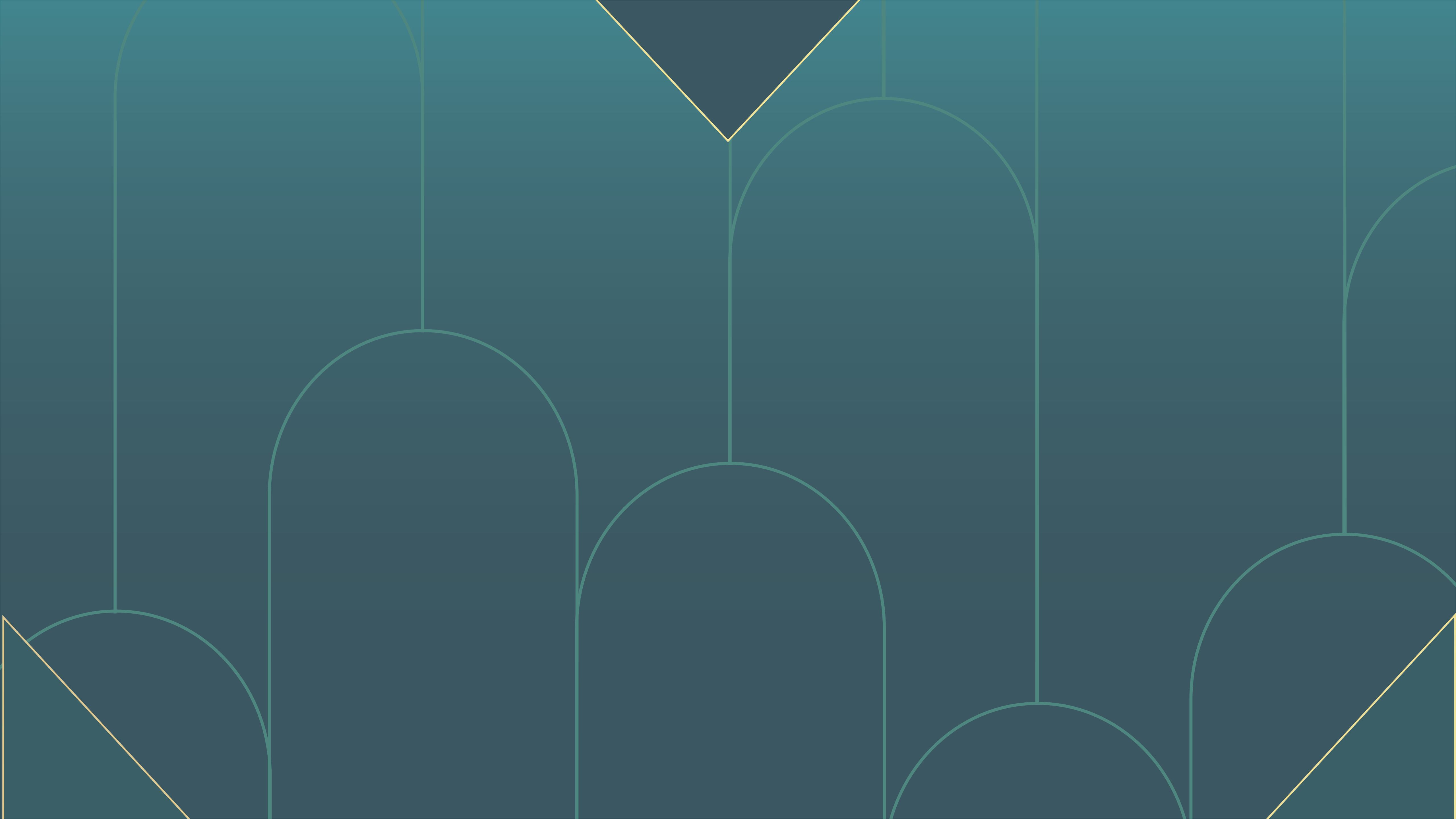
