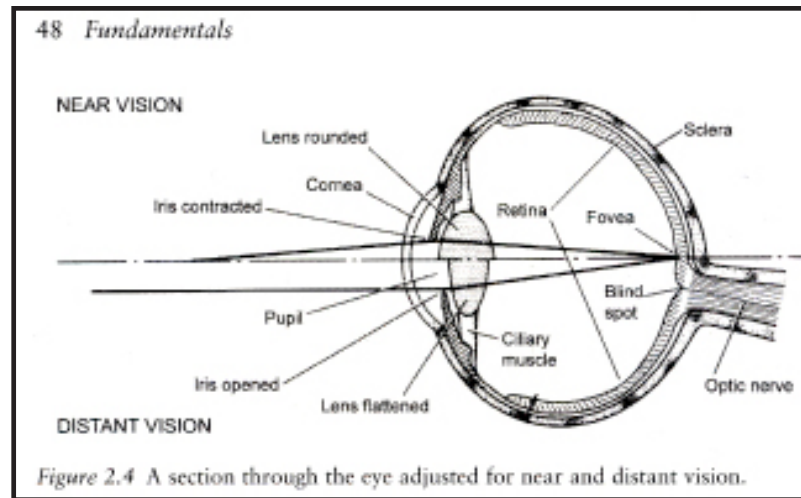




# USER CHARACTERISTICS



# USER PLEASURE



Physical Pleasure

Patrick Jordan 'The four pleasures' 2000

# USER PLEASURE



Psychological Pleasure

# USER - PLEASURE



Socio Pleasure

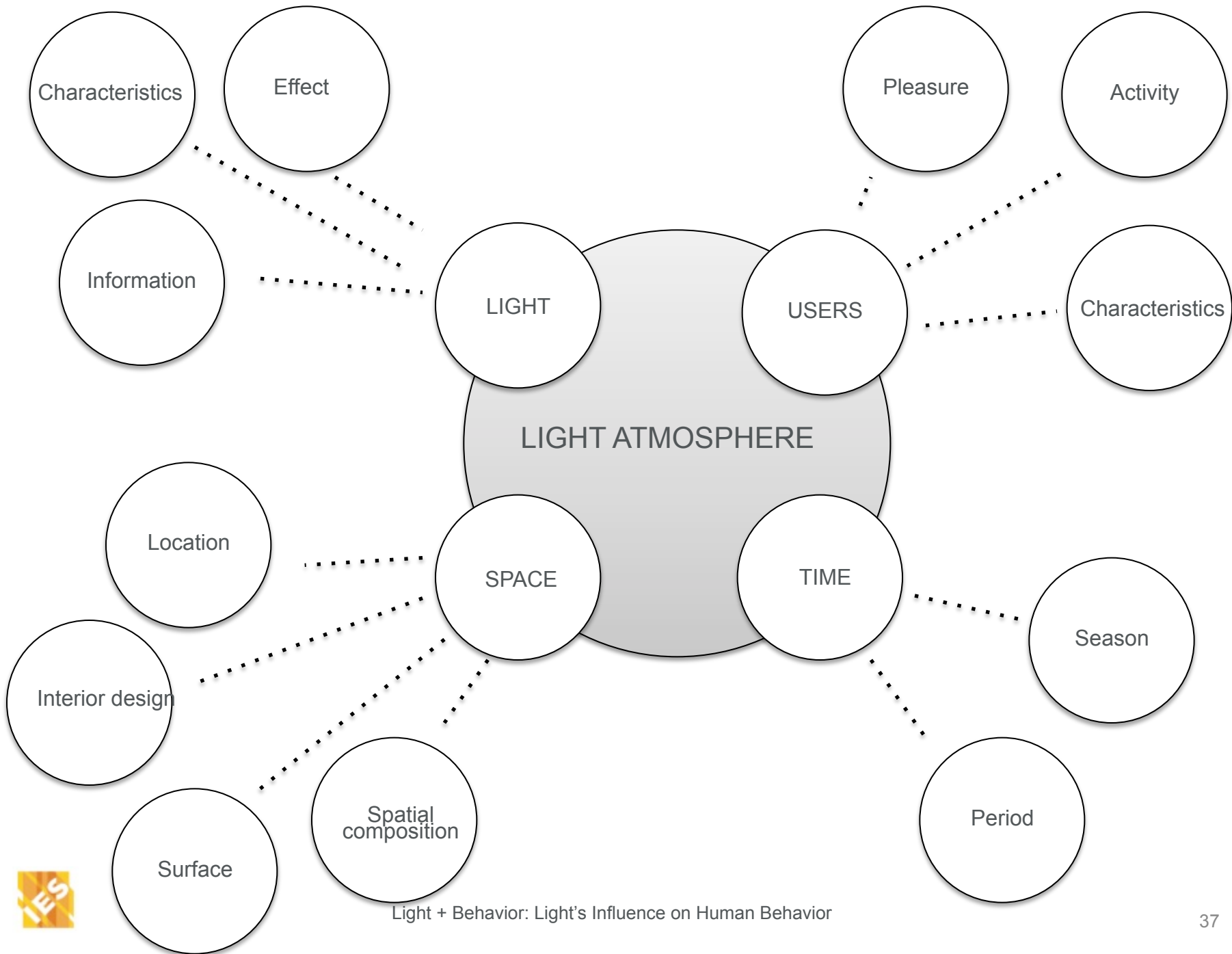
# USER - PLEASURE



Ideo Pleasure

‘To stand in the shadow of a man’.....





*‘The roots of an architectural understanding lie in our architectural experience. In that way we are all affected by an early experience of these spaces, and therefore we unconsciously compare them with later experiences of towns, houses and countryside. ‘*

(Zumthor 2006, Zumthor 2006).



