



MANSPLAINING AGAINST MISOGYNY



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One day this guy came to me and said :  
"Hey, I heard you have a lot of knowledge about feminism. Could I ask you some questions?"

I agreed and was surprised that unlike most guys he didn't get defensive when I stated very radical views. He simply asked more detailed questions.



At the end, he smiled at me and said :  
"Thank you, this conversation was very interesting - you know, ..."

FROM MAN  
TO MAN!"

My face dropped when I realized  
**THAT I JUST  
MANSPLAINED**



# MANSPPLAINING

## AGAINST MISOGYNY





When being asked:

dude, can  
you explain to  
me what that  
oversensitive girl  
just said?

from man  
to man?

...our professor said that  
statistics have proven that  
(most) men only believe /  
trust / appreciate things /  
facts / acts when they are  
said and / or done by  
(other) men...

...hm...  
well,  
thanks!

your explanation  
was way better / clearer  
understandable than  
what she just babbled

she obviously has no  
clue / experience / insight,  
she better focus on  
being (more) sexy.

DUDE, these  
were her words.

EXACTLY  
her words!



let's go see  
stonewall!

In an all-men-group:

yeah - i've heard  
it's an excellent  
movie about our  
history...

like many many trans-feminine  
people of colour have already said  
and written over and over again:

the stonewall-  
riots have neither  
been about nor  
been started by  
white middle-  
class gay guys  
like us!

the only thing WE ever did  
and are still doing is not  
only benefiting from these  
uproars but also taking  
all the effing credits!

why don't we  
have a drink  
in the park  
instead?

yeah, we could talk about all this  
and donate our admissions to the  
movie about marsha p. johnson! \*

\* Marsha "Pay it No Mind" Johnson and Sylvia Rivera, both self-proclaimed "street queens" and homeless Black & Latina trans women, ignited the Stonewall Riots in 1969. Marsha was found dead shortly after the 1992 Pride March New York. Her cause of death could not be clarified.

When being mistaken as a man:





With your best buddy:

i guess it's  
not easy for  
you to find  
the right girl.

but i think  
you might be  
overdoing it  
a little bit.

by acting/ being  
"that kinda guy"  
you only show/  
prove that you're  
a repulsive chauvi-  
nist anti-feminist  
prick...

but

... and not  
how much  
of a (good)  
guy you ac-  
tually are.

but i'm  
trans.  
it's hard.

i understand. but that's  
no excuse for acting/  
being sexist /misogynist.

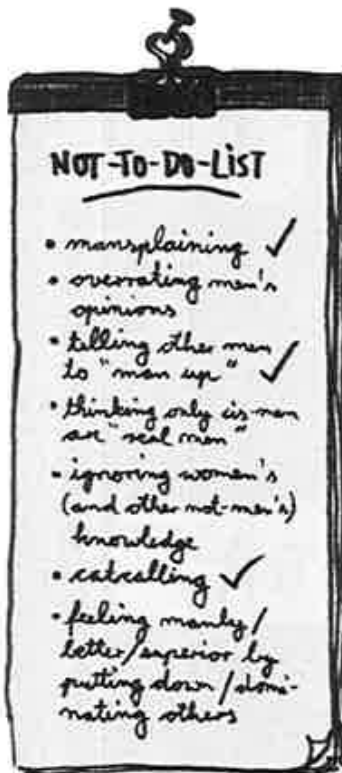
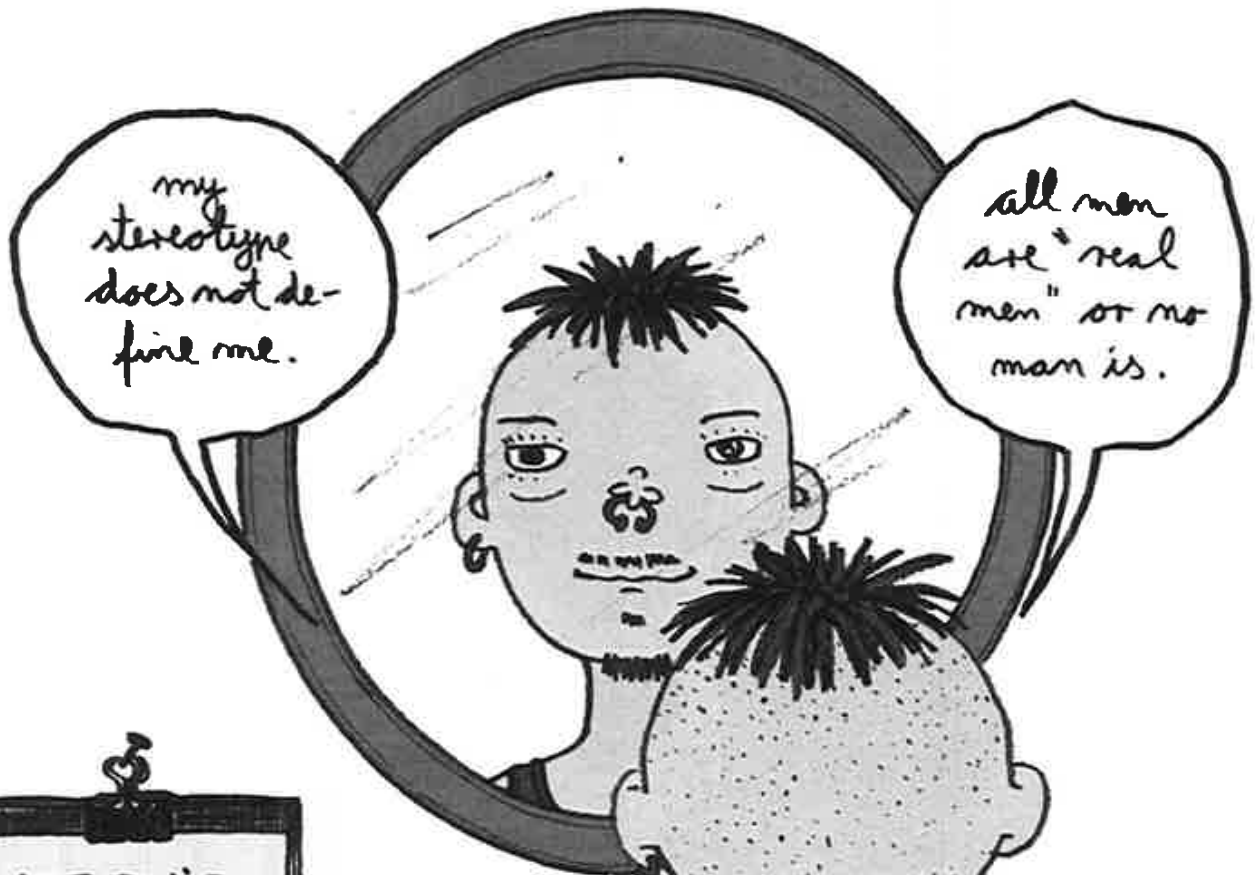
SIGH...



