

Eames Project – Part 2

Illustrator Chair Design – Due Thursday, March 28th

Design is Problem solving

Your job is to create a new kind of chair [a well-designed chair] for home, office, or outdoor use. Here are some ideas of the types of chair you may choose to develop.

Lounge/TV watching/gaming chair
Beach chair
Lawn chair
Chair for the elderly
High chair/ baby chair
Communications chair
Wheel chair
Dinning chair
Art studio chair
Travel chair

To create a solution for your chair design, please respond to the following questions.

What is the purpose of your chair?

Who is the target audience for this chair/who will use it?

What is the environment for this chair or where can it be found?

Are there chairs like yours already in existence? What makes your chair unique?

What is the name of your chair?

In Illustrator, create an 11x 17” design with the following imagery and information.

-One large image created in Illustrator - You may use photographic elements to trace, but be sure your final chair image is created completely with line art. Your image must contain elements created using the mesh tool in Illustrator.

-Two or three supporting images, photographic or vector based, that contribute to the idea behind your concept

-A short paragraph of at least 5 sentences explaining your concept.

-A title that will be the name of your chair

Be creative and think outside the box. Your idea may be far-fetched and completely original, but your reasoning should be sound and your chair design should be physically tangible.