

DAT 553-EXPERIMENTAL MEDIA LABS STICKERS

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Research topic-Forensic architecture

- the research topic I chose was forensic architecture. This website focuses on demonstrating crimes committed all over the world and creating a visual reaction of events as to inform the public of their existence. ALAN Woo the designer and developer of the website as said that one of his tasks is “investigating state and corporate violence” - Woo, A. , *About, Forensic architecture*. This means there are many examples of police and government crimes that have been committed against the public of which the parties involved were able to get away with no conviction or lighter sentences. Forensic Architecture wants some accountability to be taken by these parties and these posts hope to make that come to be
- a lot of the crimes being committed are on protesters all over the world by police. Whether these are physical harm, tracking, arresting or exploiting protesters are trying to be scared out of having a voice. The idea for my stickers is to inform/teach these protesters how to take care with their information and data to defend themselves from governments and organisations tracking them. Being found out in places such as Russia and China can lead to being imprisoned so this is important information.

1.28 THE ENFORCED DISAPPEARANCE OF THE AYOTZINAPA STUDENTS



1.12 THE KILLING OF NADEEM NAWARA AND MOHAMMED ABU DAHER



1.60 POLICE BRUTALITY AT THE BLACK LIVES MATTER PROTESTS



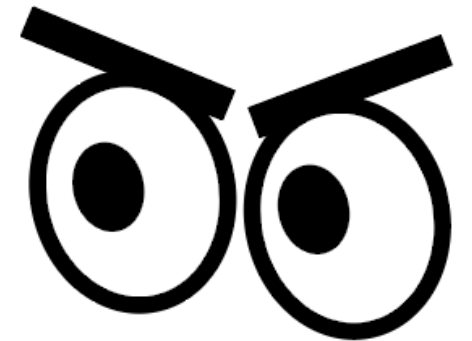
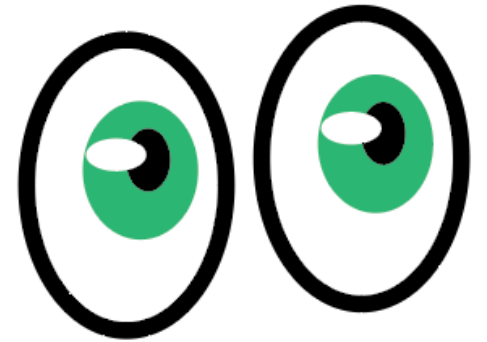
-Examples of police violence on forensic architecture

Name: The protesters pals

The idea behind the protesters pals is to have characters that can convey tips to help protesters keep their identity and digital information safe. It's also information that journalists like the ones in forensic architecture should follow as researching into covered up topic can lead to being tracked. "The protestors pals" hope to help with that,

