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When Jay had a bad day at his advertisement job recently, he decided that it was time for him to go about exploring more of his creative side. Besides his main job as a data analyst he has also worked for an art gallery in Hong Kong and as a writer. If it wasn't for the demands of his mother, he would have chosen to study psychology instead of law. The themes of his art closely connect subjects of cognitive psychology and philosophy. He considers his own mind to be his one single research subject- love being his favorite topic. After an exhausting break-up he is currently treating himself to an art-therapy at the Institute für alles Mögliche in Wedding, mainly spending his days here thinking. Jay is obsessed with decision making and prediction. He says that to him, it would mean great failure to make the same mistake twice based on a lack of attention. All of this leads him to take artistic notes, steadily trying to reconstruct paths and structures of his own thoughts.