All by yourself:

**My Radical Softness<sup>\*</sup>**  
is more important than your  
**Toxic Masculinity.**

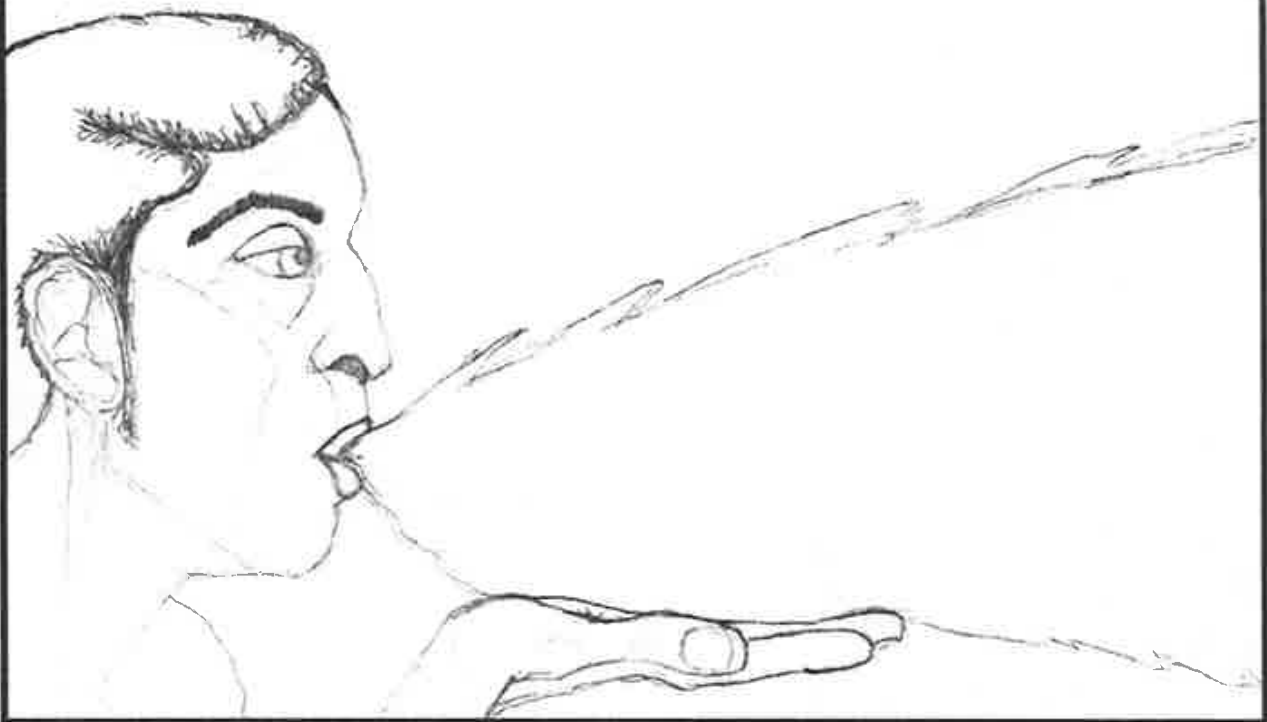
<sup>\*</sup>Zine by Lora Mathis



i should  
tell other men  
to smile  
more.