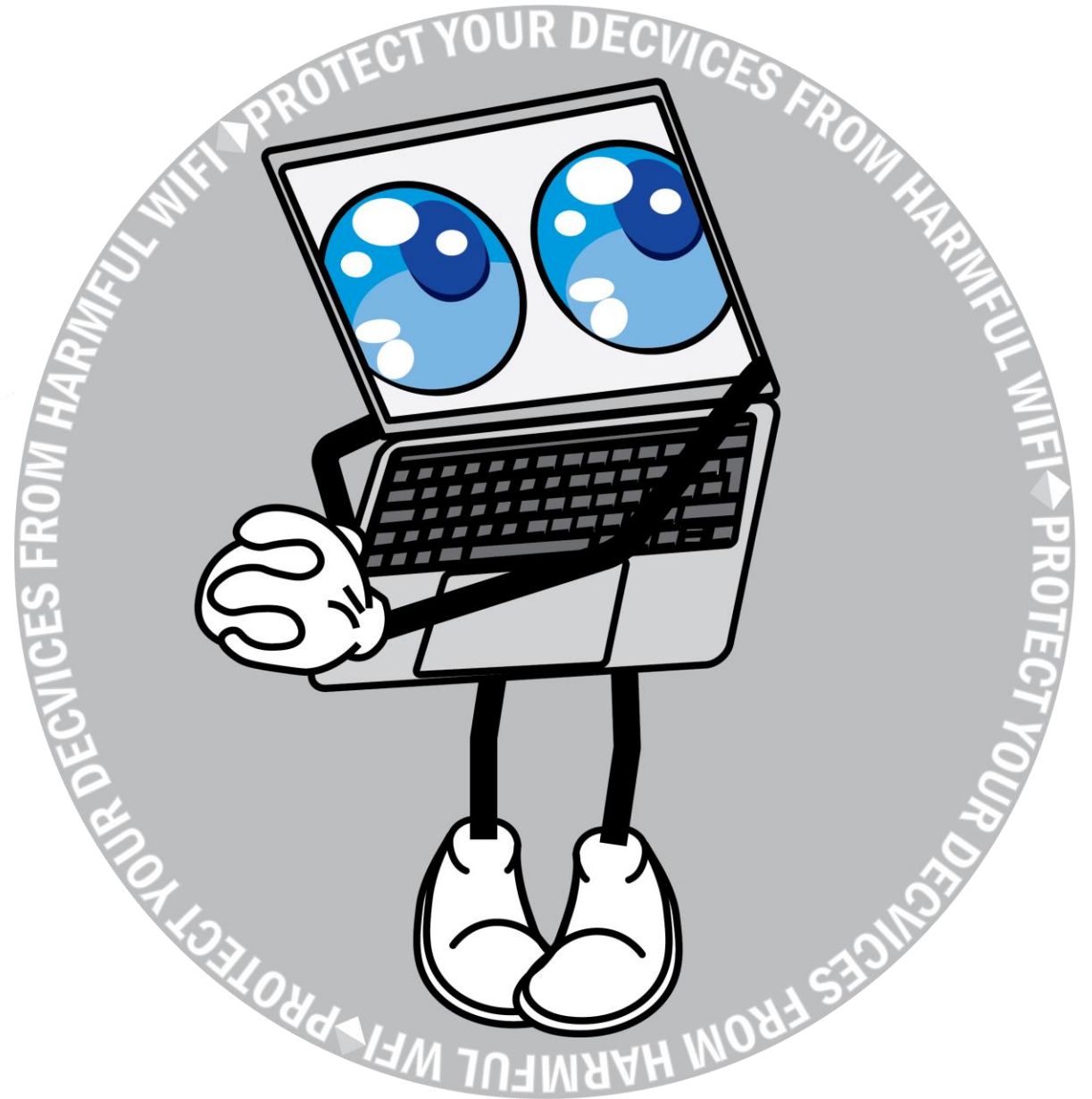
Design choices

I have chosen to go for a rubber hose style form of cartoon for my designs. This is to be able to convey the messages the stickers without causing fear or paranoia. Another design choice is that any character that's dangerous will have black and white eyes were as helpful characters will have coloured. This is a visual aid for who's on which side