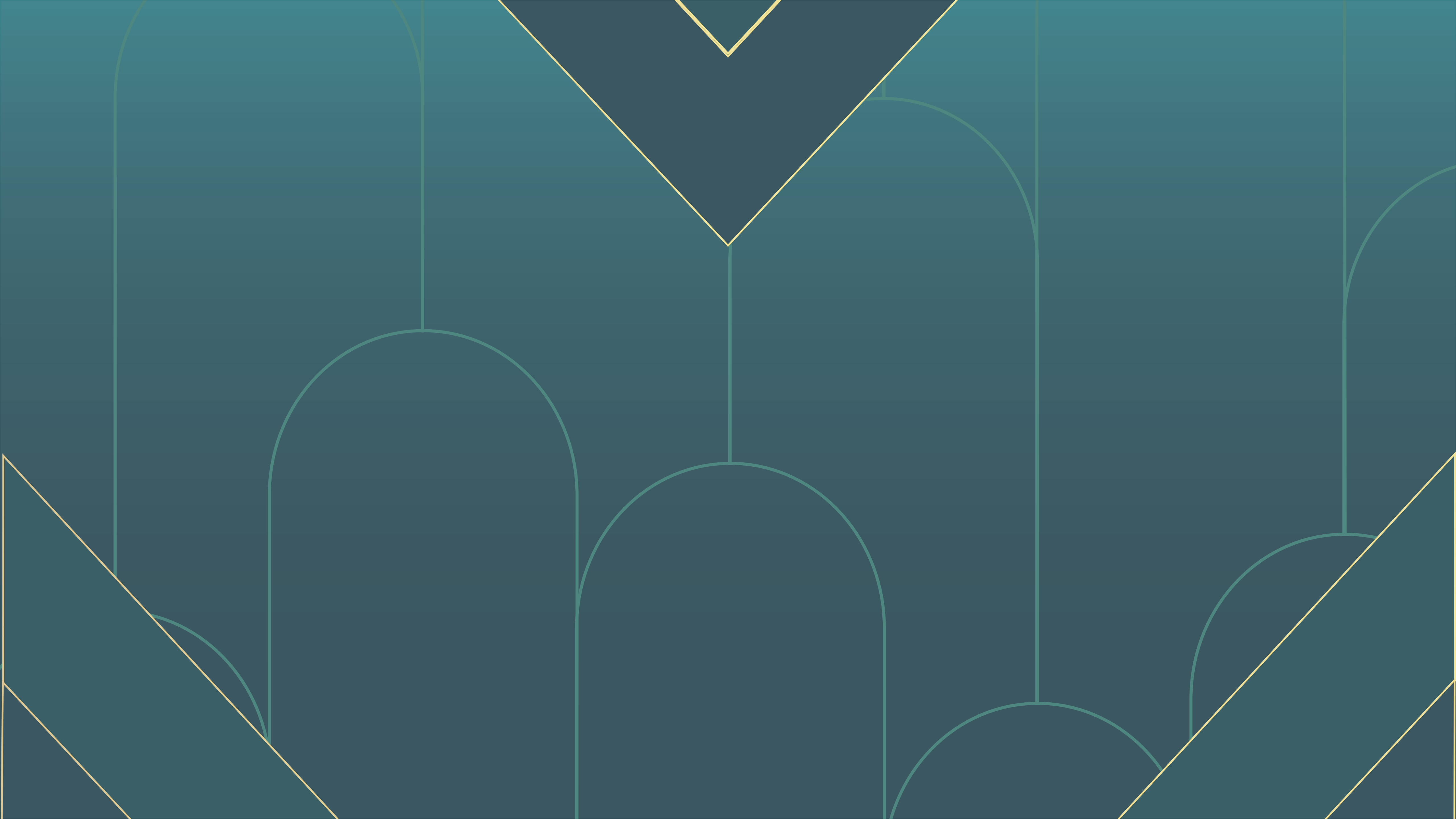


