

citation

summary :::

citation as an intersectional site :::
a site of exchange

citation as mineralization :::
(photo)synthesis

citation as an alchemy ::: friction adding
noise ::: complicating resonating honoring
marking colliding :::
chemical reactions ::: catalysts
mixing ::: fusion | fray

citation as a summoning conjuring invocation

citation as a resistance ::: a presencing

citation as a dimensional turn :::
creating a space in a flatland (lineland) :::
building a pop-up book space :::
a chordal hymn
nesting | situating | contextualizing

bibliographic space ::: building a world
defining a topology ::: a map
a sense of neighborhood
a near/far metric
holding up the tent
weaving ::: knotting ::: fishing nets

citations as pathway
foothold ladder rung
knot

citations as discrete, articulate, legible,
artifacts of learning | thinking | clambering
| gestalting ::: a lineage :::
a relational join trapeze

citation as resistance to being subsumed by
opaque large language model (LLM)
confirmation-bias machines

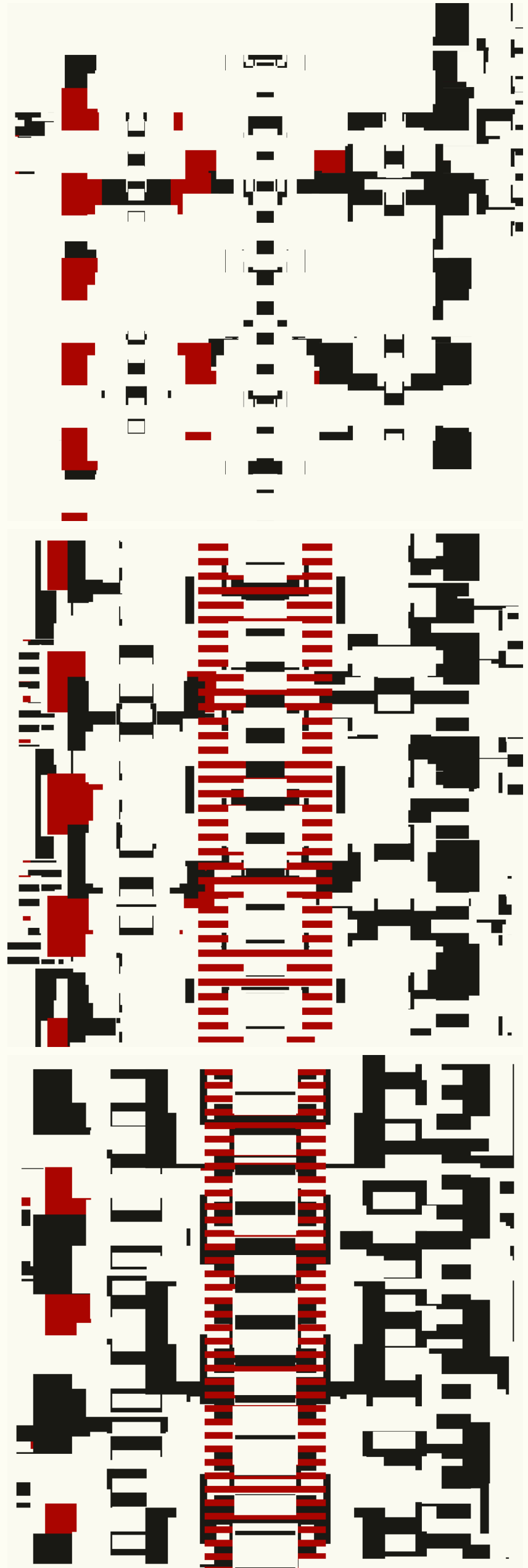
notes :::

bibliographic agency
playing an active role
in the circulation of information

demystify citation
first principles not fragile formats
citing siting sighting

decouple content from presentation
(the semantic web ::: visible articulate
relationship assertion)
a citation is just an encoding of an address
like how USPS address format encodes a place
that could also be referred to by geo
coordinates or the hyperlocal descriptor tag
::: "that blue book on the lower shelf"

memory & citation
the strange work of escher-like nested
citations



citation is messy & open-ended ::: incomplete
::: a partial story ::: a trace a breadcrumb
::: an effort

patterns & thinginess of noun but also verb
::: the passing of information from hand to
hand ::: the thinginess of transmission of
media ::: of wires that transmit

shelves are neighborhoods call number metrics
call number topologies

citations create a virtual neighborhood ::: a
topological space
they hold up the tent where shared learning
can happen
they nest the text ::: they turn a text into
a room | a world
an assemblage a collage a shoebox

citation ::: a before | after threshold
a summoning
preferred citation (like preferred pronouns)
how do i want you to refer to me :::
my schema my critical axes
my intersectional join
my embodied synthesis

slow way down
create an intent
lay out the ingredients
information as a physical entity
creating a skeletal frame, a circulation :::
a structure of relation
& then using text to sew these things
together
to conjure
to breathe life into ::: to animate
(list poems)
making sentences
collating words
making language