OPEN END

MENSPLAINING AGAINST MISOGYNY



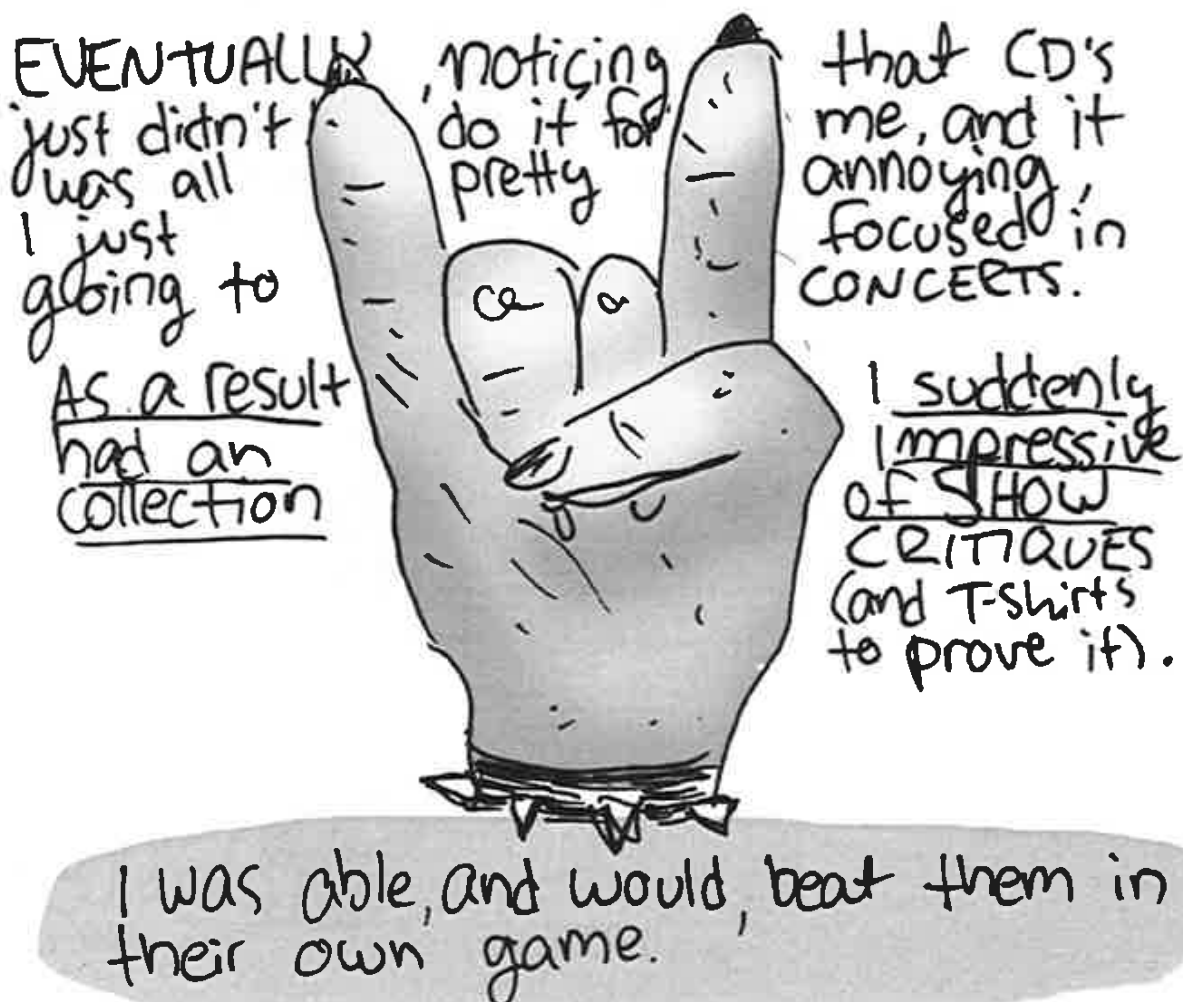
# ON THE ART OF NAMEDROPPING aka MANSPLAINING: THE ORIGINS

back in the day, in my GOTH/METAL youth,  
all you had was SCENE CRED, and all SCENE CRED  
was, was KNOWING BANDS.



I, of course, thought it  
was a load of  
MACHO BULLSHIT, but  
nevertheless, being  
a teenager and all,  
went with it.

Too bad I never had  
much headspace  
for names.





FAST FORWARD to PRESENT DAY.

"GROWN UP" ME



Nowadays I work with music. Well, organize shows (occasionally). Going to QUEER FEMINIST concerts and collecting INFORMATION has become something I do for the PURE PLEASURE.

I love sharing music TIPS with fellow queer punks.

Though I occasionally catch a CURIOUS CUSTY checking out my VEST, out-mansplaining RANDOMS is not my daily jam.

HONESTLY THOUGH, SOMETIMES I still run into "one of them".



and let's say.. OLD SKILLS  
COME IN HANDY.

GLOSSY FRIEND CRUSH!!!  
LITHALSA! HIRSH! PERRAS SALVAES!!  
ANTI-CORPOS!!  
RESPECT MY FIST!  
GLORY HOLE!!!  
fing LIMP WR

STEREOTYPHA!! AGATHA!!  
FERRING SODA!!!  
CANINE!!  
MUSTELMIA!!  
VICIOUS  
IRENE!



there's like  
NO FEMINISTS  
or QUEERS  
in the SCENE

which is why  
BOOK ONLY  
WHITE DUDES





Hello  
I am  
Marc  
and I  
will  
mansplain  
against  
misogyny

(cause I am  
a nice guy  
and women  
like that)

Don't be  
Marc...





Every time  
a person  
tells me

sth. happened  
to them

I will tell

them what it was  
and why it happened

I only want to  
help<sup>♥</sup> after all

[everybody needs  
my help]



I really don't  
understand  
why my friend  
interrupted me  
yesterday...

I was only explaining  
her date why  
she was acting so  
bossy towards her

okay she did not  
but why does she  
so bossy?



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ask me  
2. behave



# CHAINSAW BUNNY'S GUIDE TO HUMANSPLAINING



maybe because there's no such thing as stuffed animal oppression??



WHAT???

YOU HUMANSPLAINER!

YOU KNOW NOTHING!

RAAAAAH !!

you get to lie in bed all day! you're soooooo privileged!

WE ARE IMPRISONED AND WE'RE CONFINED TO DOMESTICITY! I'M SOOOOO BORED!

but you can live here for free!

AND WHAT WOULD YOU SAY IF I DECIDED TO MOVE? OR IF I RAN AWAY?

but you are loved here. you get cuddles all the time! lucky bunny!

AND WHAT ABOUT CONSENT? DID YOU EVER ASK IF I WANT CUDDLES?



OK, so what is it that you want?



A FEW BOXES OF BISCUITS WILL DO... AND A SIGN OF MY OWN AT YOUR MARCH.