# Cultural preferences for light

KÜLLER, R., BALLAL, S., LAIKE, T., MIKELLIDES, B. and TONELLO, G., 2006. The impact of light and colour on psychological mood: a cross-cultural study of indoor work environment.

BILLE, M. and SØRENSEN, T.F., 2007. Anthropology of Luminosity: The Agency of Light.

PARK, N., PAE, J.Y. and MENEELY, J., 2010. Cultural Preferences in Hotel Guestroom

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BILLE, M., 2014. Lighting up cosy atmosphere in Denmark.



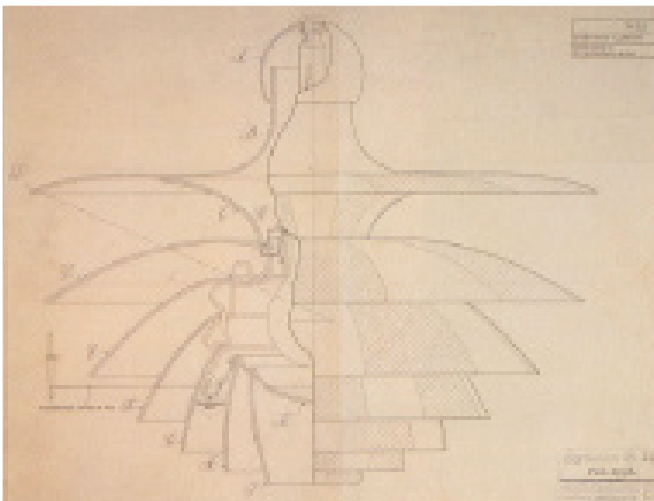




Jordan 'Reception room' Foto: Mikkel Bille, 2008  
'Luminosity of Protections'



Danish 'Reception room' Photo: Raakjær 2009,  
'Socio cultural aspects of light atmosphere' Stidsen, L. 2009