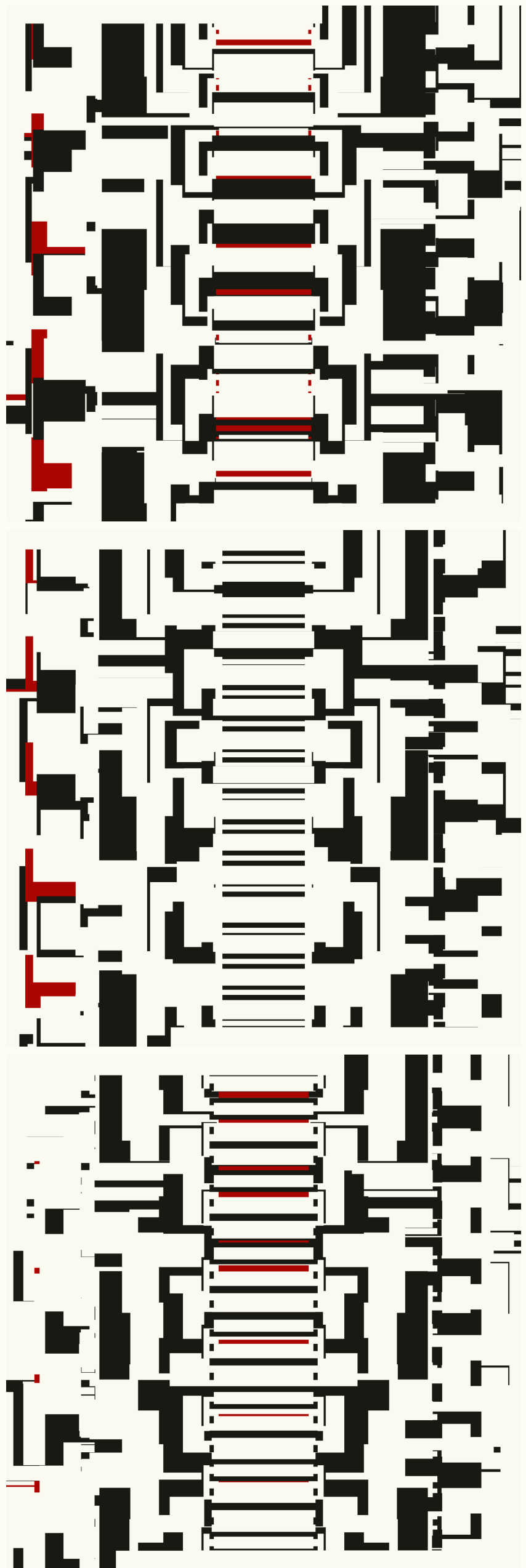
the problem of proprietary big tech (like
google) defining our metrics of distance |
closeness (near/far) :::
defining adjacency contiguous contingent
associational join ::: our graph

assemblage
recursion
circle
pollinate

combinatorial, compositional
couplings
stacked thoughts
circuitry spark
electron runways
tracks
fuse solder knot
energize animate

contaminate distress disrupt

a virus
a circulation of scholarship & ideas
self reinforcing
the ways citation ecosystems impact access
flow &
dulls the impact of disruptive new ideas
the ways citational metrics impact
opportunities for
advancement in academic settings



& the way information space
evolves ::: the possible structures that get
built

access & retrieval
breadcrumbs of thinking
::: a map ::: an architecture of synthesis

tai chi push hands
slow traversal
de construction
composability computability (turing)

re-presents
representations references pointers
reify relations

surrogates ::: citations cards link address

a map ::: a way to find
an address
a locator

quipo & woven noise cloth ::: knots ::: the
sisyphean task of getting a semblance of
cloth from the tangle of strings strung in 2
dimensions cinching down the memory the
synthetic moment the gestalt

the attempt to keep the thread from unwinding
::: a staving off of entropy loss unraveling
::: a relationship to the physics of taut
thread stretch of weave ::: archive artifact
memory

artifact of intersection
synthesis
encounter
moment

dropped into the middle of a text :::
strange field ::: foreign topic ::: mountain
range :::
the reference as foothold ::: a rope ::: a
ladder

