#### Building Community Through Origami







#### Michelle Awh and Andy Yang



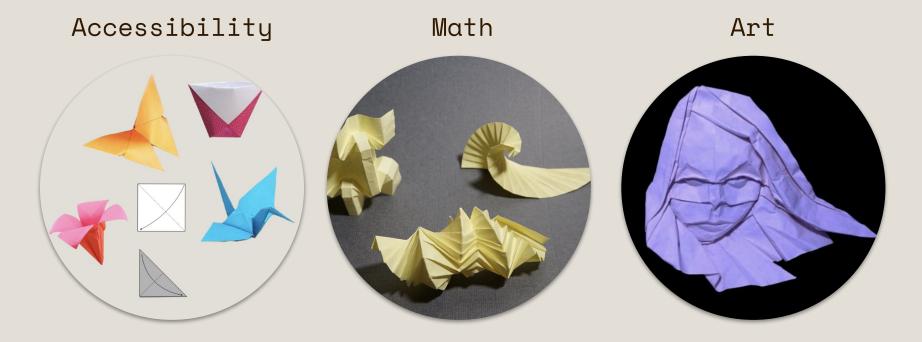


#### POLL

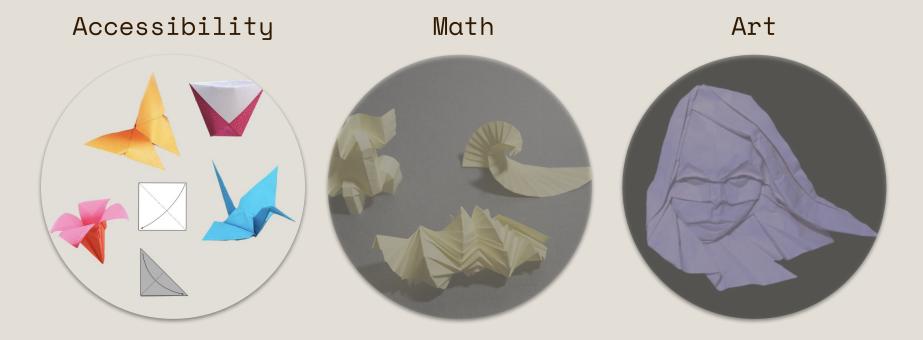
#### What do you like about origami?

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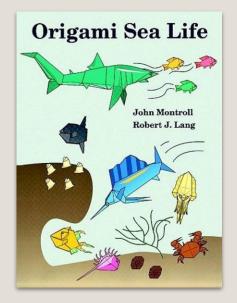
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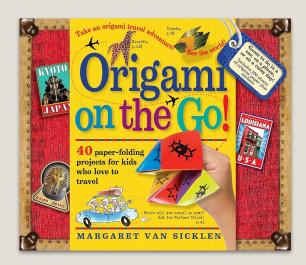


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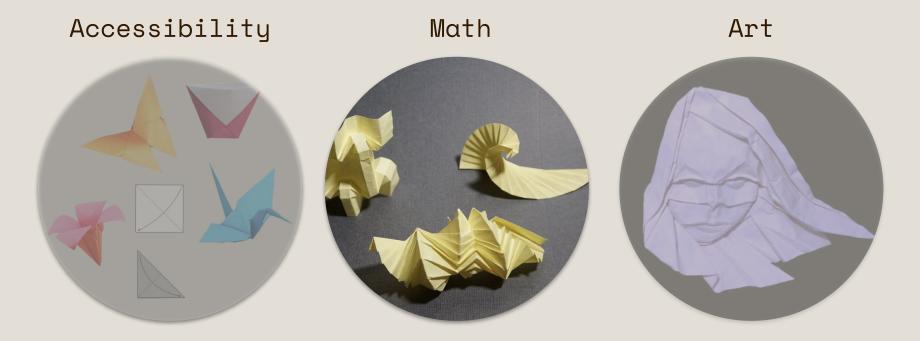