# Explorative studies

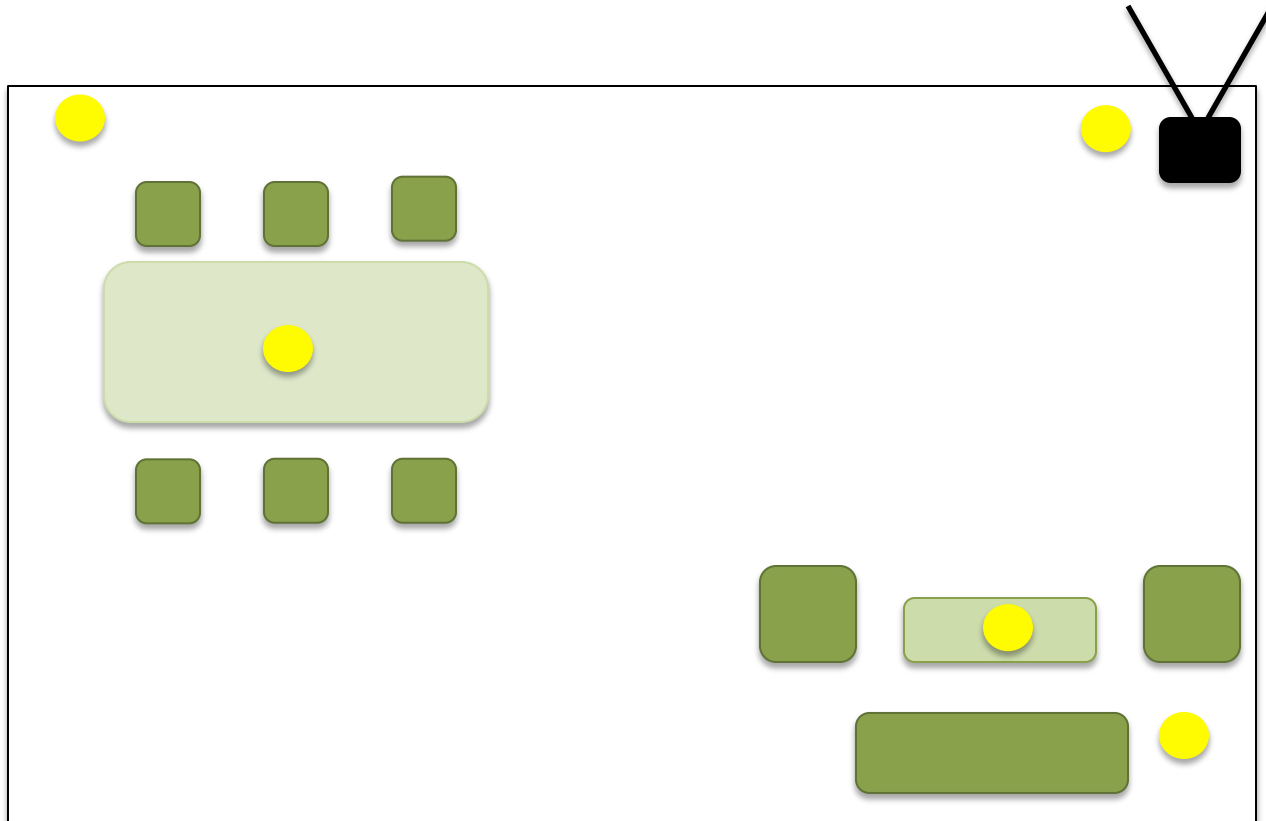
Patients light preferences in hospital wards - related to light atmosphere in Danish homes  
Stidsen, Bjerrum 2010

Anthropological study  
Photo album based on daily activities and use of light

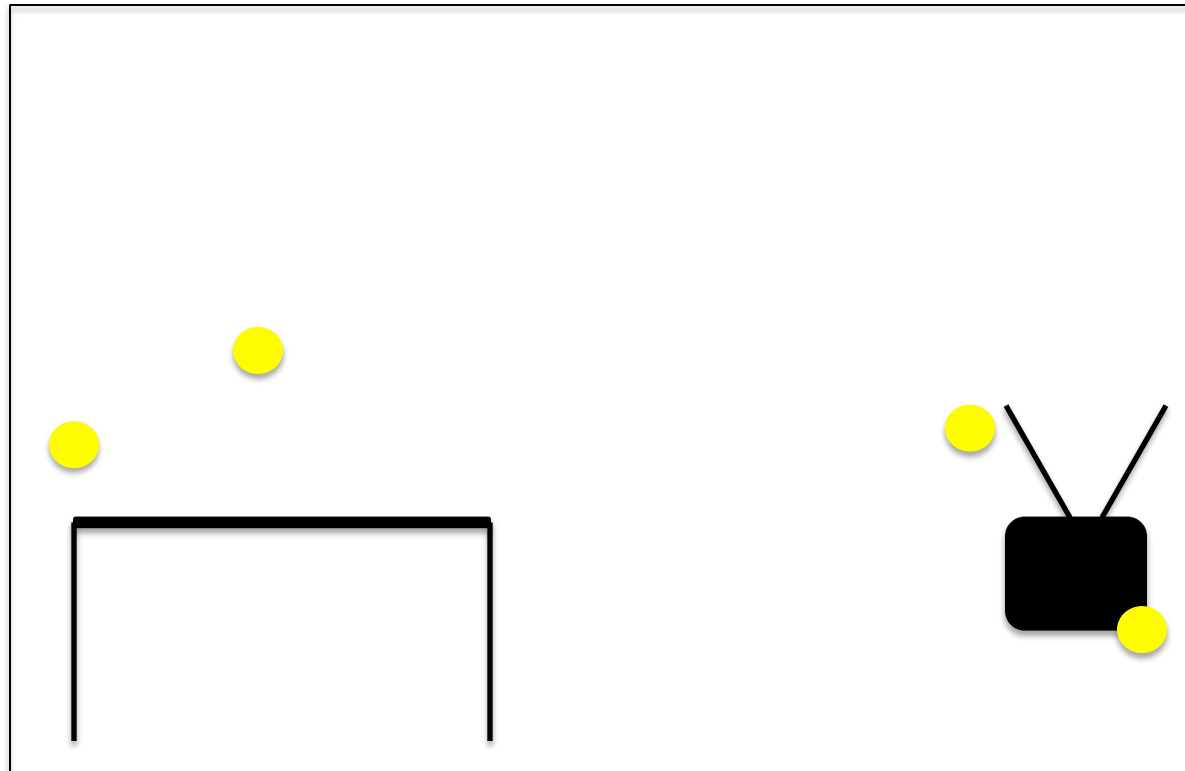
Results:  
Vertically and horizontal zoning