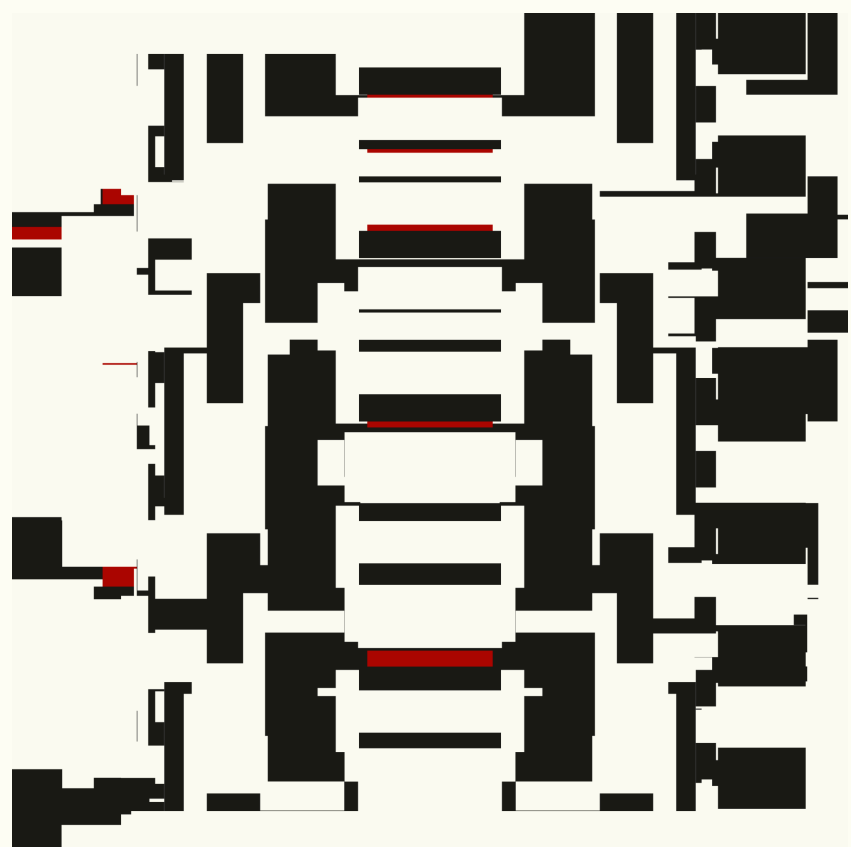
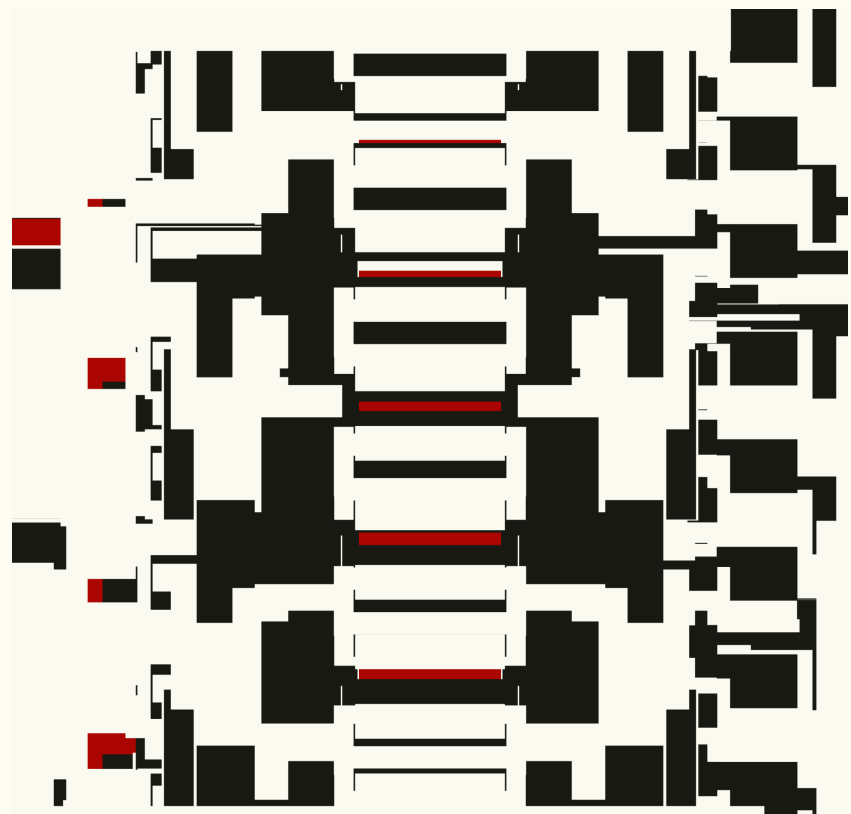
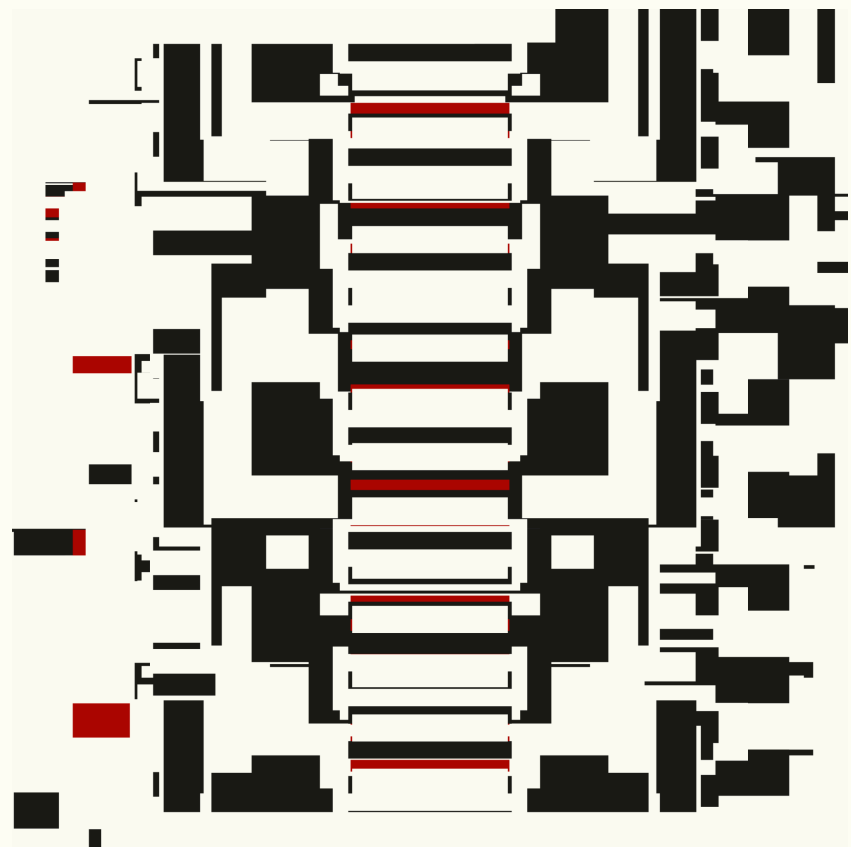
the citation (!) ... a bracketing of exchange
::: a coin left at the altar ::: a moment
taken to acknowledge the gift of that
reference