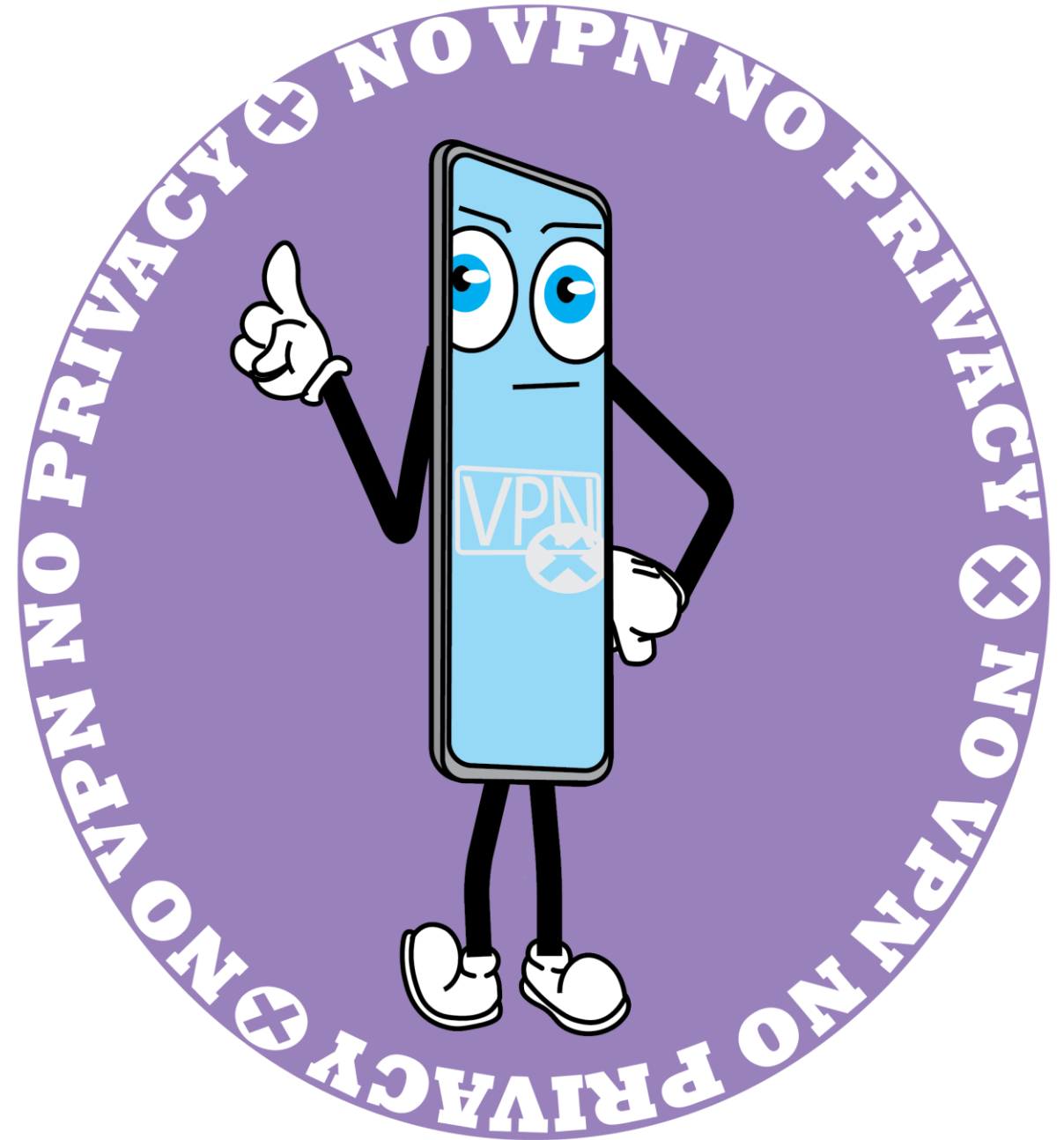
Wi-Fi protection

A reminder that unsecure
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and rip your data