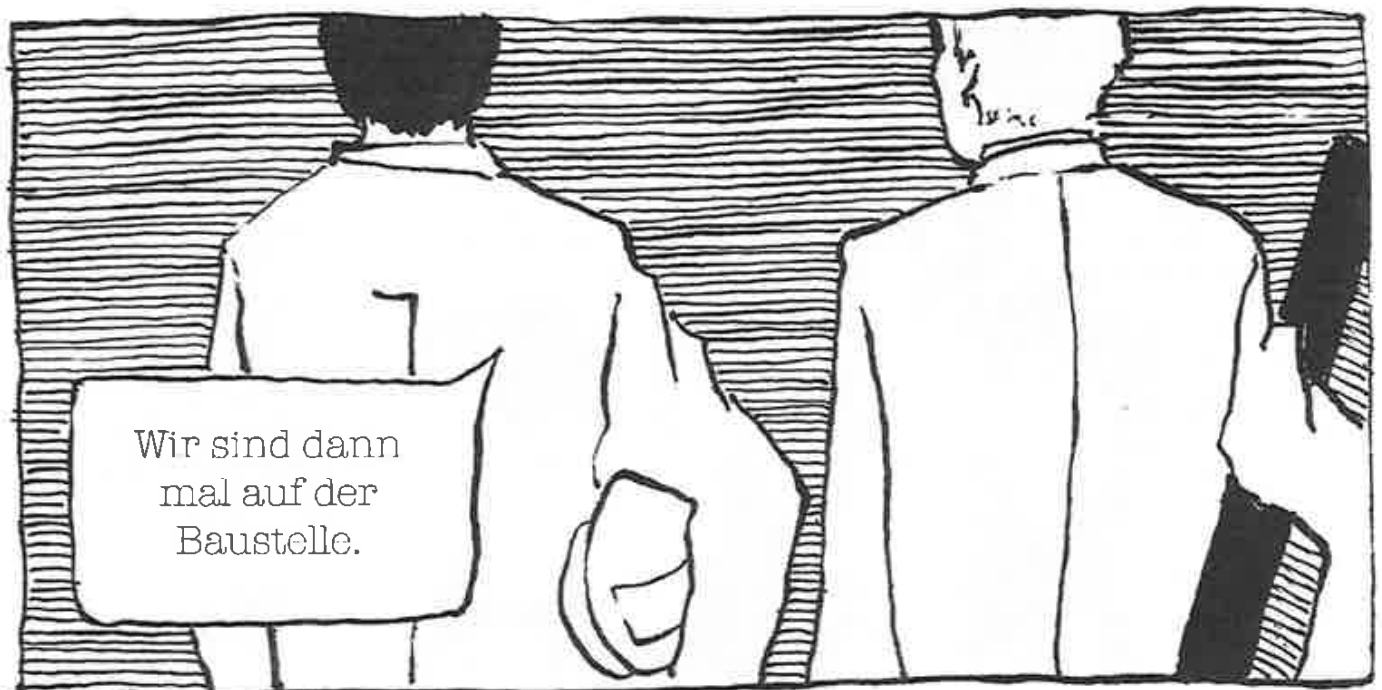
AND MY CHAINSAW NEEDS A NEW BATTERY.