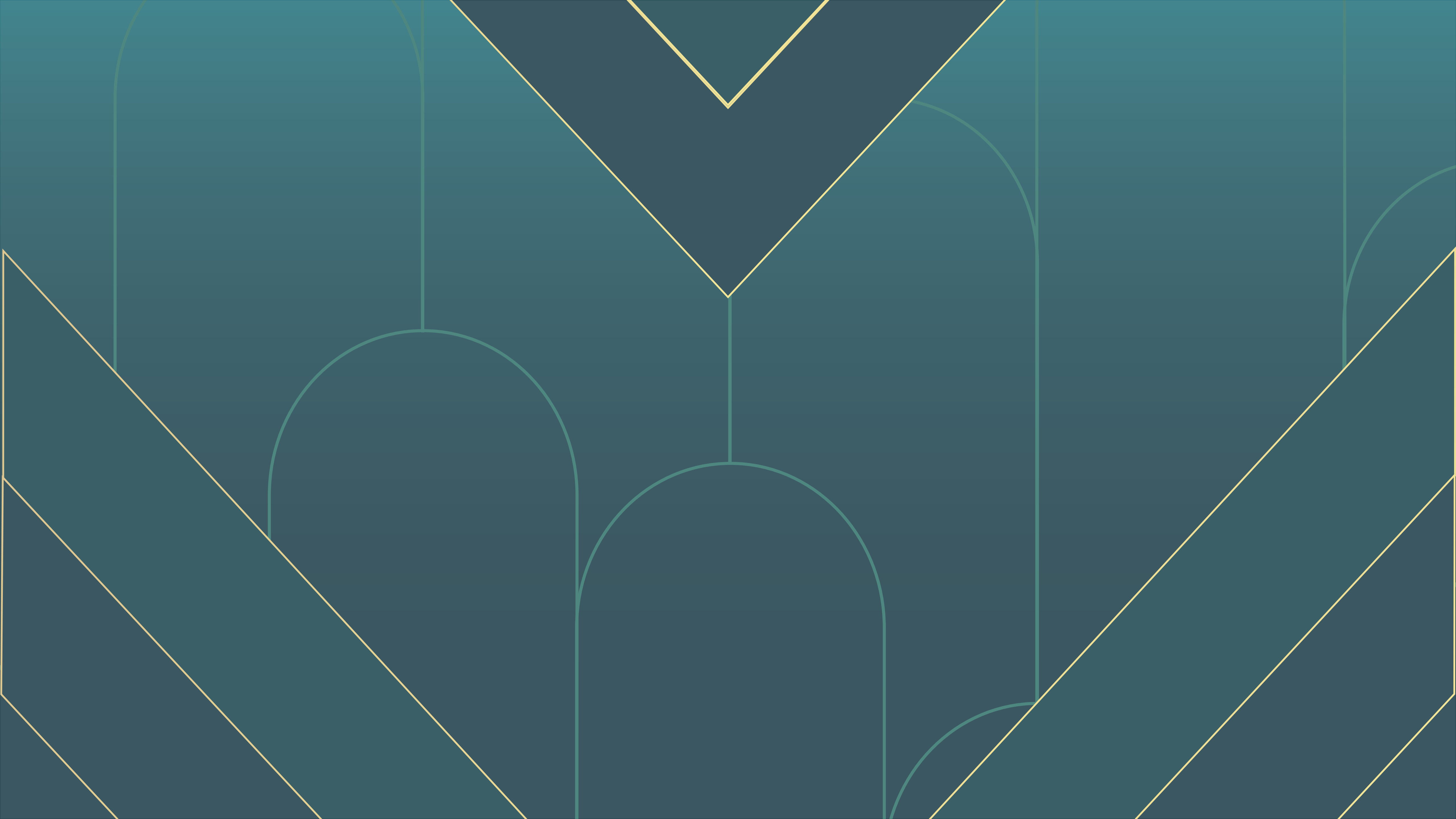
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Each page is meant to be read, separately, like presentation sheets.
No scrolling! Use the arrows, maybe?