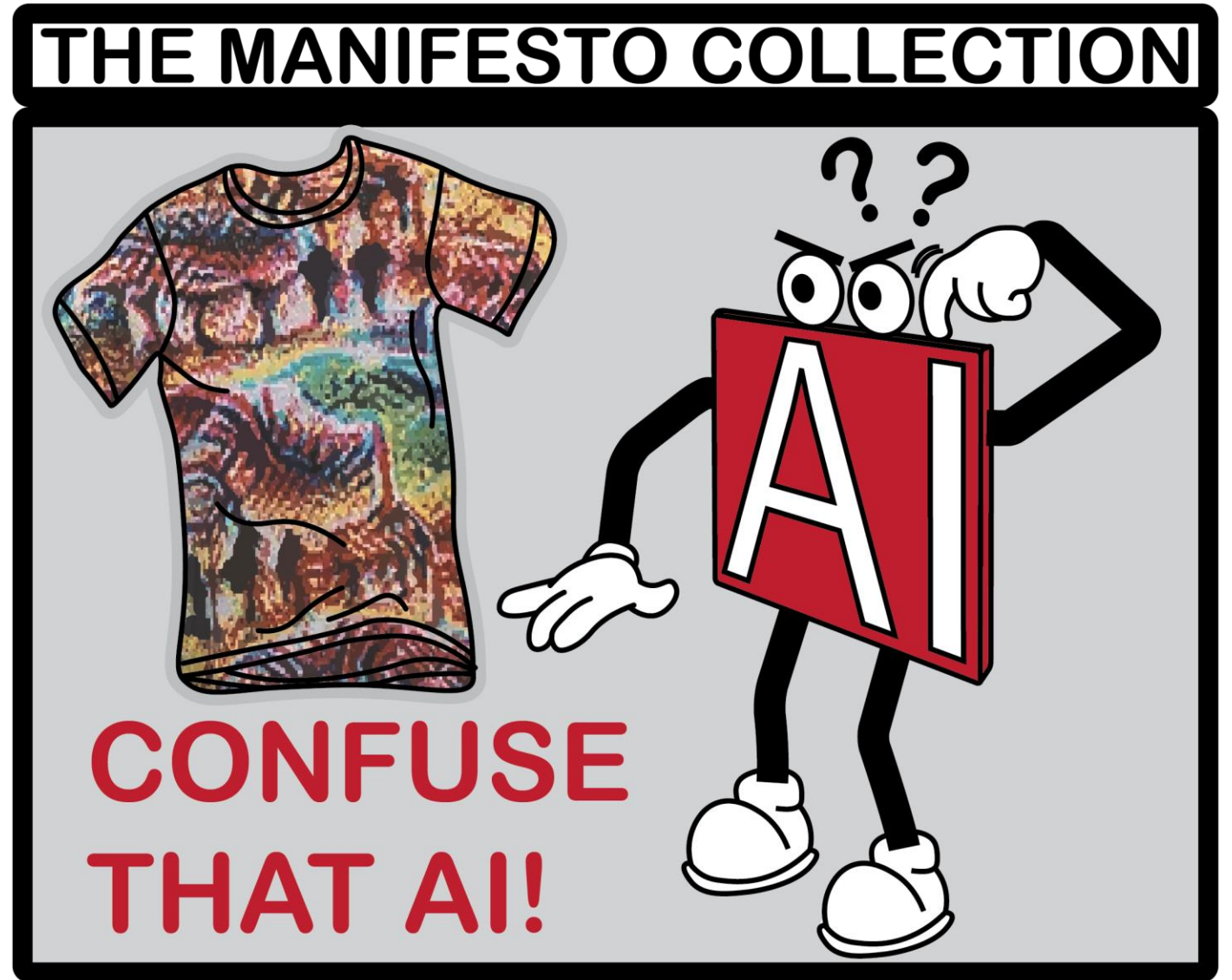
VPNY VPNS?

Any VPNS? In country's with censorship laws citizens must use VPNS to see the news as well as hide their searches from the government