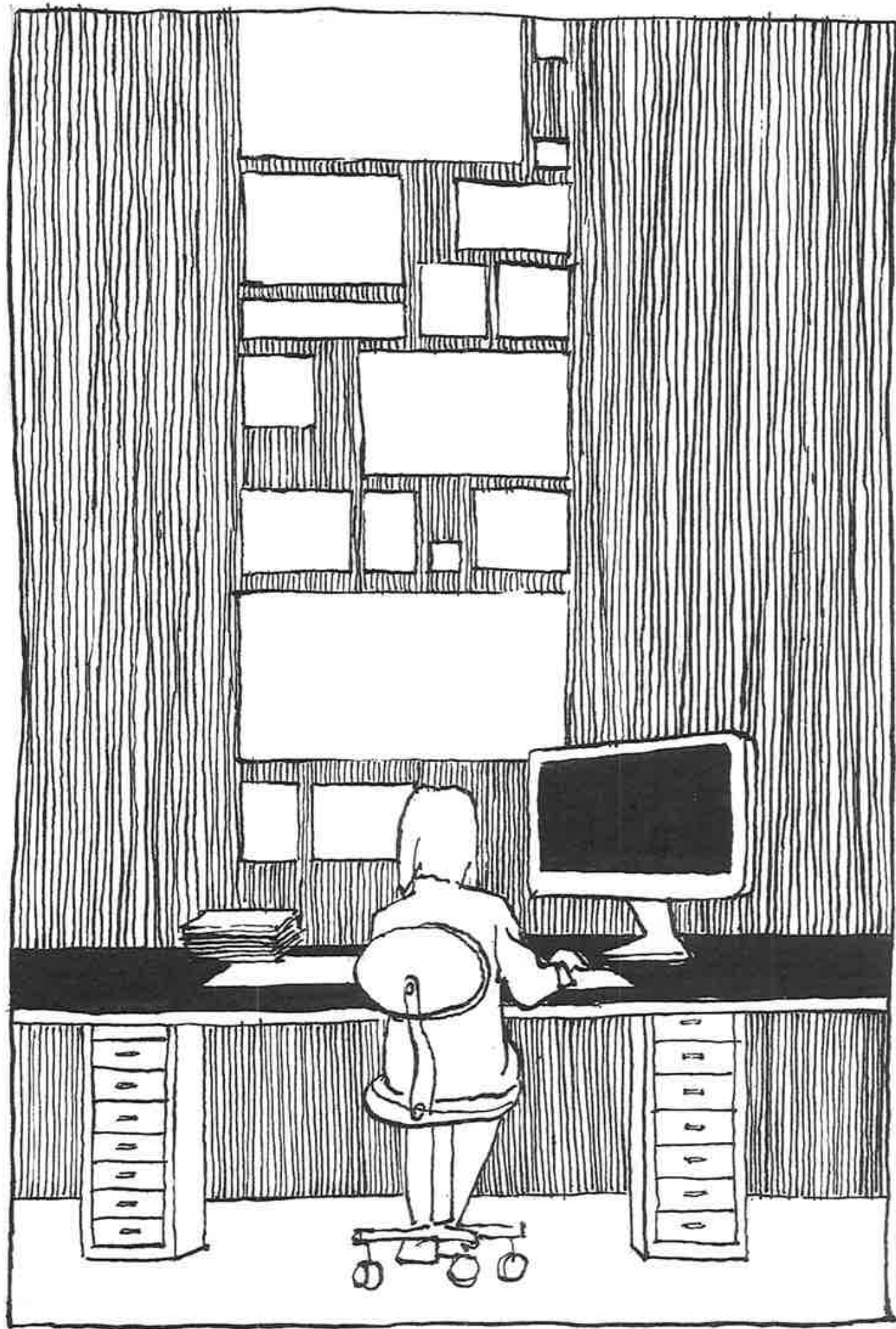


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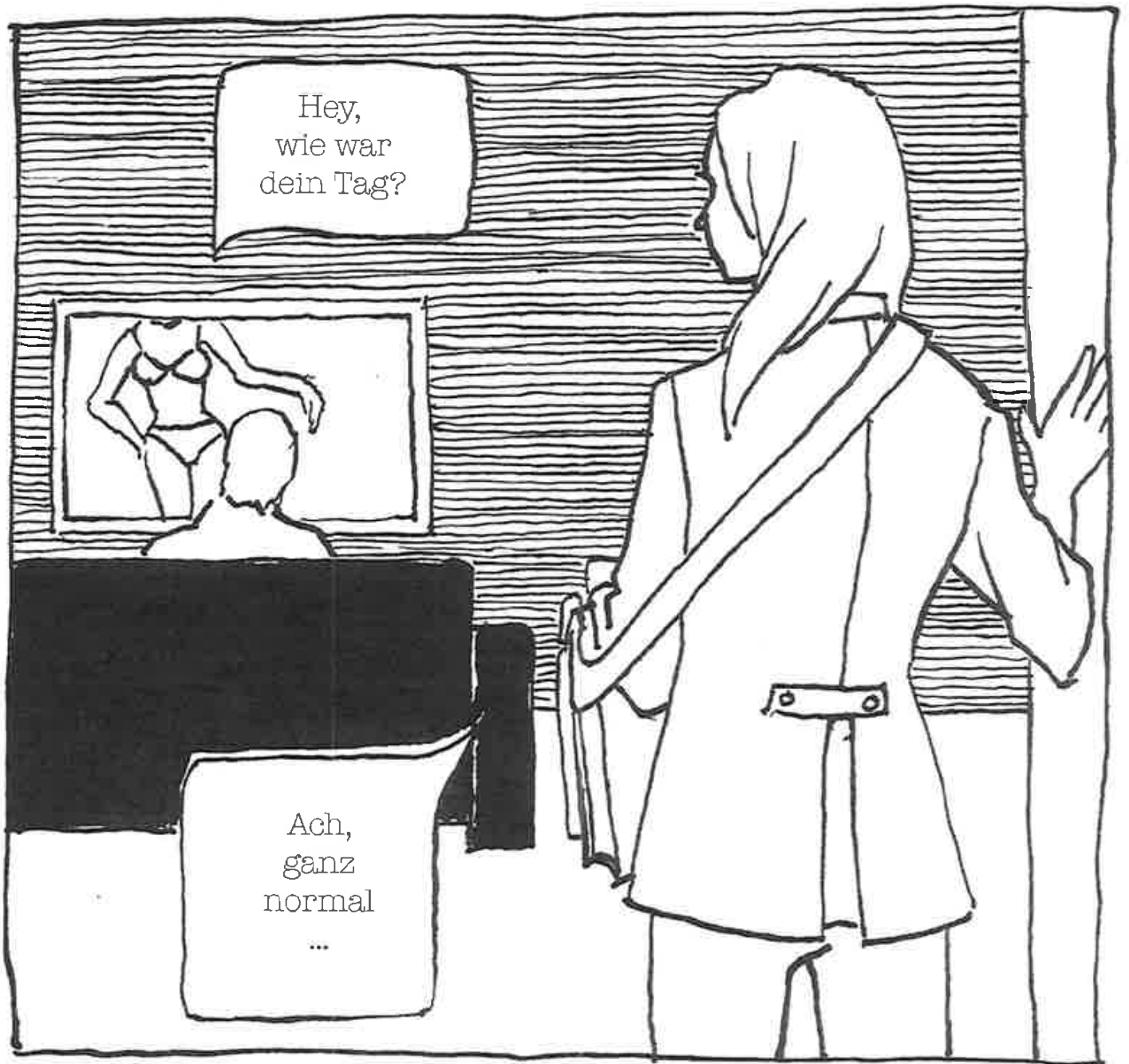
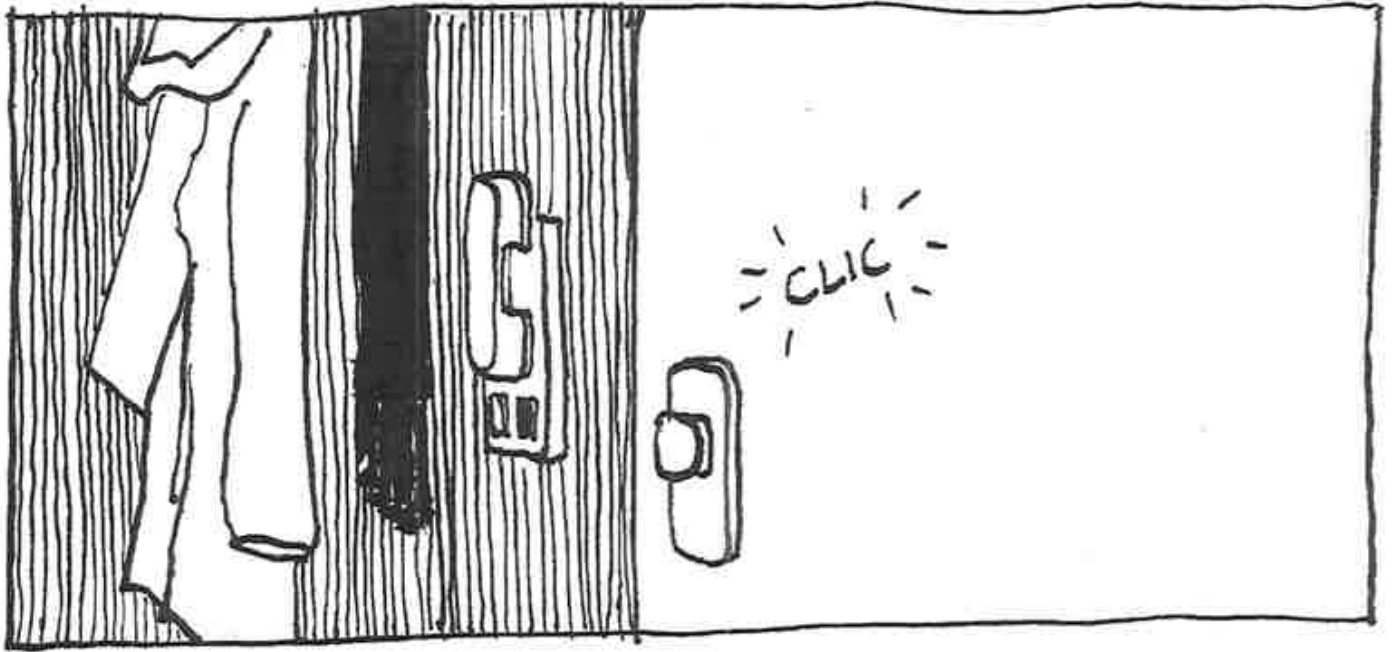