the thinginess of information nodes but also
in the revealed aspect of reference and
relation ::: a declarative, bare-bones state
of linkage

Near-far ... not just most likely next word
or pixel
but by means of link, join, human-defined
connection.

relational joins
chutes & ladders
footnote as transport

bibliography as breadcrumbs | path
the juncture points the joins the
intersections the collisional points
knowledge as a vector space :::
branching trees networked directed graphs
zoom
hypertext
a skeletal frame
the open doors



hypertext architectures
hypermedia sculpture
pop-up book
leaps joins jumps

the fractal, recursive nature of info spaces
punk citation :::
an explosion of footnotes & citations & index
& bibliography chains
thinking about intersectional junctions &
collisional junctions ::: keeping all the
axes present (no flattening)

citation as constructing a new nearness ::: a
topology of citational neighborhood ::: graph
paths

what is the root?
a personal landscape | forest
who is nesting who?

infinite intersecting webs of data
semantic graph sentences
XPath
linked open data
RDFa
JSON-LD
Web Ontology Language (an owl)
possible formats
possible linguistics of traversal
of relation
of connectance

show your work manifesto (!)
make visible all the uncertainty
awkward struggles
dictionary lookups ::: breadcrumbs
clamoring clambering
surface all of the beginner's mind
frustration
collision
encounter
render the gymnasium of reading
the linkage trapeze
like math ::: cross things out
a personal signature to the use of tools
ink blood pulse breath
skeletal resonation
geologic imprint

infinite labyrinth
linkage reference
connective glue

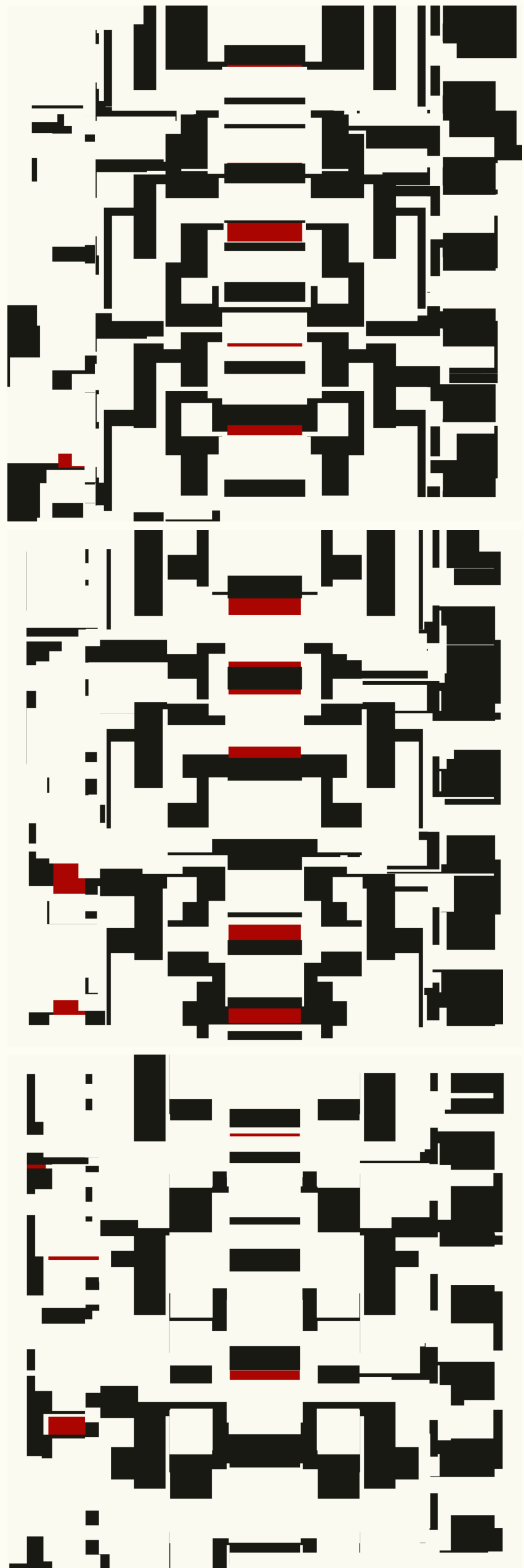
maps

a macrame
a knotted net
a community fishing expedition

articulate referential thinking
documentation builds a history
resists the erasure of LLM flooding
provides a raft
asserts memory

