the problem(s)

Group dynamics can become stressful when one or more person cannot make it to a meeting (in studio)

Professors (and group members) can become offended when others are slightly late

Some people can’t make it to studio at all

Video
solution: mirror

focused mostly on the collaboration aspect

a glanceable interface that only appears when student is absent

can be used for group work and access of process files/notes
solution: mirror

Ideas considered but removed:

desktop keyboard—unimplemented due to lack of feedback
controlling screen with gestures—there was no good reason for it
more detailed locations—complications with privacy settings.

Tried to make interactions as simple as possible—it should be about the studio as a learning environment, so some of the interfaces and interactions shouldn’t be so in-the-way.
future implementations

How to extend this more for of an attendance format?

Collaborations between those in different places?
(ie, different schools, cities, countries)

A wider system: can more different parts of the studio represent various functions of the platform? (viewing documents vs editing)