Enjoy !:







The image features a teal background with a complex geometric pattern of thin, light-colored lines. The pattern includes various shapes such as triangles, circles, and arches, creating a modern, architectural feel. In the center, the word "BANQUET" is written in a light, sans-serif font. The text is flanked by two horizontal lines, each ending in a small circle, resembling a decorative flourish or a stylized "O" shape.

BANQUET



BANQUET

The image features a teal background with a complex geometric pattern of gold lines. The pattern includes a large inverted 'V' shape at the top, several vertical lines, and various curved and diagonal lines that create a sense of depth and structure. The word 'BANQUET' is centered in a gold, serif font. On either side of the word, there is a horizontal gold line with a small circle at its end, resembling a decorative flourish or a stylized '10'.

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The image features a teal background with intricate gold geometric patterns. These patterns consist of various lines, arcs, and shapes that create a sense of depth and architectural structure. The word "BANQUET" is centered in a gold, serif font. On either side of the word, there is a horizontal line with a small circle at its end, resembling a decorative flourish or a pointer.

BANQUET

The image features a teal background with a repeating pattern of light teal arches and vertical lines. The word "BANQUET" is centered in a light teal, serif font. On either side of the word, there is a horizontal line with a small circle at its end, resembling a decorative flourish or a stylized "C" shape. The overall design is clean and modern.

BANQUET

okay. production has cut the animations from now on
they are just *too much x)*

STORY TIME!

ONCE UPON A TIME, IN THE HAPPY LIL SCHOOL OF FINE ARTS WHERE I STUDIED, THERE IS A TRADITION



photo from google

IN THE GRADUATION SHOWS (which are similar to art exhibitions) **IT IS COMMON** (almost a requirement, I dare to say!) **TO**
HAVE A BUFFET WITH SNACKS AND DRINKS FOR THE VISITORS



dall-e made this *phenomenal* image. i asked for "photo realistic" but i guess it's not it's art style 🤖🎨

**EARLY ON, I DECIDED THAT I WANTED TO GIVE MY BUFFET A TWIST...
MAKE IT A LIL BIT MORE.. UNIQUE AND FUN
AND SINCE I LOOOOVE VIDEOGAMES, GAME DEV AND PLAY
I DECIDED TO *FEED* THE AUDIENCE.....**

...don't, ... in all of your stats!



LEMON CHEESECAKE

Three-layered, zingy custard pie dessert. The base is made from crushed cookies. The main layer consists of a smooth, creamy filling topped with lemon curd and fresh forest berries.

43 Creativity 62 Appeal 60
3 Complexity 50 Texture 47

Choose a song and sing it for one minute to gain +5 in the stat you picked. If you don't, lose -5 in all of your stats!



TEA

A flavour, fruity blend of teas bursts with the refreshing taste of raspberry that leaves a rich accompaniment to the black tea.



GINGER LEMONADE

An all time classic refreshing beverage combined with ginger, blending incredibly well with the sourness of the lemon. Can be served with spearmint leaves for additional flavour and aroma.

Aroma 59 Creativity 65 Appeal 63
Flavor 38 Complexity 47 Texture 31

Chic

If a piece of your attire matches your appetiser's main colour, select one player and that player has to pick another stat.



STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE

A tender shortcake, filled with juicy strawberries and topped with soft whipped cream frosting. The sweet taste of the fluffy cake and the fresh strawberries shine in this delicious summer dessert.

Aroma 51 Creativity 37 Appeal 67
Flavor 57 Complexity 39 Texture 66

Flirty

Hold hands with your opponent for a minute to do an additional round with your banned stat values. If the act is successful, the highest value wins, otherwise...

Flavor 68 Creativity 56 Appeal 36
Complexity 49 Texture 59

Hilarious

Make your opponent laugh! The winner gets to pick another stat to do an additional round with it. You have one minute.



CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES

Chewy cookies with a flawless buttery texture that feature chocolate morsels as their distinguishing ingredient. The warm aroma of the freshly baked dough gives away a feeling of nostalgia.

Aroma 68 Creativity 32 Appeal 42
Flavor 59 Complexity 33 Texture 62

If a piece of your attire matches your appetiser's main colour, select one player and that player has to pick another stat.



CARROT CUPCAKE

Incredibly moist and slightly spiced mini cakes topped with white cream cheese frosting and sprinkled with candied ginger. The carrots add a freshness resulting in this lighter and healthier dessert alternative.

Aroma 53 Creativity 60

Small, individual portions with savoury garnish, not only delicious but the and elegant aesthetic to the eye.

Aroma 33 Creativity
Flavor 32 Complexity

Snappy

Start a Staring Contest with your opponent. You can have as long as you like. The winner gets to pick to do an additional round.



COCOA

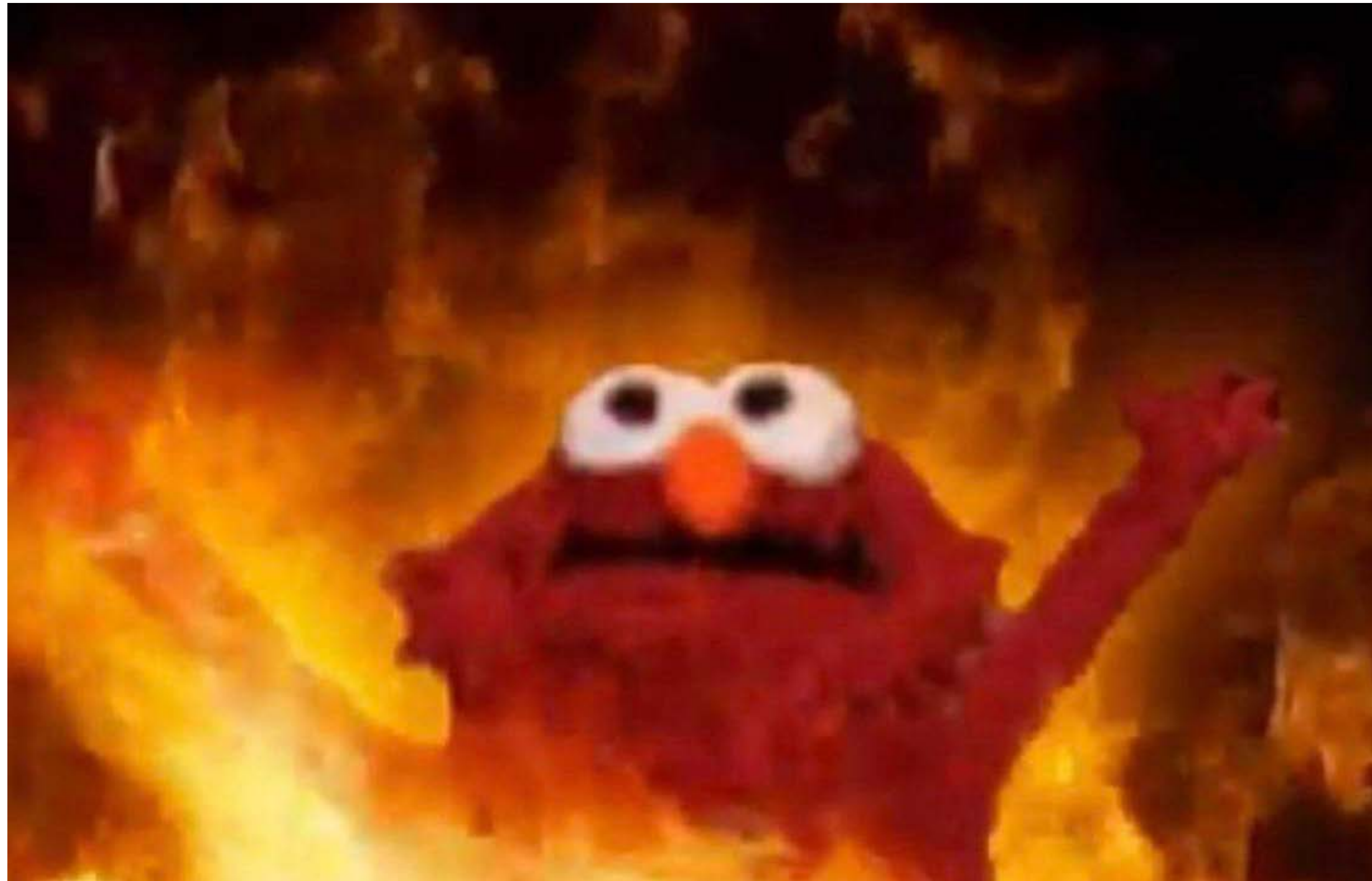
A thick bodied, aromatic hot cocoa enjoyed with dipped marshmallows and whipped cream on top. The melted chocolate used for the blend releases notes of heat that emerge once in the mouth.