## How we got started

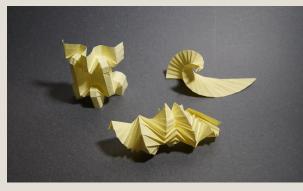




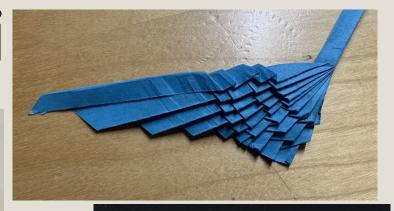
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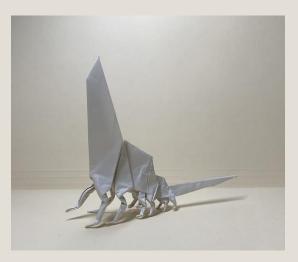




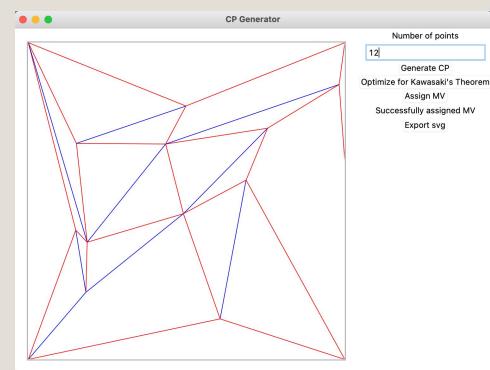


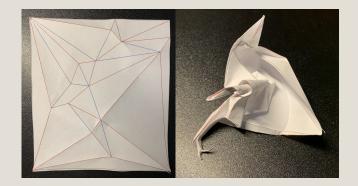




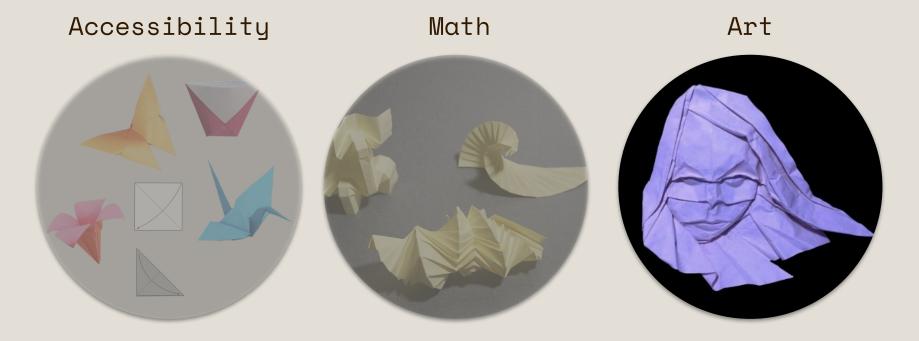


#### **Random Crease Patterns**

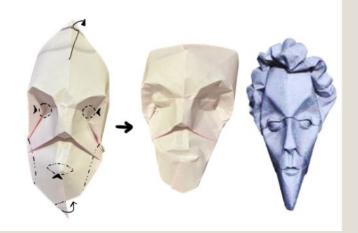




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# Shaping



1.20 The basic idea of the model is economy. By this, I mean economy in the number of creases, and economy in the use of poper. This is best understood by looking at the crease pattern clogram on the right. The grey shoding represents areas of paper hidden in the final model. The use of 'rounded creases', "broken creases" of the paper, means that your means that your hiss attempts pro-bably won't be too perfex. You need to profice, texting different upes and sizes of paper Uber making 3-D models. choosing exotel the high poper is more difficult than the folking process read! The meanements owen in the he unfolded mask Rounded valleys itself. The measurements given in the (8 inches) square. Rounded mountains 0





## Michelle's origami











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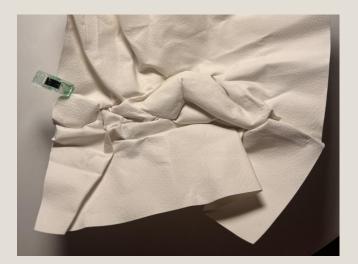








## Celebrating the paper





#### Origami is a restrictive art form







## Community













# UChicagOrigami



# In the beginning



Denied by Summer Long



Jannotta House 2019-2020 Andy J Yang - December 4, 2019 - @

hey guys! I'm making an origami RSO.