# Livingroom



# Livingroom



# Explorative studies

Design trend magazine

1961-2010

3500 images

Room categories

Horizontal and vertical zoning

Space appearance

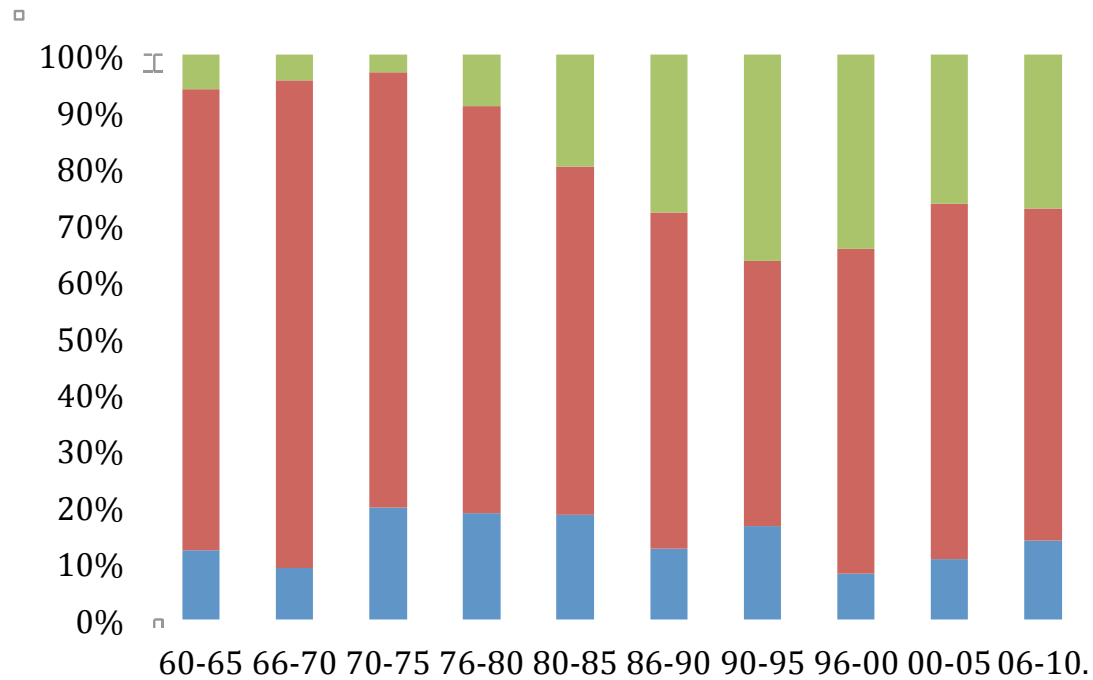


# Explorative studies

<b>Activity</b>	<b>Horizontal</b>	<b>Vertical</b>
Upstanding activity Walking/Working	High Lighting Scenario	Centre of space
Sitting activity Conversation /TV	Centre Lighting Scenario	Near the walls
Going to sleep relaxation	Low Lighting Scenario	Near the walls