Aroma 63 Creativity 47 Appeal
Flavor 37 Complexity 44 Texture

Distant

optional - Go to a corner and get into a debate with yourself for a minute. If you do it, your opponent suffers -10 points in all their stats.

AND THUS BANQUET (the demo)



WAS BORN.

IT IS A GAME SIMILAR TO TOP-TRUMPS, FEATURING FOODS AND DRINKS

IT WAS SPECIFICALLY DESIGNED FOR SOCIAL EVENTS



CARROT CUPCAKE

Incredibly moist and slightly spiced mini cakes topped with white cream cheese frosting and sprinkled with candied ginger. The carrots add a freshness resulting in this lighter and healthier dessert alternative.

Aroma **53** Creativity **60** Appeal **32**
Flavor **48** Complexity **31** Texture **62**

Distant

• optional • Go to a corner and get into a debate with yourself for a minute. If you do it, your opponent suffers -10 points in all their stats.



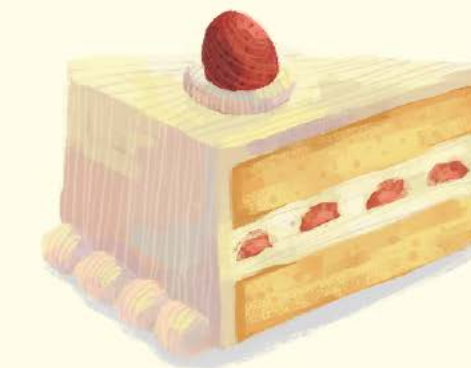
LEMON CHEESECAKE

A three-layered, zingy custard pie dessert. The base is made from crushed cookies while the main layer consists of a smooth, tart, creamy filling topped with lemon curd and fresh forest berries.

Aroma **43** Creativity **62** Appeal **60**
Flavor **53** Complexity **50** Texture **62**

Diva

• optional • Choose a song and sing it for a minute to gain +5 in the stat that you picked. If you don't, suffer -5 in all of your stats!



STRAWBERRY SHORTCAKE

A tender shortcake, filled with juicy strawberries and topped with soft whipped cream frosting. The sweet taste of the fluffy cake and the fresh strawberries shine in this delicious summer dessert.

Aroma **51** Creativity **37** Appeal **67**
Flavor **57** Complexity **39** Texture **66**

Flirty

Hold hands with your opponent for a minute to do an additional round with your banned stat values. If the act is successful, the higher value wins, otherwise, the lower one wins.

THE GAME'S GOAL IS TO BREAK THE ICE AMONG GUESTS IN A PLAYFUL MANNER

SINCE THE AUDIENCE ARE NOT EXPECTED TO BE GAMERS, WE DECIDED TO COPY THE GAME MECHANICS OF A POPULAR GAME

RULES

PRE-DUEL PHASE
Guests agree on how many duels they will have and whether the prize will be a random card from the loser's deck or chosen by one of the players.

