

# Self-regulated study

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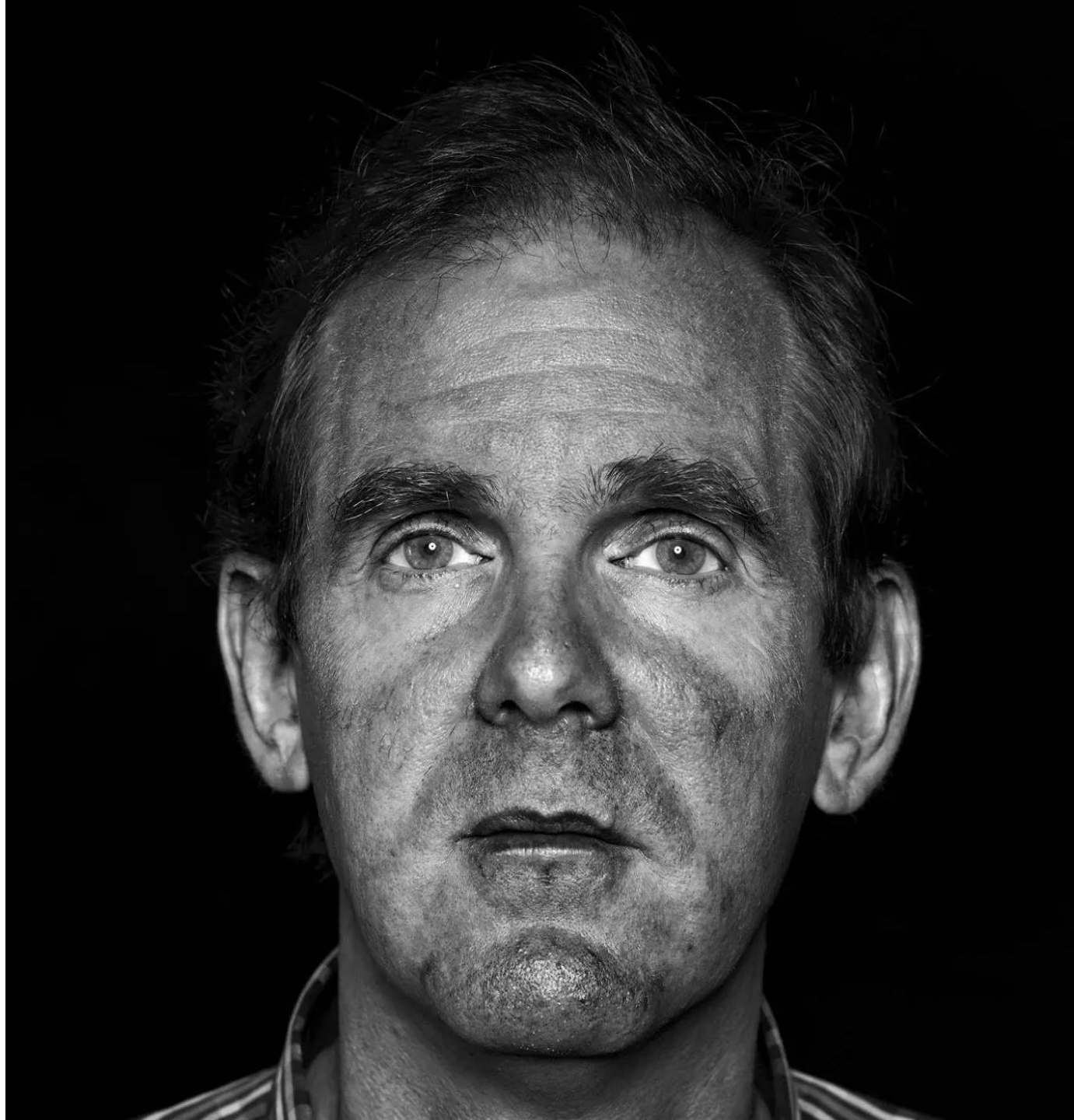
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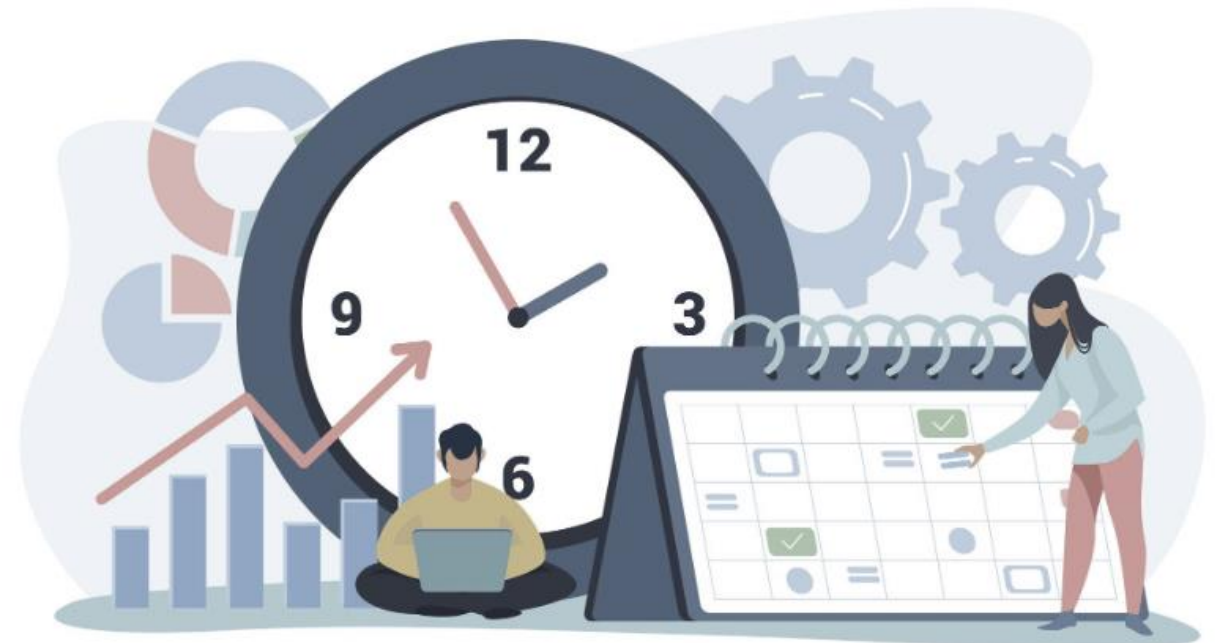
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# Self-Regulated studying a new challenge within Thomas More