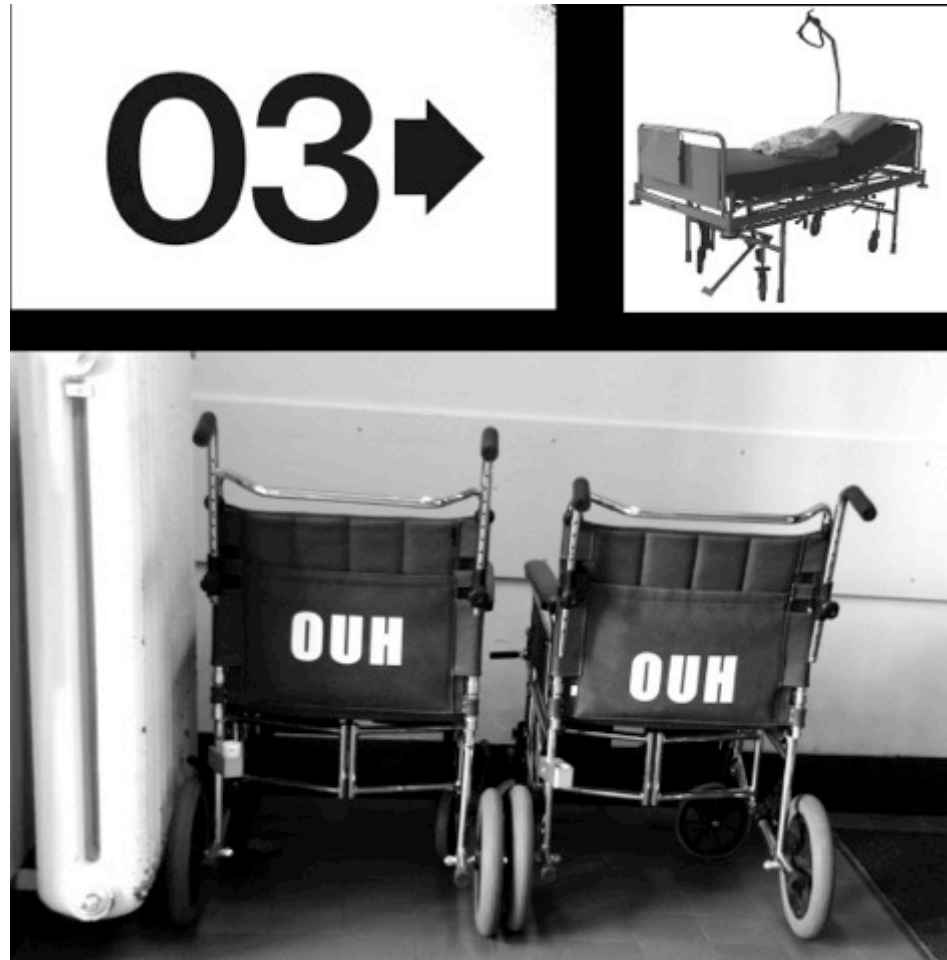


# LIVINGROOM





# PILOT STUDY

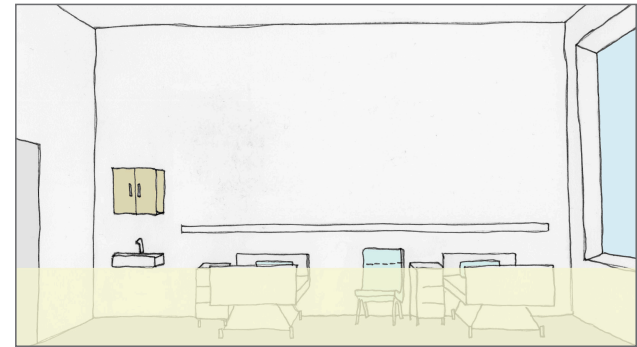