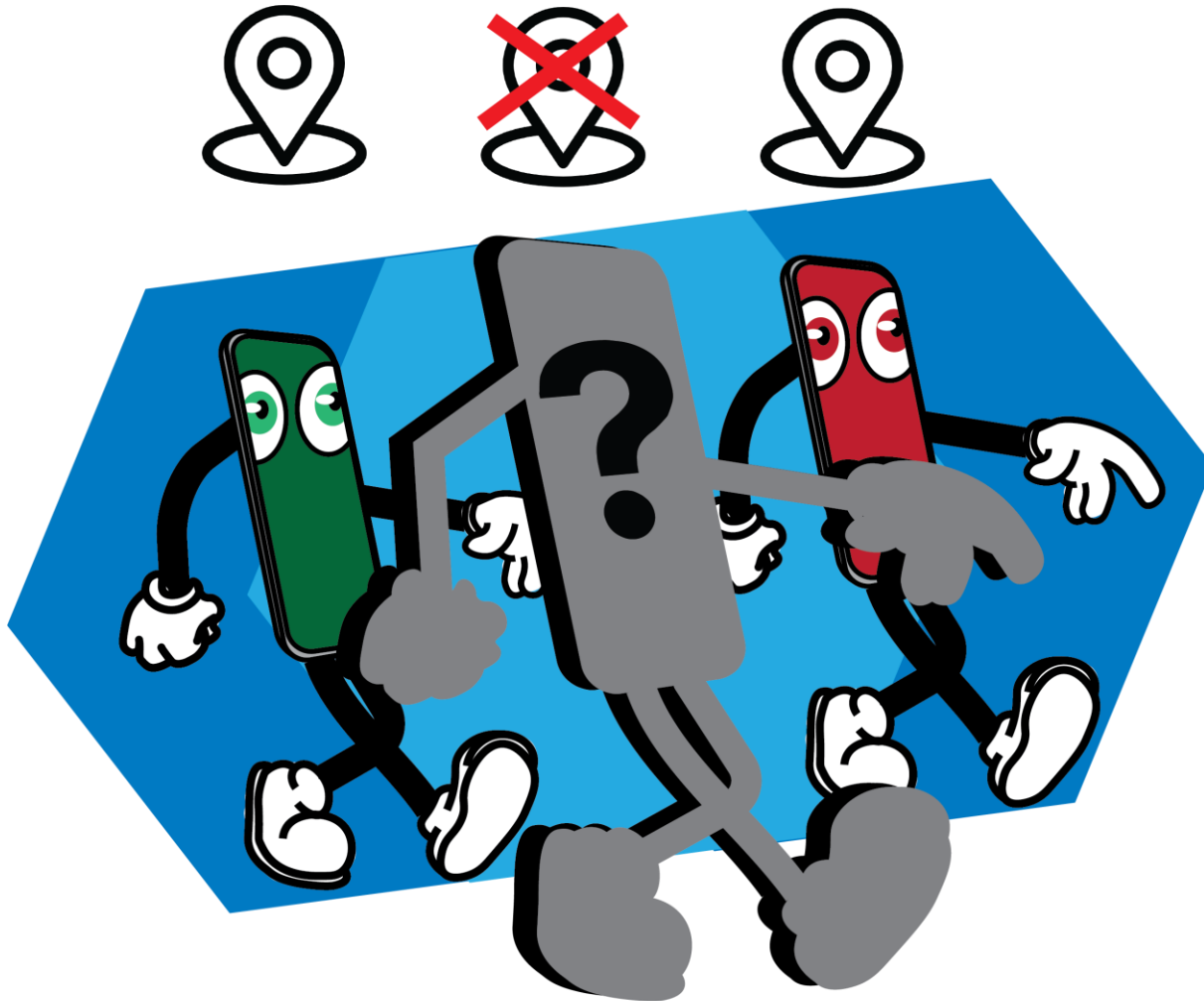


AI defense

A demonstration of the useful designs from “The Manifesto Collection” Aswell as other designs that interfere with AI scans



