

## Future Philosophical Pills: Pills list [by cluster]

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### BELIEFS:



#### Destiny / Fatalism [12]

You believe there is no control over what happens.

#### Divination [14]

You extract meaning from an encounter with chance.

#### Hyperstition [21]

You trust a fictional meme to alter your reality.

#### Superstition [36]

You expect something to jeopardize your chances.

### CHARTS:



#### Abduction / Induction / Deduction [1]

Think from a hypothesis / from the particular / from the general.

#### Anticipation [5]

Imagine introducing the non-existent future into the present.

#### Perspectivism [25]

Turn your human-centred perspective upside down, put it aside, shrink it to accommodate the nonhuman.

#### Speculation [35]

Work in the space between the "is" and the "maybe".

### STEWARDSHIPS:



#### Animism [4]

Your world is populated by objects that become animated.

#### Decolonization [11]

Your world can be delinked from hierarchies of power.

#### Hacking [19]

Your world can be re-made by mutual intervention.

#### Pluriverse [26]

Your world is only one of many and each of them produces ways of seeing and thinking.

### STRATEGIES:



#### Conceptual Personas [7]

Create a fictional character and give them a role (the Superhero, the Trickster, the Idiot...).

#### Counterfactuals [9]

Swap your storyline for what could have happened but didn't.

#### Diagramming / Metamodeling [13]

Map it out as it happens.

#### Intuition [23]

Trust something beyond your rationality.

### UNKNOWN:



#### Contingency [8]

It did not need be. Could it have been otherwise?

#### Indeterminacy [22]

The borders are becoming fuzzy. Can they still be defined?

#### Serendipity/ Chance [33]

How can you have a random encounter?

#### Uncertainty [38]

Can you observe and measure something at the same time?

### CAPACITIES:



#### Actual [3]

A type of reality with full concrete existence.

#### Possible / Probable / Plausible / Preferable [27]

A type of reality that: might happen / is likely to happen / could happen / you wish to happen.

#### Potential / Virtual [30]

A type of reality on the verge of happening, but not material yet.

#### Unexpected [39]

A type of reality that catches you by surprise.

### CRISES:



#### Border politics / Displacement [6]

Split your project into two camps and pitch one against the other.

#### Peak-oil [10]

Move to a landscape where extraction is no longer a resource and oil is exhausted.

#### Extinction [16]

Your world has been terminated.

#### Post-Anthropocene [28]

Fast forward to the planet after all humans have gone.

### STORIES:



#### Fiction [17]

Fictionalize - fiction is not the opposite of real, fiction creates reality.

#### Mythopoesis [24]

Mythologize - create a collectively shared system of beliefs.

#### Prediction [31]

Predict - use data from the past to extract future patterns.

#### Simulation [34]

Simulate - a parallel reality awaits.

### TRAJECTORIES:



#### Globalism / Localism [18]

Move from the micro to the macro, and back. Linger in the meso.

#### Posthumanism [29]

Acknowledge that the human is a fiction. Build a new story that takes you beyond anthropocentrism.

#### Regeneration [32]

Act systemically so that resources are continually renewed. Check your environment. Put things back.

#### Transversalism [37]

Use a diagonal to go beyond the vertical and the horizontal. Find connections across planes and dimensions.

### VISIONS:



#### Activism [2]

Make it happen by all means necessary.

#### Dystopia [15]

Enter a place so dreadful that it exists only in a gloomy future.

#### Heterotopia [20]

Enter a place that exists here and now, only over there rather than here.

#### Utopia [40]

Enter a place so ideal that it exists nowhere.