- Upcomming: institutional review
  - External audit
  - Government & NVAO (Dutch & Flemish Accrediting Organisation)
  - Past:
    - Each program gets reviewed over time
  - Nowadays:
    - Universities have their own quality processed
    - Quality process is reviewed every 6 years at hand of some programs

# Self-Regulated studying a new challenge within Thomas More

- Upcoming: institutional review
  - Quality process
    - Continual process
      - Checkup on regular basis of the different programs (Educational Mirror)
      - New Initiatives to
        - Improve the programs
        - Improve study efficiency of studying/learning
          - Since February: pilot Self-regulated study

# Self-Regulated studying a new challenge within Thomas More

- Self-regulated learning as students easily have problems with ...
  - Taking (the right) initiative
  - Planning
  - Structuring
  - Review material at home

# My reasons independent of Thomas More

- Self-regulated learning as students easily have problems with ...
  - Associate degree students (short cycle // 2 years)
    - Don't like theory and prefer hands-on
    - Mostly waiting for the practical labs during lecture
  - How to provide education when going abroad?
    - Self-regulated studying could be a solution

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- The approach is implemented from 2 viewpoints
  - Learn to study
  - Force to study



# Self-regulated learning in practice

- From the startup of the programs coaching is provided:
  - How to plan studying
  - How to prepare for exams
  - Discussions on progress
    - In group
    - In person

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- Problems when only coaching
  - Some students overestimate themselves
  - It is advisory → students cannot be forced
  - Effort @ home is minimal

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- Forcing the student to study
  - The student has to take initiative to reach something
  - Attending a lecture can't be enough
  - 'Flip the classroom' (as one seems to call it)

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- Flip the classroom
  - video presentations which should be reviewed and studied at home
  - Regular course materials (such as the presentation) are also available
  - Next session
    - ☞ Q&A and feedback on course material
    - ☞ Test (to force them reviewing) which counts for permanent evaluation
    - ☞ Practice makes perfect
  - Intermediate discussion
    - ☞ Has their learning method improved with this method?

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- Reason for this approach
  - Information sources evolve
    - Books from libraries
    - Searching internet for documentation (Google is your friend?)
    - **Video tutorials**
    - AI related tools (chat GPT etc)

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- Current status

- Video presentations

- Sere appreciated by students

- Some didn't take it very serious (cfr tests)

- Tests were not provided yet

- Education services posed the question whether you can use these tests for permanent evaluation

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- In addition

- Blended IP's

- Experience

- Students like this type of international collaborations

- Students broaden their international skill and gain maturity

- Students want to be successfully

- Success only comes with a headache – Anssi Iconen

# Self-regulated learning in practice

- Slide added last night
  - Video presentations
    - Maybe also a bit too passive
  - Alternatively AI?
    - AnythingLLM providing course my content
    - Assign tasks to students where
      - they have to gather specific information with the AnythingLLM environment



# Thanks!



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