Location reminder

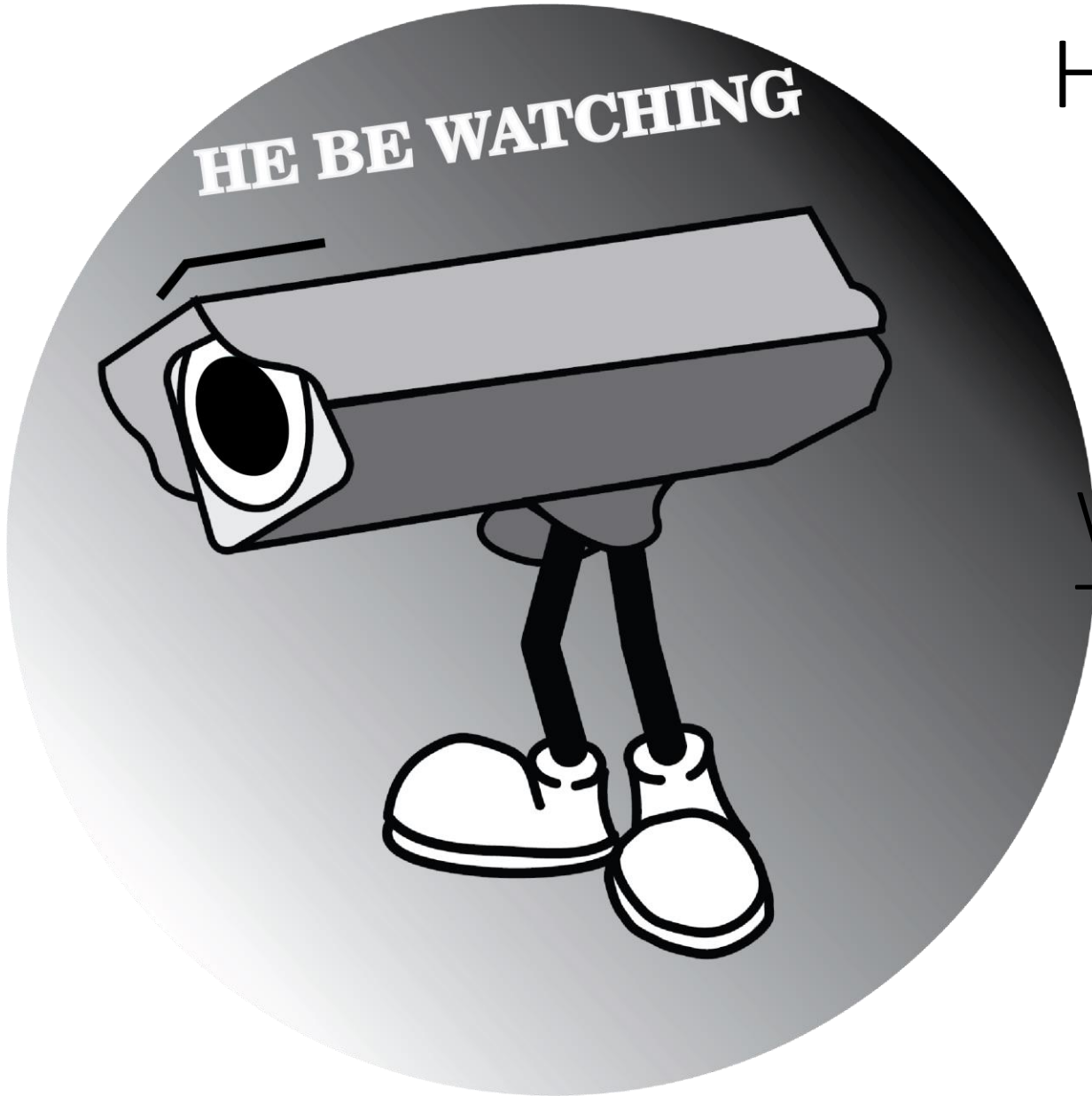


IS YOUR LOCATION ON?

A reminder to any protesters that if their location is on they can be tracked.