archival models of memory & dynamic
relational memory
making sense out of ...
re enactments

curdling (Legones) :::



intersectional action / thought / existence
ambiguation
boundaries crossed
intersections of discipline culture history
curdling as in
complicating

memory in the cultural car wash / erasure

when to pin down when to release
ephemeral sweep of books indices histories

a hyperspace a locus

a twisting tangled shifting cube

ecological gestalts ::: the whole the meta
the super ::: ecological systems formed of
granularities nodes vertices flows exchange
synthesis production / creation / release

situated knowledge (haraway)
interlocking
enmeshed thinkings

cross over
the ferryman the boatman
a coin
a threshold
a relational constellation popup book of
arteries and nerves

an alchemy of description

referential fabric provides a means of
traversal
& zoom

list of citations
an assemblage
a placing two things side by side
to create a 3rd space
to complicate
to resonate
to expand & contradict
to build
a nest a ladder a world

nested knowledges relational knowledges
site-specific knowledges
historic knowledges velocity of knowledges
collision of knowledges
citation containers bracketed knowledges

a cluster of citations
creates a constellation
an unresolved space
an open system

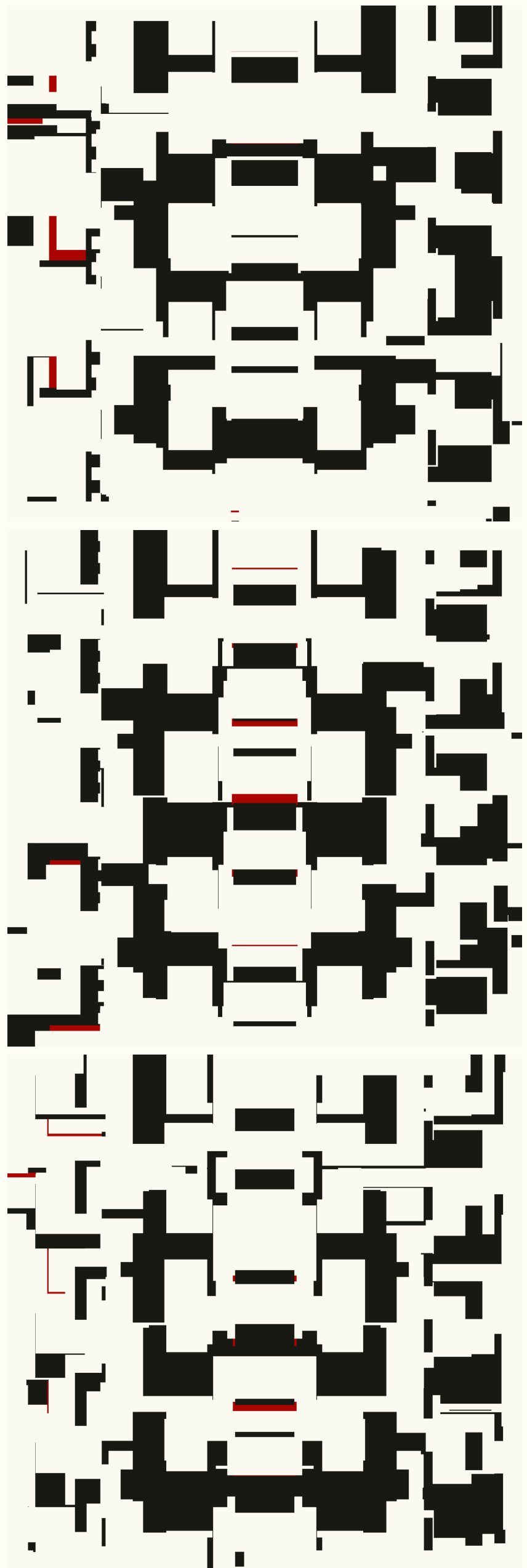
or it can cinch things down
nail them down

the underlayments of building
thought

charged intersections
local point & neighborhood
observable frame / bracketing / :::

local behavior as a function
a differentiability a mapping
a connect the dots accountability

entanglement containment jumble assemblage



space time convergence
loose coupling shifting allegiance
situational packets aggregates

a snarl ::: contested joins
2 rivers hurtling towards a
confluence ::: a joint topography
a convergence of velocities ::: a turbulence

citation as :::
polyphony
vibrant ecologies
twisting threads

how do we cite each other
cite the cup of coffee meditations
cite the vivid green of summer
inflected pointers
pointers with a brogue

there is a there there
that thing assemblage knot
a braided thing
that thick dimensional moment
phenomenon ::: cluster
bracketed gestalt
landscape | context
ray of sun

to revel in the sensory synthetic moment of
connection
touch

resist the cybernetic supersonic averaging
mush
that melting pot :::
(colonization & obliteration)
blinking green server farm lighted caves
devouring erasing replacing
blotting out the sun
coal plume dry planet