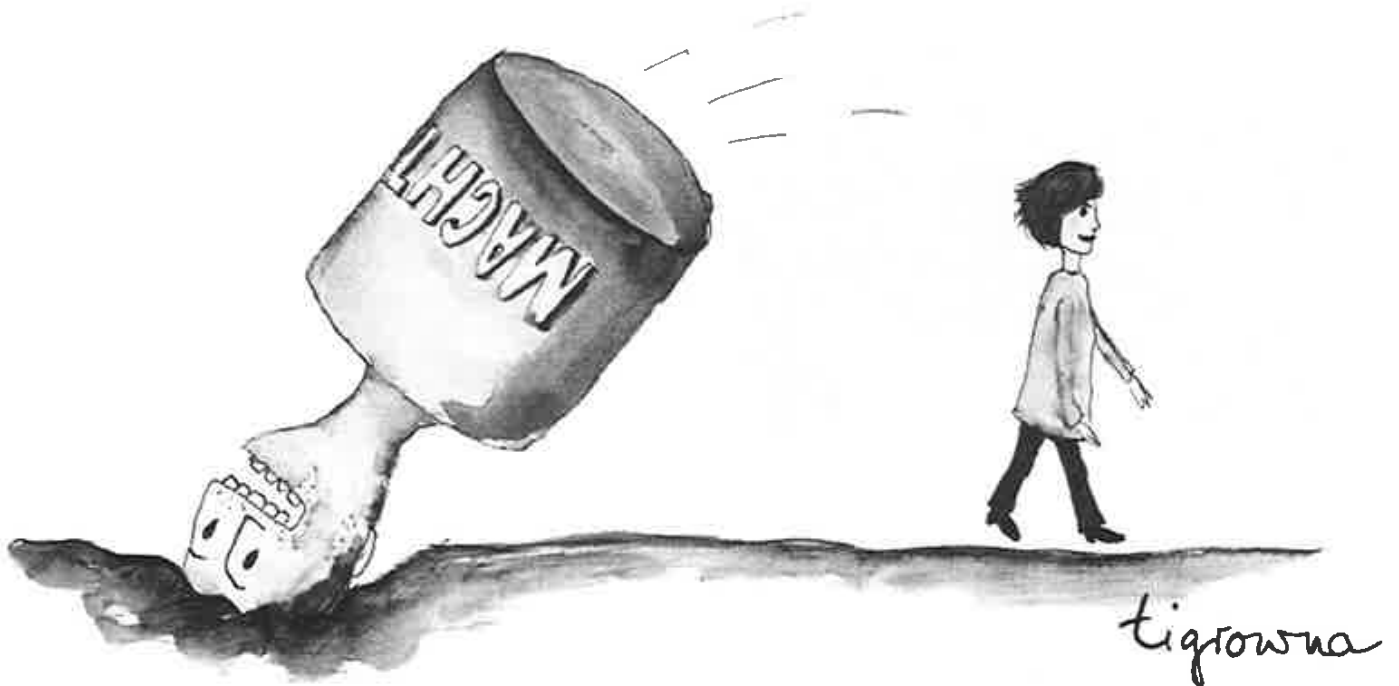
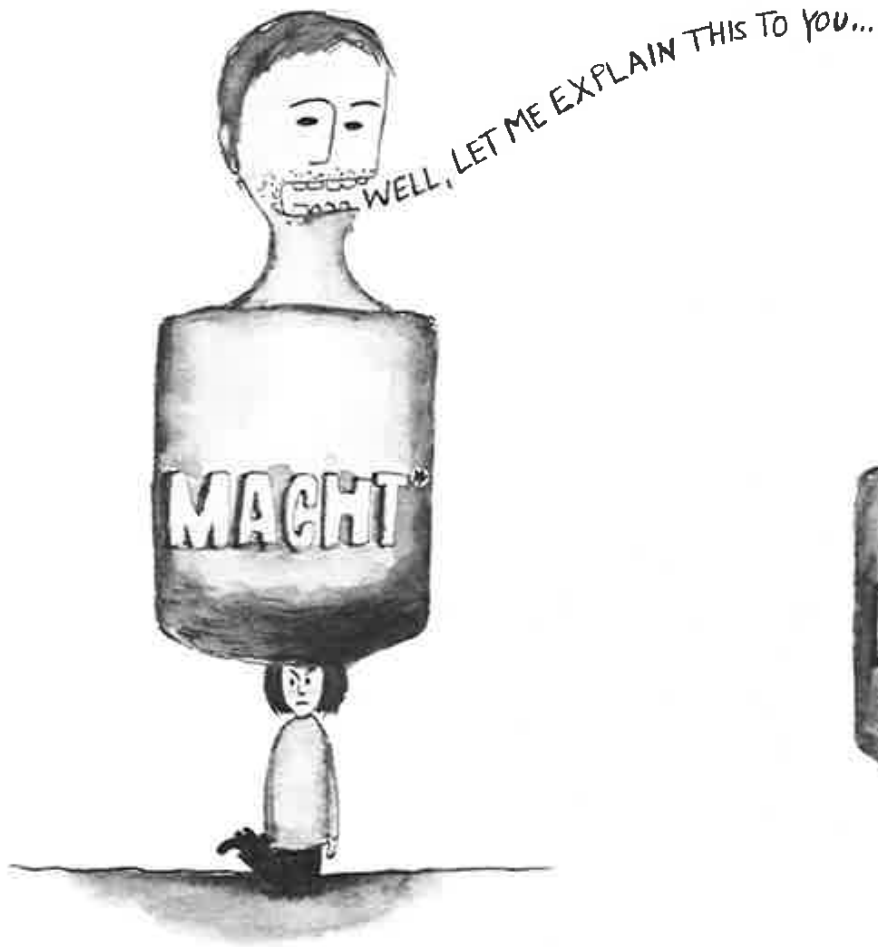