He do be watching

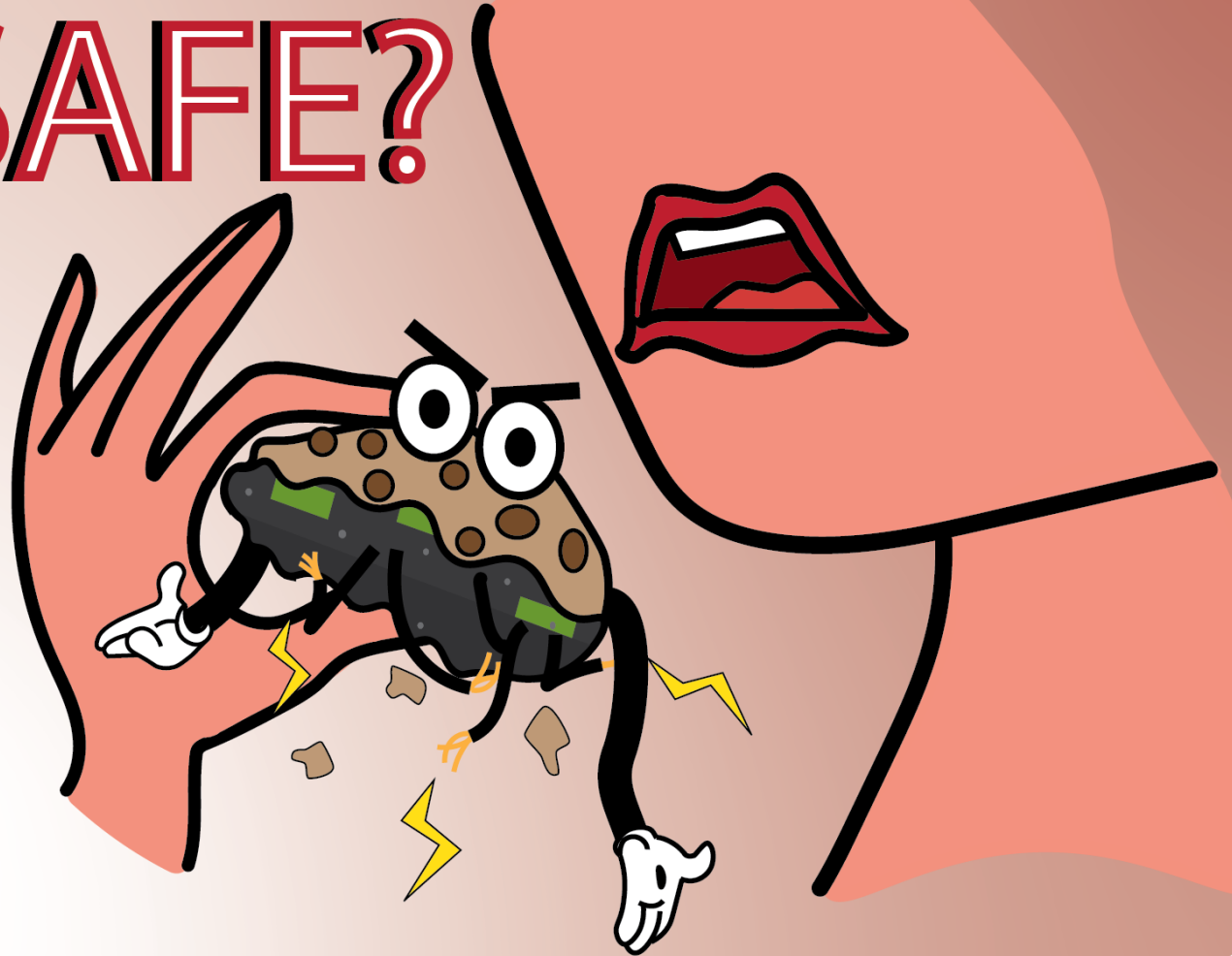
What's he looking at
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Cookie caution