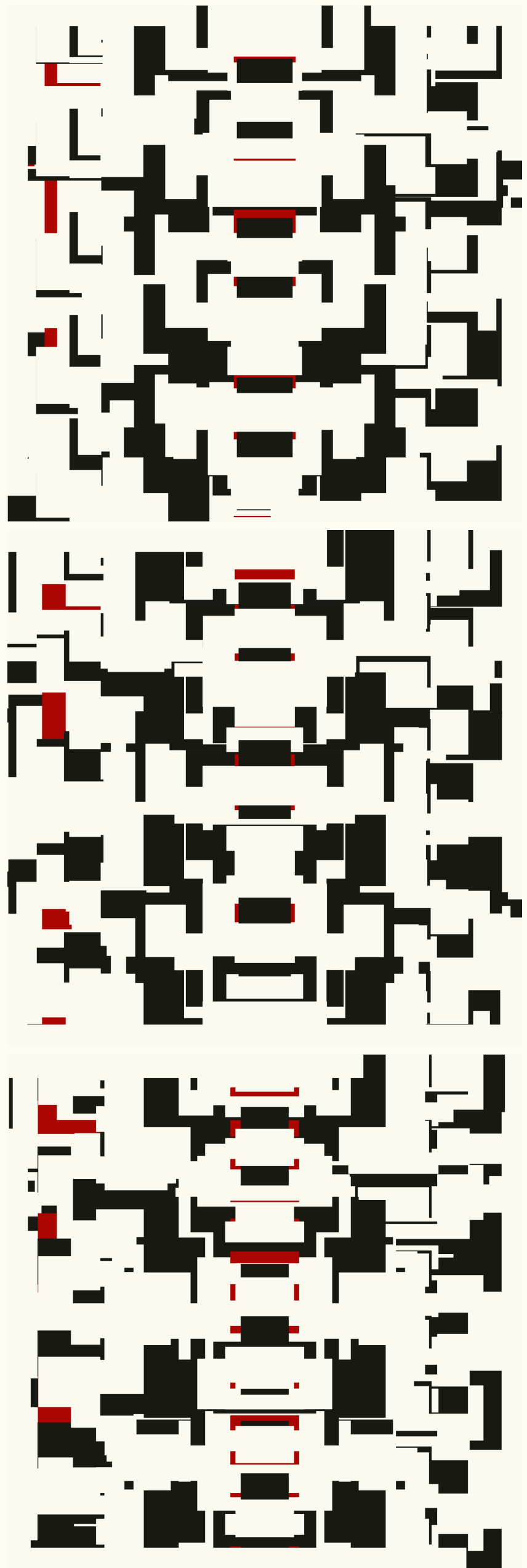
Derrida's différance
collisions & spark
a together compare contrast
fusion

citation :::
a site
a point
an exchange
a moment of fusion
synthesis
collision
a knot a net
a join

defamiliarize destabilize
make strange & complex
to complicate
(twisted rope)

build ladders pathways
tunnels
for each other to follow
liberate
resonate & connect
echo or fray

each one, pull one (Alice Walker)



Walker, Alice. *Horses Make a Landscape Look
More Beautiful : Poems*. 1st ed.,
Harcourt Brace Jovanovich, 1984.

citation as grounding
vs. the ai oracle
digital cloud metaphor | poppy field :::
fake transcendence
rewiring greenwashing
false narrative that hides the
destruction of the natural world
toxic body mind duality
false dream of a heaven-like escape
delusion of purity
masking of a resource guzzling cybernetic
future
citation as grounding as choice as handshake
as something simple and articulate
and just enough

not over fitted curve but
just enough
a start a blueprint
a seed

nodal point
explicate in detail the conditions
bracket moment bound
citation ::: acting out (performing)
::: making explicit ones'
assemblage / ingredients / recipe

troubling the intersection
creating a thickness :::
a density
to a linear
document
a mass

"Never express yourself more clearly than you
are able to think." (Niels Bohr)
leave it messy
leave the clues
leave books open on the table