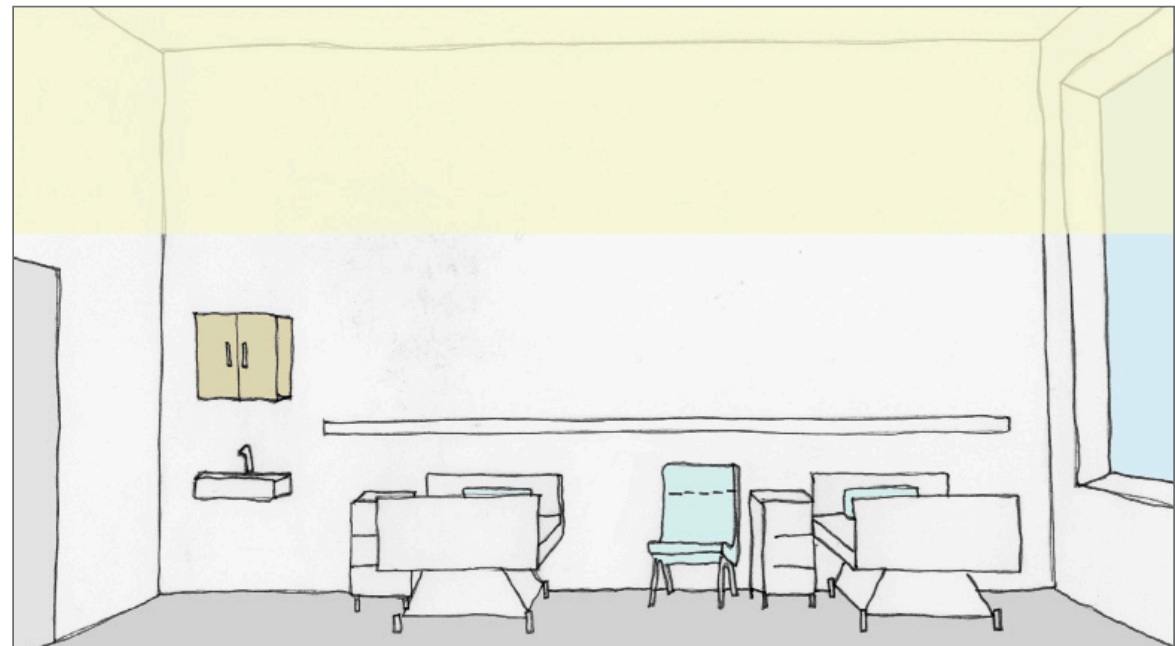
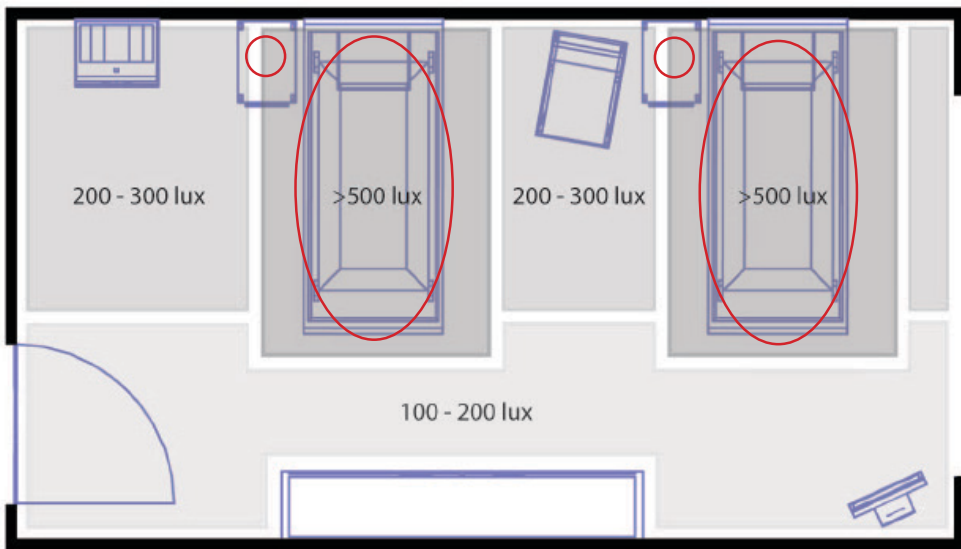
Light + Behavior: Light's Influence on Human Behavior