Origami is a fascinating and fun art form, and we want to provide the opportunity for everyone to learn about and practice it! Can you fold a crane? Great! Have you been an avid designer for years and have folded many complex models? Awesome! Have you never touched a piece of paper in your life? Absolutely fantastic! We welcome folders of any level.

Our club will include free folding time, folding lessons, documentary/movie screenings, friendly competitions, loads of origami paper, and more!

If you are at all interested, just fill out this super short google form, and we'll update you soon!

https://forms.gle/9vXXcqskvDGX7mp99

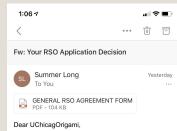
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### COVID



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### The Revival



Congratulations! Your organization has been granted preliminary approval for RSO status. Your application stood out to us, especially in the face of the pandemic, and we look forward to seeing how your RSO shapes the student body in the coming years.

For newly approved groups, there will be a mandatory RSO training session with the Center for Leadership and Involvement, which will take place on Thursday, February 25th, 2020 from 5 – 6pm virtually. It is mandatory to have at least two representatives present for the full duration of the meeting. Additionally, there will be mandatory training videos leadership of your organization must watch. A staff member from the CLI will reach out to you soon with more information about training and resources.

To accept your preliminary approval status, you must







#### Icebreakers

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- Name + Year
- Tell us about your ideal self as a frog. What is your frogsona
- How big does the world's largest frog grow, and how heavy is it

(Optional) How do you view the current state of Origami - do you categorize it as a fine art? Is complexity and representation a growing detriment to the art? What are your opinions on the higher technologicalization of the art as a whole?



#### • Name + Year

- How deep is the deepest sinkhole?
  - BONUS: Where is it?
- What is your favorite campus bathroom?

- 1. Name & Year
- 2. Meow
- 3. What is Garfield's ethnicity?
- 4. Who is the best cat?
  - 1. Name & Year
  - 2. What's something you learned (about origami, or about something else) this year?
  - 3. How many gallons of LIQUID water in the ocean?

#### Pick Up Lines Ice Breakers

- 1. Name and Year
- 2. What is the least romantic gift you could give someone?
- 3. Why are origamists the most attractive people in existence?
- In what year did Saint Valentine die?
- Bonus: Tell Andy what is the name and phone number of the smartest, kindest, most attractive single woman you know

- Name and Year
- If you were in charge of picking a new face for the \$100 bill, who or what would you choose?
- How much is the SJÄLSIGT at IKEA?

#### Name & Year

- 2. Is that camera on?
- 3. How much does a human eyeball weigh?

#### - Name and Year

- What do you think of kung fu panda!
- What is the tensile and compressive strength of bamboo in PSI (pounds per square inch)?





## **Collaborative Origami**









## Community











## Kuvia

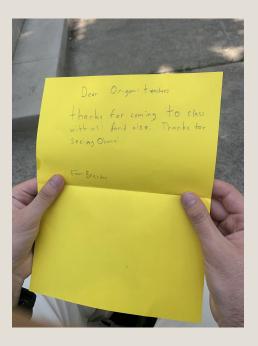








# Teaching





### Showcases









### **Continued Leadership**









## Speakers

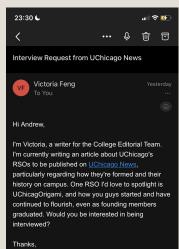


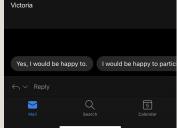


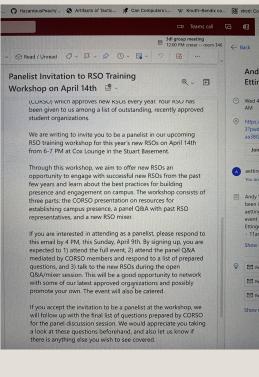




## Recognition









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Questions or comments?