DUEL PHASE
In the first duel attacker goes first. After that they swap in every duel. Actions are performed and bonuses are applied in the same order.

- 1. Draw card:** Each guest shuffles their deck and draws the top card.
- 2. Ban stat (optional):** Each guest can optionally ban one of the stats.
- 3. Pick stat |** Each guest picks a stat to fight.
 - Both guests can pick the same stat and have an one-round duel.
- 4. Perform specialty:** Each guest performs their specialty and applies the effect.
 - If a specialty is tagged as 'optional' it doesn't need to be executed.
 - If a player has a non-optional specialty, they have to inform their opponent before they execute it.
- 5. Determine winner:** Finally, the chosen stats are compared. The player who has the highest stat number wins the round. The player who has won in most rounds also wins the duel.
 - If both players have the same amount of round wins, the duel ends in draw.

POST-DUEL PHASE
The player who won in most duels is the winner and can get a card from the player who lost (as previously agreed on).

TEA

A strong and rich in flavor, frosty blend of black tea. The brew boasts with the refreshing aroma of vanilla and raspberry that leave a sweet aftertaste which accompanies the strong, outgoing black tea.

Aroma 55 Creativity 49 Appeal 80
Flavor 45 Complexity 39 Texture 57

Sobber

optional Do a model runway walk to shift the rules. The stat with the lower value wins.

rules. booooooring

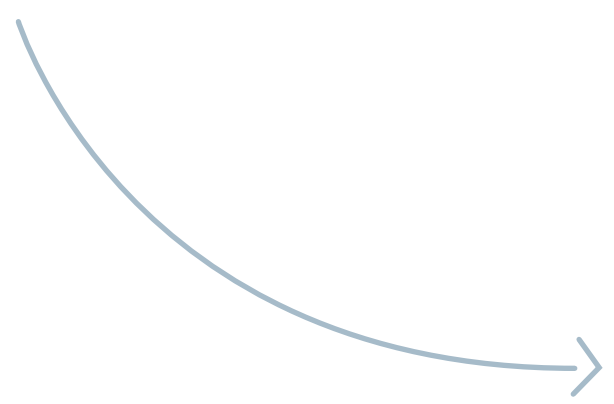
THINKING THAT MOST PEOPLE WOULD HAVE PLAYED A **TOP-TRUMPS** VARIANT WHEN THEY WERE KIDS

OF COURSE, **BANQUET** WOULDN'T HAVE BEEN MADE, OR IT WOULD HAVE BEEN A COMPLETE MESS WITHOUT **YASEN'S** HELP :')