# TRADITIONAL WARD LIGHTING

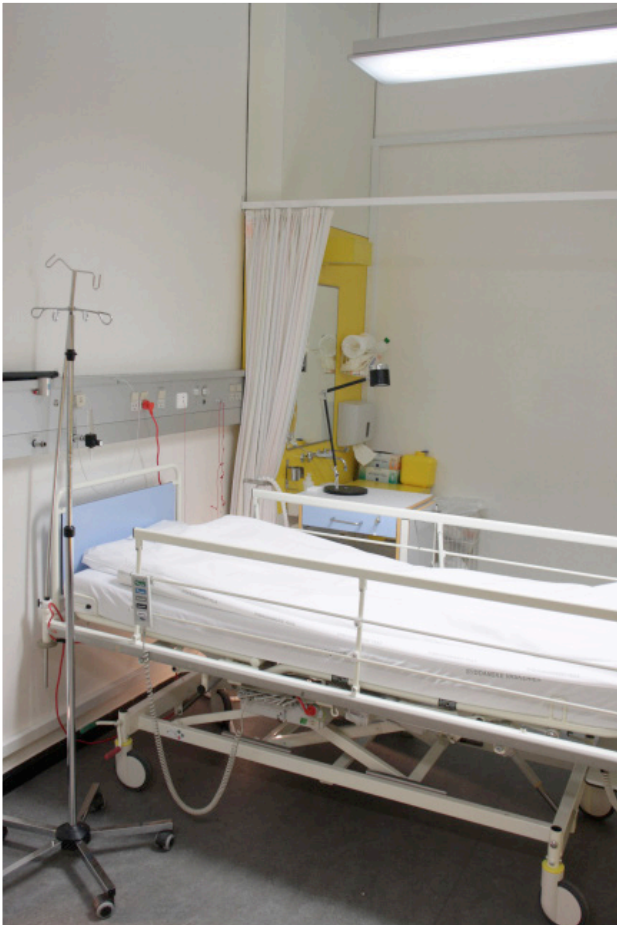


# DESIGNED WARD LIGHTING



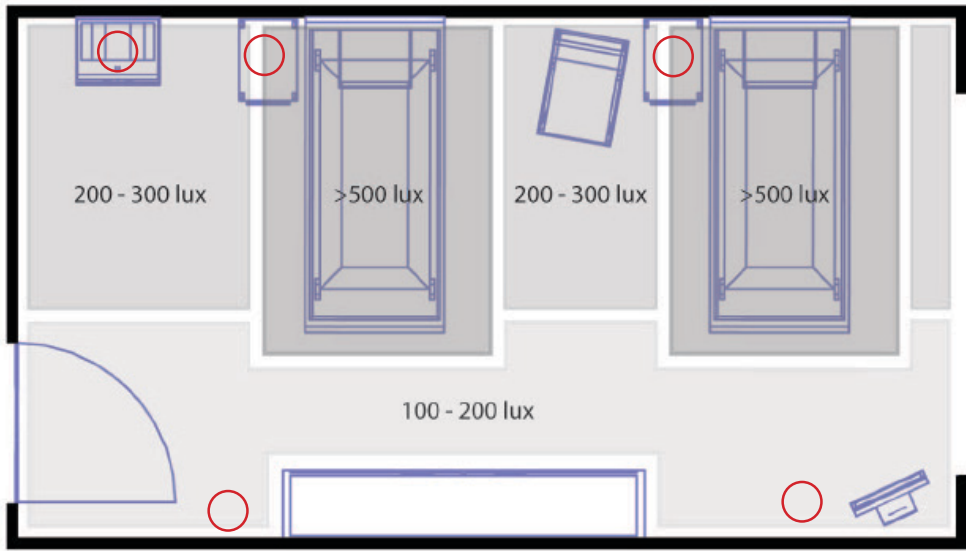


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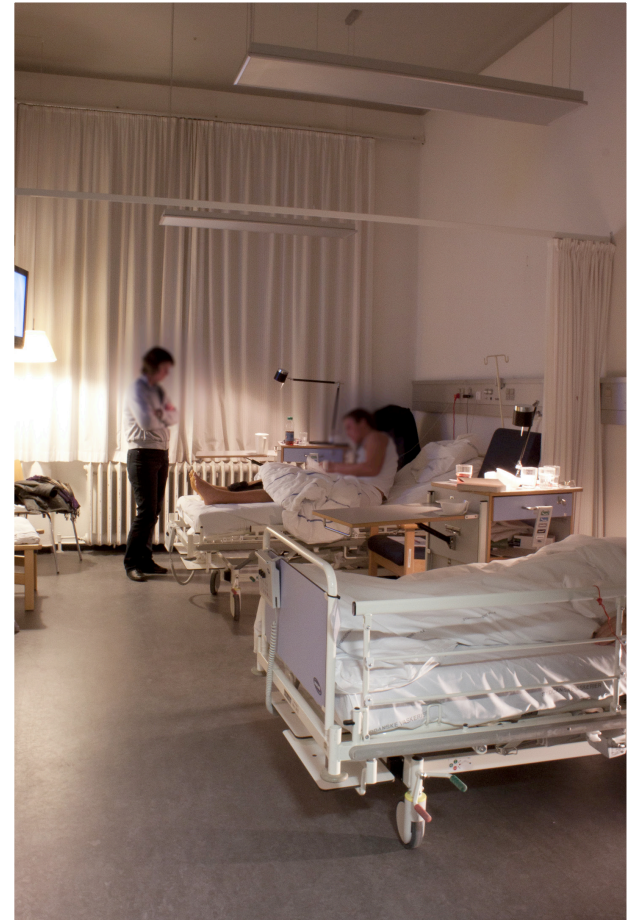
## HIGHT LIGHT ZONE





