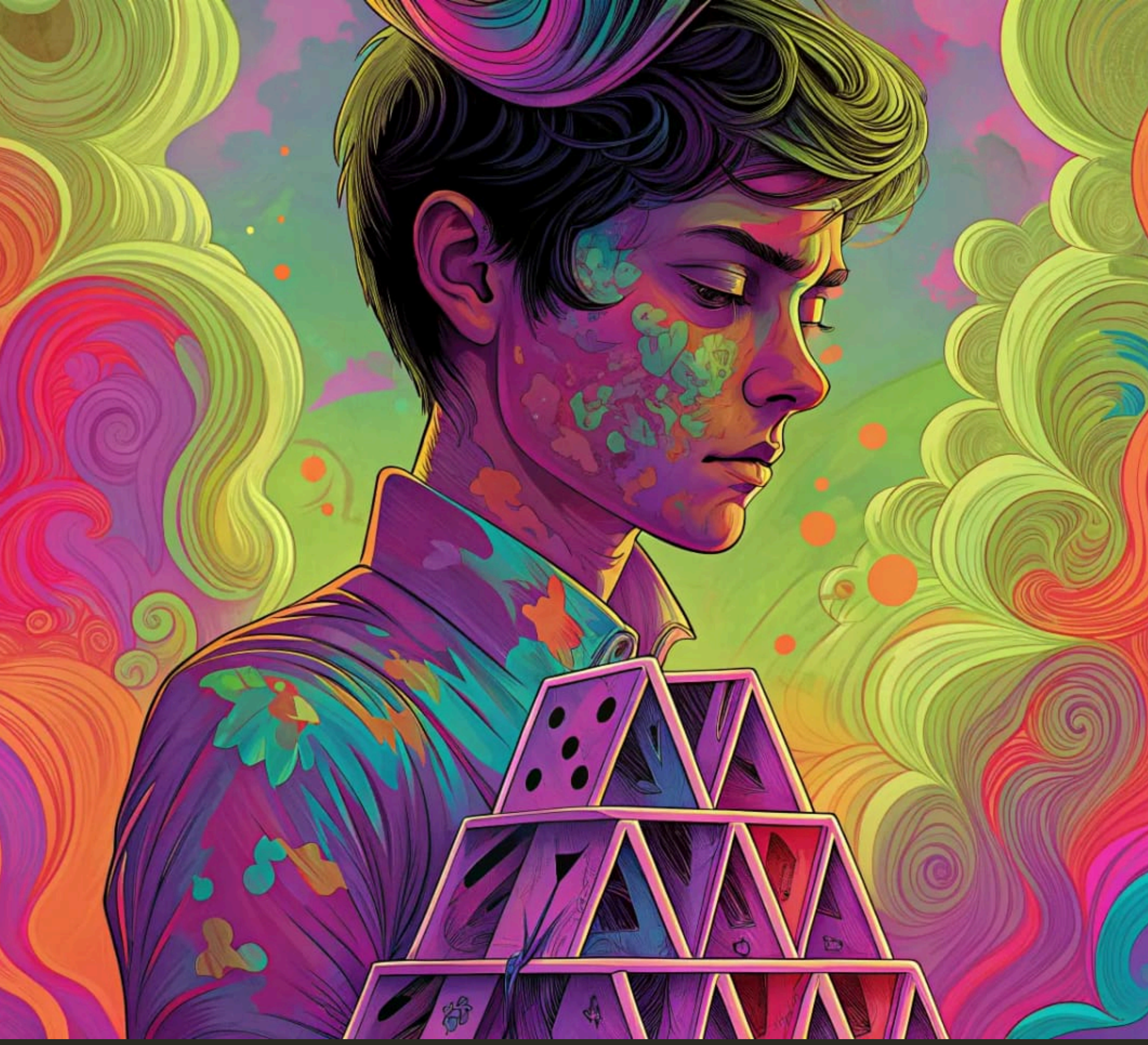
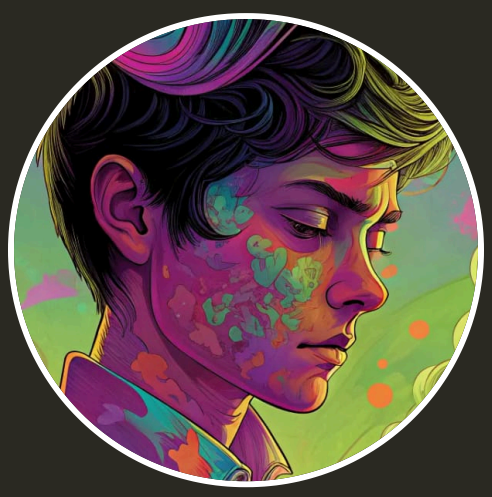


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# Interruptions



“I'm building a house of cards, and your alerts keep opening the window.”

Who this helps: Attention-Deficit Disorder

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# Interruptions

Interruptions can be postponed or suppressed by the user, except interruptions involving an emergency.

Principle 2: Operable

Guideline 2.2: Enough Time

# What each role can do

### Product manager

Minimize or give control over any interruptions like pop-ups, updates, or alerts.

### Designer

Design a UI that lets users control or postpone interruptions.

### Developer

Provide settings for users to customize the frequency and type of interruptions.

### Tester

Test the ability to postpone or turn off interruptions and make sure emergency alerts are an exception.

# Once it is fixed



> “The window stays shut until I'm done. My house of cards and I thank you!”

# WCAG Quotes

Every WCAG 2.2 success criterion, told by the person it helps.

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