YASEN GREATLY ASSISTED WITH THE GAME DESIGN BY HAVING THE BEST IDEAS ABOUT THE SPECIALTIES

this shows iterations of how strong a card is against another

the algorithm was made by Yasen on google spreadsheets



he also made a cooler one on Unity for fast balancing :o

	Pomegranate Juice	Tea	Coffee	Sour Cream	Potato Chips	Cocktail Sausages	Cocoa	Ginger Lemonade	Carrot Cupcake	Wine	Beer	Chocolate Chip Cookies	Cocktail	Donuts	Strawberry Shortcake	Canapé	Lemon Cheesecake	Fruit Tartlets	Pizza	Apple Pie	Berries Jam Croissant	Cheese Pie	Chocolate Truffles	Steak Sandwich	Total Winning Stats	Average Winning Stats
Pomegranate Juice	0	3	3	3	4	3	2	2	2	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	2	1	2	2	1	50	2,2
Tea	3	0	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	2	2	2	2	2	1	3	2	1	2	2	1	3	54	2,3
Coffee	3	3	0	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	3	2	3	2	2	2	1	1	2	2	2	2	53	2,3
Sour Cream	3	3	3	0	3	3	3	2	3	2	3	3	1	3	3	2	2	1	2	3	2	3	2	2	57	2,5
Potato Chips	2	3	4	3	0	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	2	3	3	2	3	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	60	2,6
Cocktail Sausages	3	3	3	3	3	0	2	3	4	3	2	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	2	2	2	2	3	2	62	2,7
Cocoa	4	3	3	3	3	4	0	3	3	4	3	3	2	3	2	3	2	2	3	2	3	2	2	3	65	2,8
Ginger Lemonade	4	3	3	4	3	3	3	0	3	4	3	3	3	2	4	2	2	2	3	2	2	2	2	3	65	2,8
Carrot Cupcake	4	4	3	3	3	2	3	3	0	3	4	2	3	2	2	3	3	4	3	2	2	2	3	3	66	2,9
Wine	4	3	4	4	4	3	2	2	3	0	3	3	2	3	3	4	2	2	2	2	2	2	2	3	64	2,8
Beer	3	3	4	3	3	4	3	3	2	3	0	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	4	3	2	2	3	68	3,0
Chocolate Chip Cookies	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	4	3	3	0	3	3	3	3	3	3	2	2	3	3	3	2	69	3,0
Cocktail	4	4	3	5	4	3	4	3	3	4	3	3	0	3	2	3	3	2	3	3	2	3	3	2	72	3,1
Donuts	4	4	4	3	3	4	3	4	4	3	3	3	3	0	3	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	2	73	3,2
Strawberry Shortcake	4	4	3	3	3	3	4	2	4	3	4	3	4	3	0	3	4	3	3	3	3	2	4	3	75	3,3
Canapé	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	4	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	0	3	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	73	3,2
Lemon Cheesecake	4	5	4	4	3	3	4	4	3	4	3	3	3	3	2	3	0	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	77	3,3
Fruit Tartlets	5	3	4	5	4	3	4	4	2	4	3	3	4	3	3	3	3	0	3	3	2	3	3	3	77	3,3
Pizza	5	4	5	4	4	4	3	3	3	4	3	4	3	3	3	3	2	3	0	3	4	3	3	3	79	3,4
Apple Pie	4	5	5	3	3	4	4	4	4	4	2	4	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	0	4	3	3	3	81	3,5
Berries Jam Croissant	5	4	4	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	3	3	4	3	3	4	3	4	2	2	0	3	3	3	80	3,5
Cheese Pie	4	4	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	0	3	3	80	3,5
Chocolate Truffles	4	5	4	4	4	3	4	4	3	4	4	3	3	3	2	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	0	3	78	3,4
Steak Sandwich	5	3	4	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	4	4	4	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	3	0	78	3,4

Wait, this is using the values from the Variation II sheet. Shouldn't it be using those from the Actual Values sheet?

N-No... cause they have the same position in relation to the others...? But not sure lel

Also how u doin that nice thing with lines going below instead of stretching throughout the row? xD i don't even remember what we are talking about :`D

HE ALSO MADE AMAZING ALGORITHMS THAT SHOWED WHICH CARDS WERE OP AND HELPED IN PLAYTESTING AND BALANCING STATS!

VISITORS WERE PROMPTED TO TRY THE GAME AND KEEP THEIR FAVOURITE CARDS!
MANY PEOPLE ASSUMED THAT **BANQUET** WAS MY GRADUATION PROJECT :’D :’D
SO IT SEEMS IT APPEARED QUITE POLISHED (◡‿◡)



proud momma :3



I HOPE, THAT ONE DAY WE WILL BE ABLE TO REDESIGN AND IMPROVE THE **GAME MECHANICS
MAYBE MAKE IT A NEW GAME... COMPLETELY DIFFERENT FROM TOP-TRUMPS AND,
PROPERLY RELEASE IT :3**



AND THEY LIVED HAPPILY EVER AFTER

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YOU REACHED THAT FAR? :0
TRUE **CHAMPION** HAHA :’D

THANK YOU FOR READING BANQUET’S STORY!!
NOW, IT IS YOUR TURN TO SHARE THE STORIES BEHIND YOUR FAVOURITE ROJECTS WITH ME!



Coding spells. pixel brews and magical regards
- Anna

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