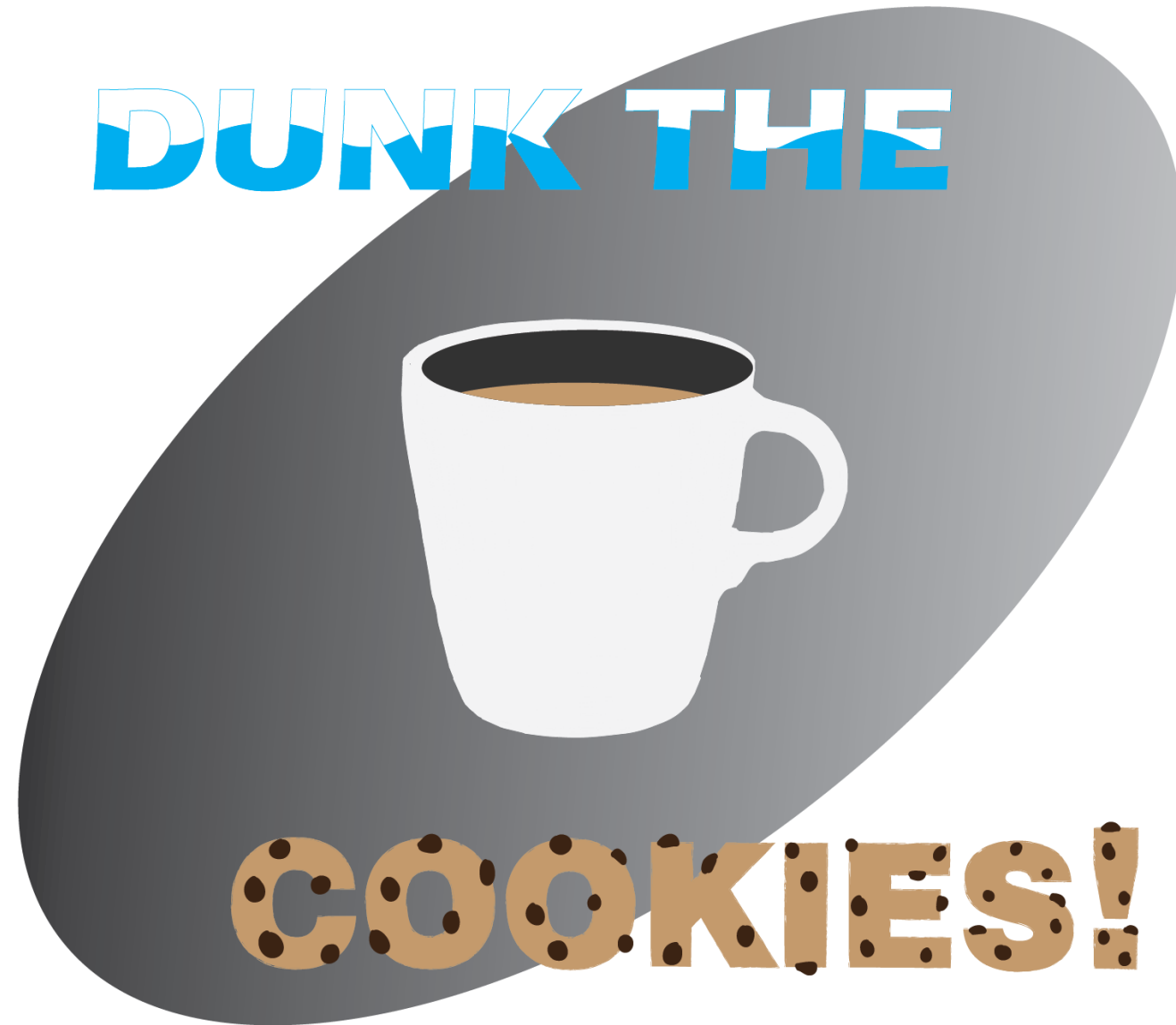
This stickers tells the audience that not all the cookies or there web browsers are safe as some can be used to track you.

**ARE YOUR COOKIES
SAFE?**



Put the cookie down

A reminder that not all cookies are good for your device.



Identity squid



This stickers shows the user that not every website they use is run by its stated organiser

Data collector

A cctv camera based on the WW1 recruitment poster featuring lord kitchener. This was done for comedic affect aswell as informing how many cctv cameras record people in public and sell the data to companies



App choices

These two apps are shown “deleting” message. This is to show that apps that delete there messages can help with organising protests without messages being found out



Link to my stickers

- https://signal.art/addstickers/#pack_id=a3f8b6821e215cfc1c329038c8884084&pack_key=c963b3d0d6443b8afaedfe3f0e1c8464ede1e5a4fdb41bbc97a20e52eebbd863