## new media / track(s) - serious gaming / creative exploration(s)

- story form(s) / analysis / quest(s) / protagonist(s)
- narrative(s) pattern(s) / scenario(s) / experience(s)
- game(s) design(s) / mechanic(s) / dynamic(s) / space(s)
- application(s) context / design / navigation / element(s)
- serious game(s) example(s) / mission(s) / target(s) / criteria
- workflow & technology collaboration(s) / engine(s)
- resource(s) interactive video / game development

 $play \ / \ create(s) \ / \ math \ / \ gamification(s) \ / \ story \ / \ topic(s) \ / \ cycle(s)$ 

## elaboration(s) - beginner(s) vs expert(s)

- beginner(s): trick(s)
  - lack of imagination, structure, closure, knowledge of allusion(s)
  - poor use of technology, story storyboards, interaction graphs
  - naive in (game/story) patterns & interaction mechanics
  - rely on aspiration, talent, cleverness and ability
  - get stuck in cliches, self-indulgence, if not arrogance
- expert(s): craft/trade
  - mastery in (digital) rethorics (i.e rules) and interaction style
  - advanced use of technology in relation to content and style
  - reflection(s) on application context, meta-readings
  - strive for inspiration, reaching their audience, appropriate targets
  - try to direct their talent(s), be original, and realize their ideals

## level(s) of achievement -law(s) of style

- economy efficiency of means / mechanism(s)
- simplicity sincerity: adequate expression / organic unity
- sequence composition: exposition & progression(s)
- **climax** progression(s): emotional involvement
- variety sincerity: contrast(s) & entertainment

from principles of success in literature<sup>1</sup>.

## critical appraisal(s) - phrase(s) of judgement

- negative: boring, ...
- positive: awesome, cool, unreal, ...

**remark(s)** in creative application there is always a notion of the *beginners mind* and the need to *unlearn* given skills, in order to arrive at an original approach.

 $<sup>^1</sup> www.gutenberg.org/catalog/world/readfile?fk\_files=1476669\&pageno=1$