# MANSPLAINING - and how to deal with it.



\*POWER

MIT GUTEM BEISPIEL VORAN <sup>Gehe ich!</sup>



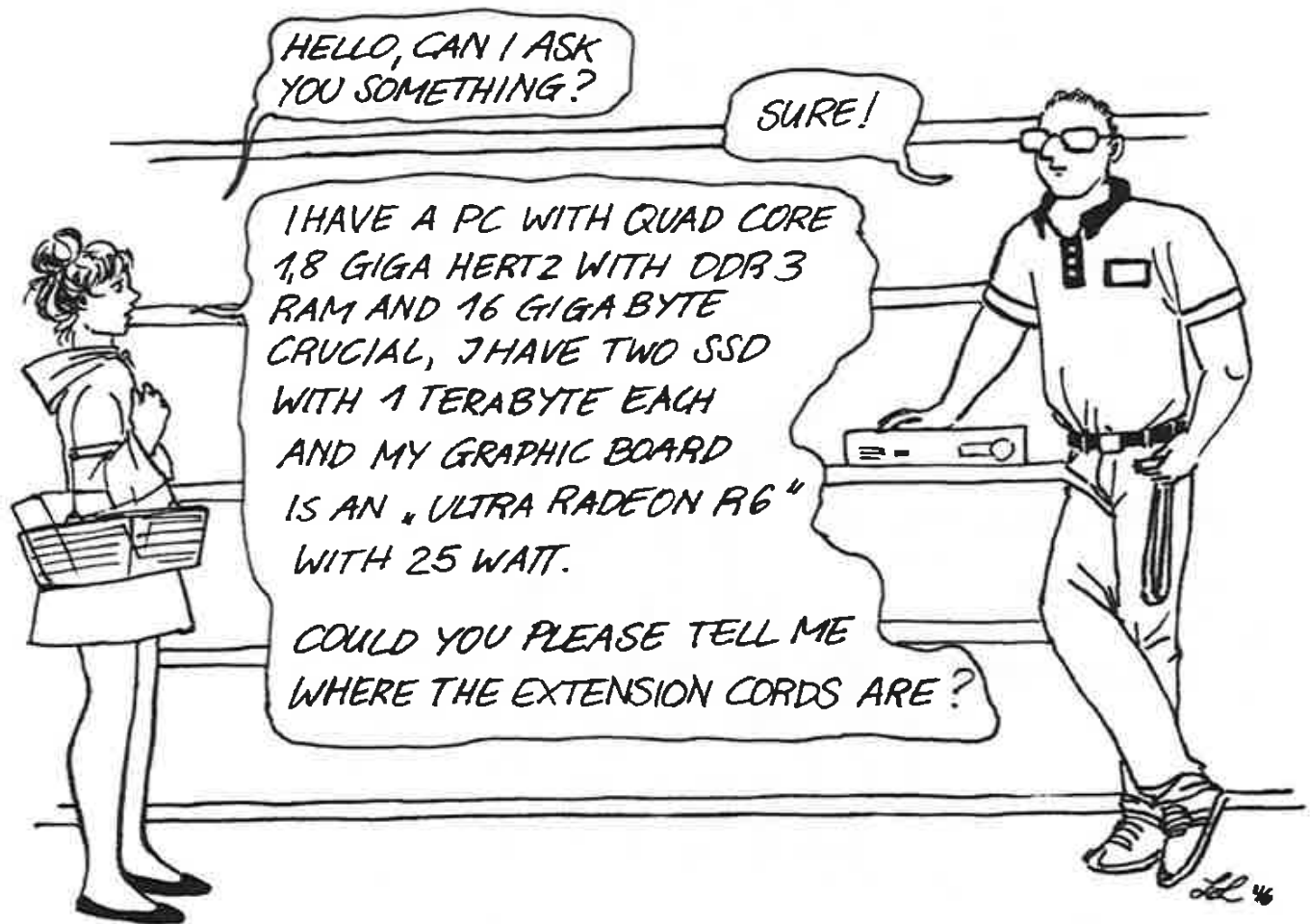
Also, wenn ich  
du wäre ...

Diese Sache  
Mit dem  
Hammer sehe  
ich kritisch

Wer seelig  
ist, bestimme  
immer noch  
ICH

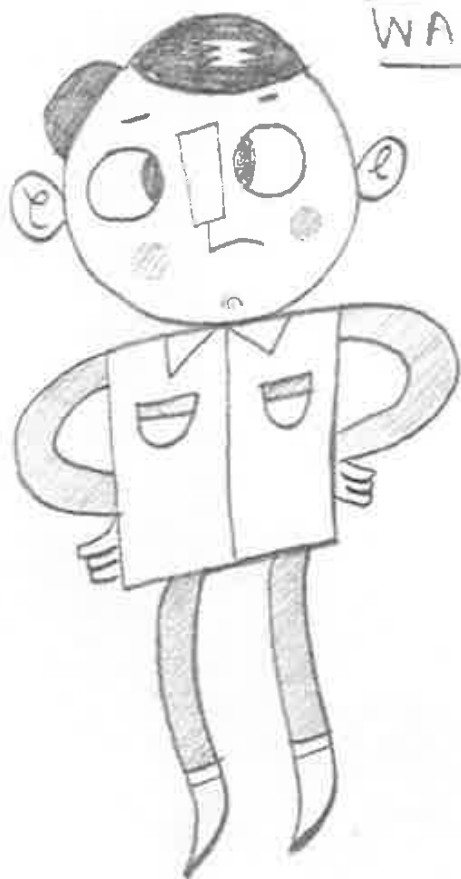
WER IST HIER  
DOGMATISCH?