leave ragged primordial material :::
the potential for a future emergence

::: mineralization (photo)synthesis
thought (books) as a life form

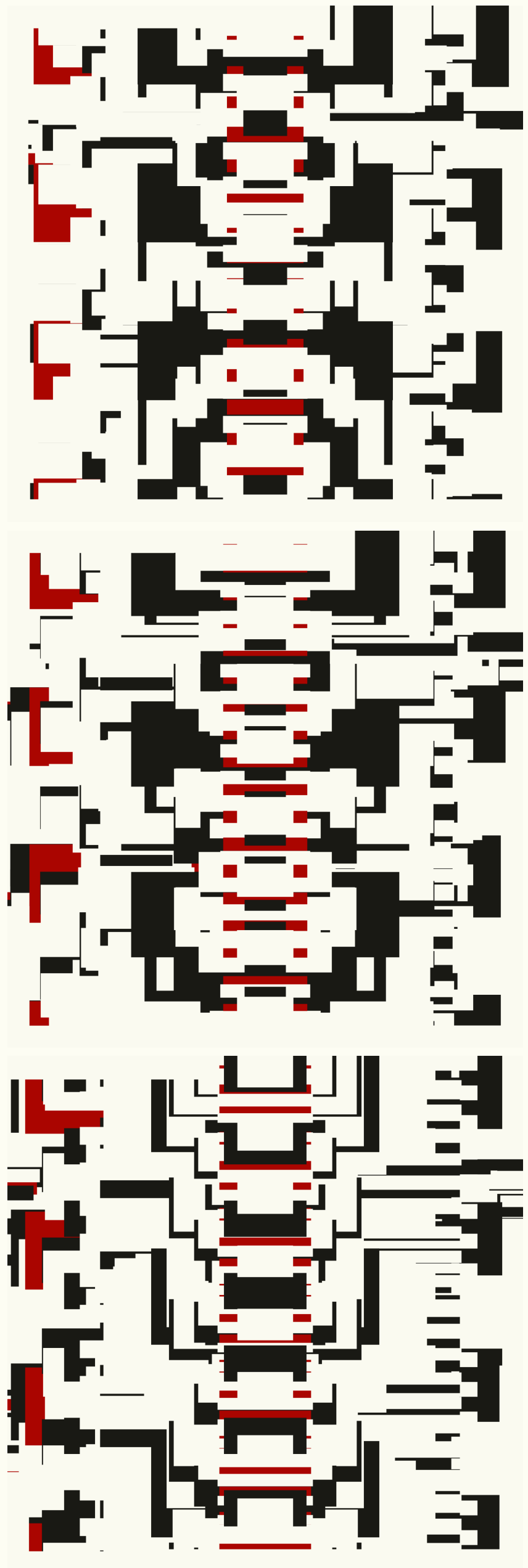
a diagram a map a blueprint
an architecture

writing ::: bibliography as creating
a nest for the reader
a nest of branches from different trees

these cites (sites) are spaces
beam-me-up spaceships

rhizomatic diffraction
an orbit
to cogitate (photosynthesis a form of?)
packets knapsacks

the dimensions :::
citational degrees of freedom
a pointer
a doi
a complete record of data
the thing itself
just a pronoun
a dimensional collapse



a pointer to a bound thing ... a point in
time package
clinging to citational ladders to exist in
the torrent of ironing erasure folding :::
ai's torrent flood

when things come together & come apart :::
metaphor photosynthesis knots chords citation
microaggression gestalt spark alchemy
metamorphosis epistemological packet logic
ladder algebraic operation
computation an algebra ::: putting pieces
together lacunae gap longing
a frame a stage a bridge a spine thick now a
friendship graph node causal relation
asynchronous exchange ::: or axis of symmetry
translation mapping threshold aporetic
collision binary border
kitchen table polyphonic cut

a threshold

a spectral place
a conjuring
an alchemy
a hologram
point / node ::: an obstacle ::: something to
trip over ::: something to fall into (a storm
grate)

points in the matrix as a perch ::: for the
angel or bird
reading as computation
the constellation of domains / hypertext :::
a game of chutes & ladders
a resistance network ::: a way out of the AI
kingdom
a pathway network railway telegraph

learning to swim

cognition
points of exchange
a din

interchange interdiscursive intertwine
a summoning
a conjuring
to animate with ghosts

a collage of different thinkers
ideas namings perceptions
an echo ::: illumination
an illuminated manuscript
ripples ::: waves