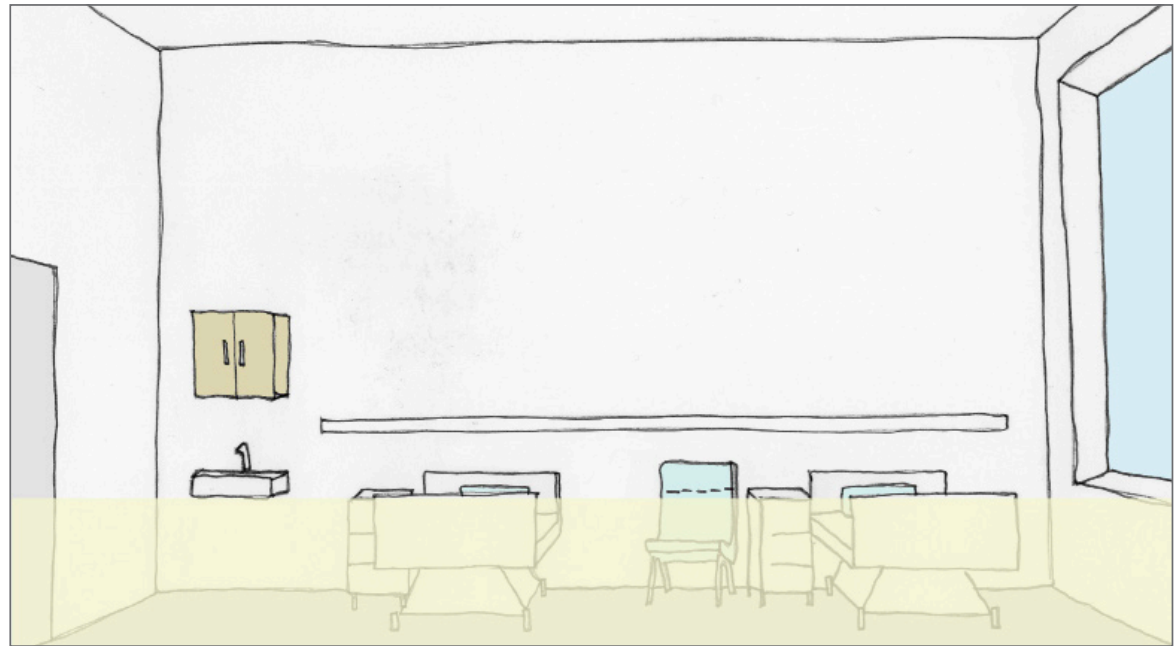
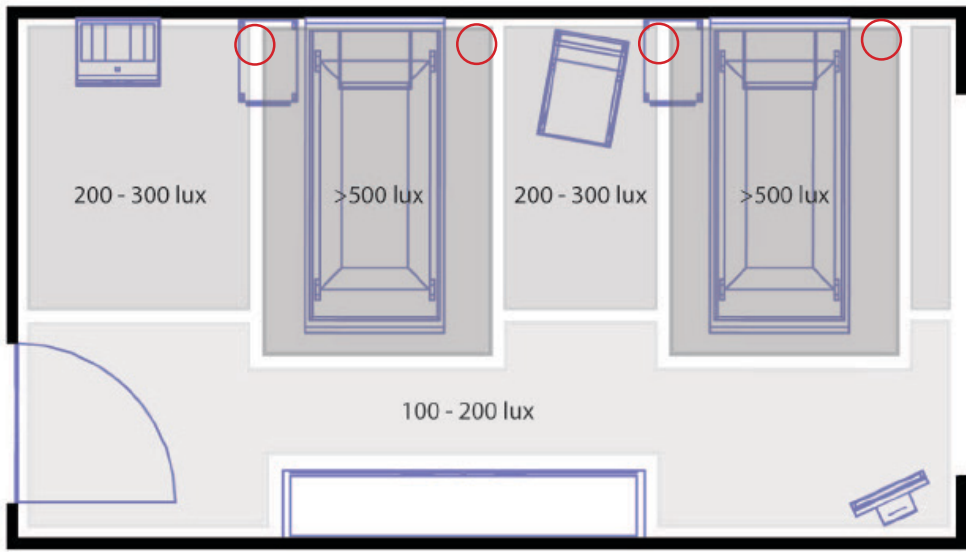
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## CENTRE LIGHT ZONE









LOW LIGHT ZONE





Traditional ward lighting



vs. Designed ward lighting

# SED

## Semantic Environmental Description

Rikard Küller

Physical Environmental Eight factors	
Pleasantness	Comfort, beauty and security
Complexity	Liveliness and variety
Unity	How well it fits together
Enclosedness	Size and degree of demarcation
Potency	Intrinsic force
Social Status	Economic and social
Affections	Sense of identity, well known
Originality	Unusual surprising



Designed  
Traditional