# HOW TO AVOID MANSPLAINING AT THE ELECTRONIC SUPERMARKET





A COUPLE OF DAYS  
BEFORE THIS ISSUE  
WAS PRINTED ...



I DON'T  
HAVE A  
STORY  
YET...



MARGH

WHAT ABOUT THAT  
GUY IN YOUR COURSE?



YES



MY FLATMATE FINALLY  
HAD AN IDEA..



LET'S CALL HIM (M)

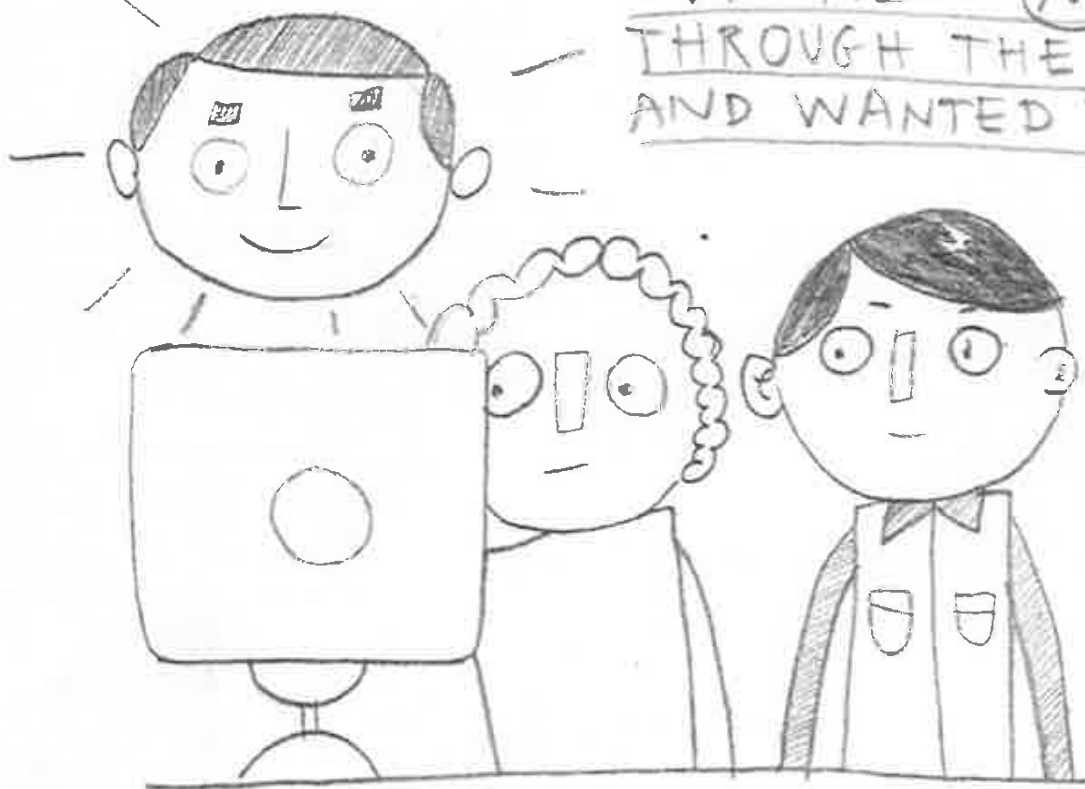


FIRST DAY OF THE  
NEW COURSE MODULE.  
FIRST DAY WITH (M)

WE HAD TO OPEN A  
FILE WITH A CERTAIN  
TEXT EDITOR



BUT ALSO (M) RAN  
THROUGH THE ROOM  
AND WANTED TO HELP



LET ME DO IT  
I KNOW! I KNOW!



IT'S EASY!!



YOU JUST HAVE  
TO OPEN THE  
SEARCH BOX ...



AND TYPE IN  
THE PROGRAM  
NAME PLUS .EXE



I HATE WINDOWS  
SO MUCH! WHY DON'T  
THEY HAVE MACS HERE?




IT DOESN'T WORK,  
WAIT, ARGH, SHITTY  
WINDOWS.  
WAIT, I TRY SOME-  
THING ELSE



AARGH.  
WINDOWS IS  
SO SHITTY!  
LET ME  
GOOGLE THAT





Ethical Sloth is a diy queer comic zine.  
Want to become a part of issue 6?  
Yay! Please get in touch!  
We are excited to get your submission!

Topic: **Breakups and downs**

Deadline: July 1, 2016

Specs: 300dpi, A5, b/w

This zine is completely d.i.y., so there's no money\_reward  
in for you, but being part of this awesome comic zine!  
And of course you'll get a free issue (and the master-print,  
if you want to print'n'sell your own copies.)

Do you have questions or something else? Feel free to ask!  
We are happy to hear from you!

Your ethical sloths,  
Dana "Dossie" Moustache and Yori "Janet" Gagarim

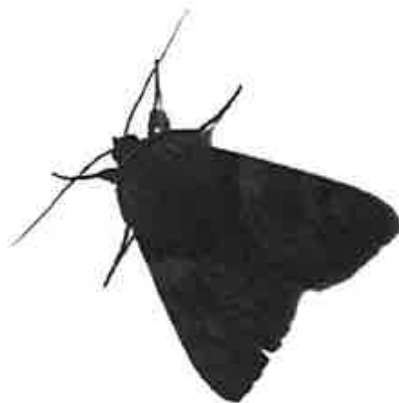


Lookilooo!

Watch out for our first spin-off-zine:

The **Aesthetical Moth.**

Coming soon.







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