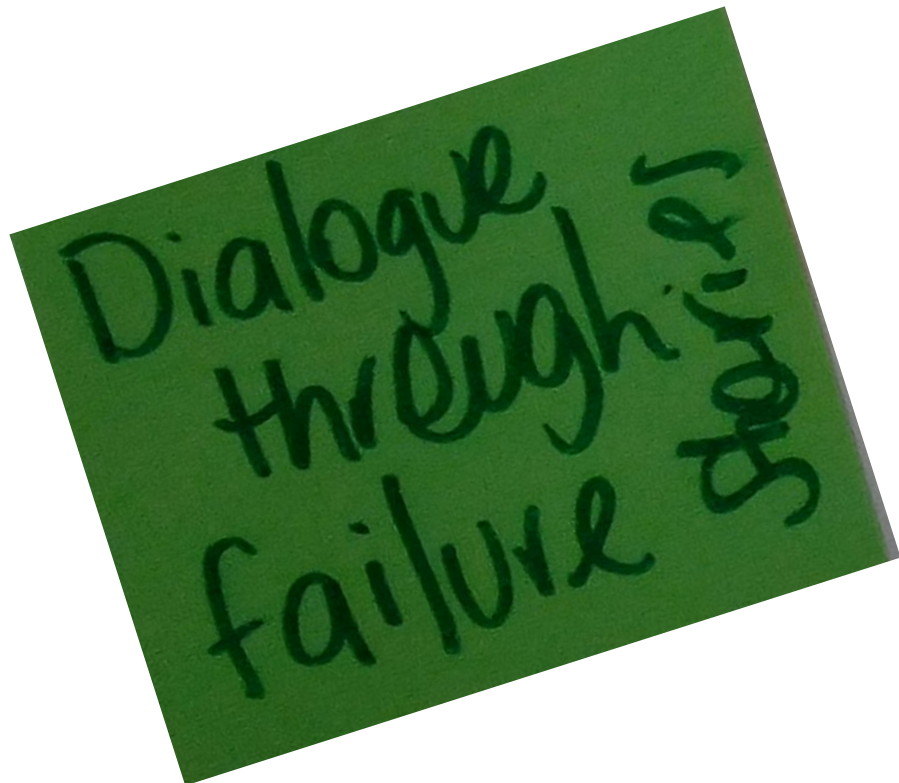


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## We Fail Prototype

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## We Fail..We fix it! Life without filters...

### Current learning system challenges

The project addresses the following aspects of the current learning systems:

- Lack of communication and dialogue between the community and the university
- Increase competition inside the university sphere and in the employment fields
- Growing market demand of students/workers able to change and update their competences
- Escalation of the debilitating fear of failing among students

### Project ideas

The project poses at the centre the questions:

- Can we learn from our mistakes? Can we accept them as a way of learning?
- How can we support students in overcoming their fear of failing?
- In which ways can we share what we learn from failing?

The idea is to create a social platform that empowers curious humans to reach their potential taking the risk of learning and experimenting new pathways without being afraid of judgment and failing. On the opposite, the idea is to present failing inevitable component of the learning process that might help us to understand and enlarge our views and perspectives.



**Figure 1:** The 5 members of the workinggroup during the workshop.

### How

Stories are a old, powerful tool to enable change. The social platform will offer a “room” for sharing stories of failures and to reflect on how overcoming them provided opportunities of learning and growing.



**Figure 2:** 4 of the 10 interviewees telling their falling’s history, with the work flow on the right of the figure.

The platform will contains videos of interviews to people of different backgrounds and experiences. The interviewees will be asked to answer to the following three questions:

- Have you failed?
- What did you learn from it?
- If you could, what advice will give to yourself during that period of time of failure or to someone who is now living a similar failure?

When possible, contacts will be provided to the users so that they could reach out to those who have inspired them.

### Impacts

When we fail, it is great to find someone that can offer us inspiration, ideas and support. In addition, just being aware that there is “no shame in failing” could give confidence and support the acceptance of the risk of failing.

*But...this is already out there...<https://fuckupnights.com> “Stories About Failure”.  
Apologize we have been failed :)*