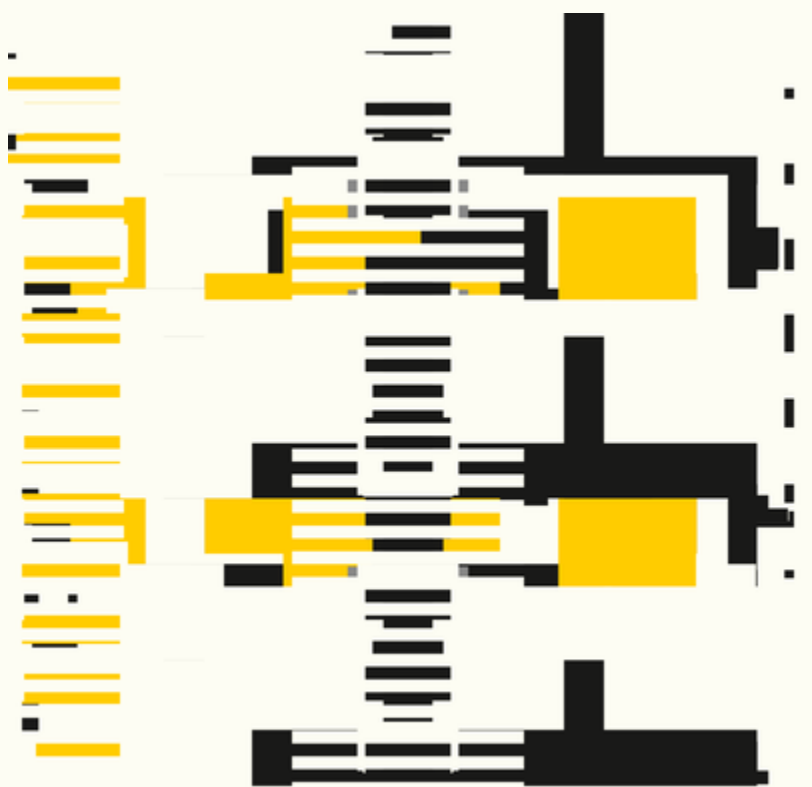
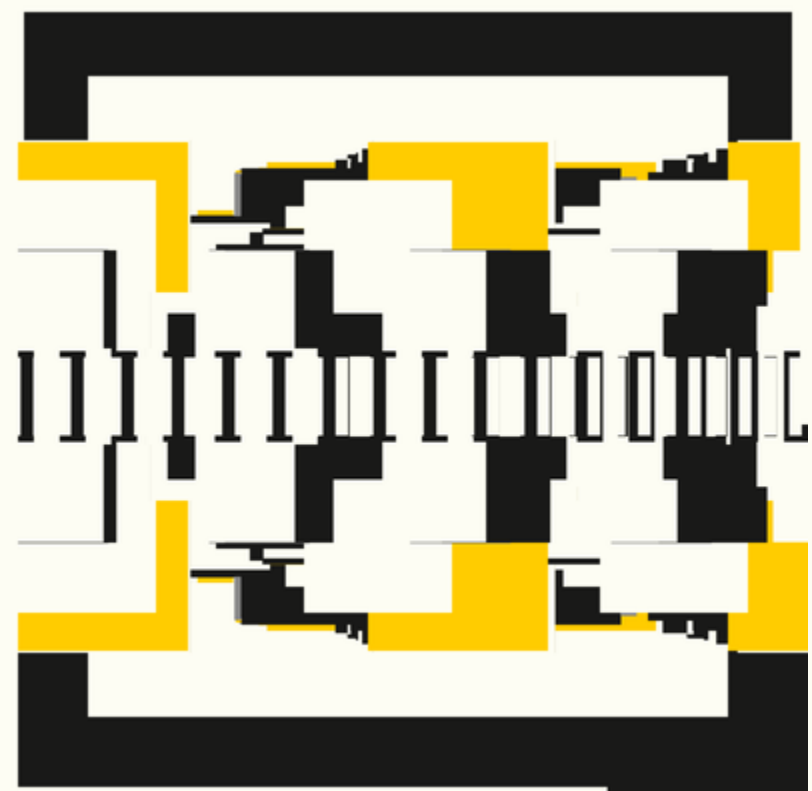
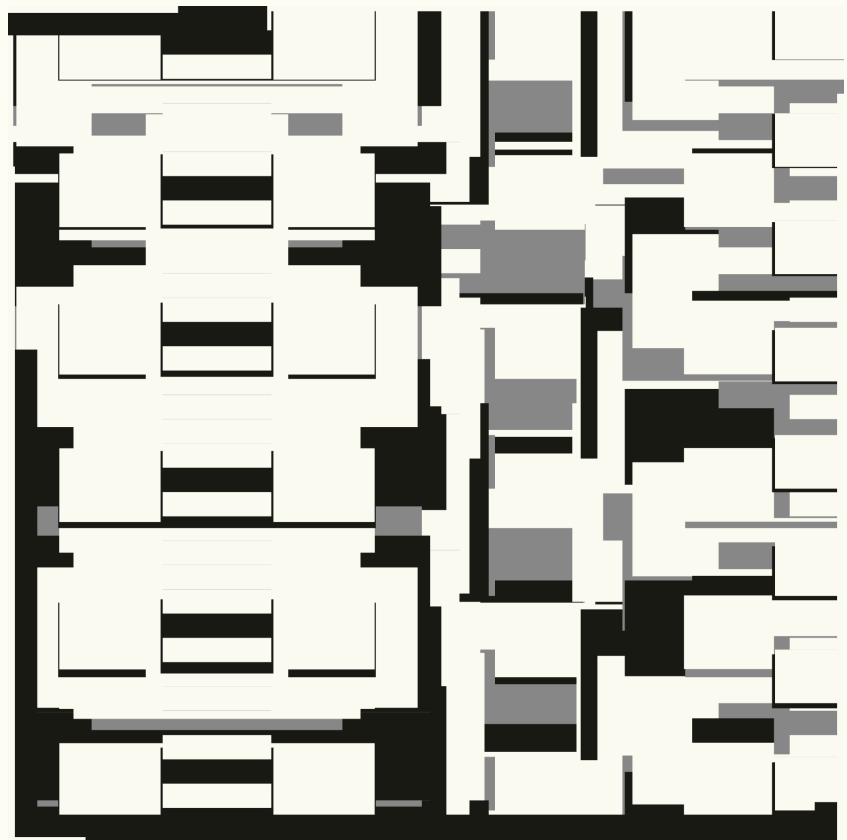
a reframing of the original utterance
making it strange again
re positioning in this new site

bibliographic spaces resist
flattening by the steamroller
tanks of large language model
proprietary AI

"in the end there was only one sentence"
-corbie
the flattening of the world

memory

mapping personal
communal



knowledge graphs

bibliography ::: lists of lists

citation ::: a list of attributes |
coordinates

a hydrated reading list ::: follow the
references tree

an activated energized pulsing body of
interconnected cells

embody the synthesis

sing the electric rhizomatic body :::

the currents flows root systems

=> emergent green

citizen scholars unite (!)

build our reading guides ...

zines | old-school hypertext

worlds webs

flickering universe

lighthouse

signals

telegraph

exchange

embodied knowledge

