## HOW MIGHT WE IMPROVE THE EXPERIENCE OF AN AIRPORT FOR PASSENGERS?

# Category 1:

## **ELEMENTS OF AN AIRPORT**

- 1. Standing on line at baggage check
- 2. Having to wait for a plane to dock
- 3. Paying for tv access on a plane
- 4. Orders
- 5. Bright lights -----
- 6. Noisy
- 7. Countless staff members
- 8. Security pat-downs
- 9. Cost of items are high
- 10. Food offered is limited
- 11. Gated off at specific locations
- 12. Information provided is confusing
- 13. Not enough seating at gates
- 14. Baggage claim
- 15. Bathroom lines

# Category 2: THINGS YOU FIND IN A RESORT

- A. Minibar
- B. Pool
- C. Gym
- D. Restaurant food service
- E. Dark rooms
- F. Large community spaces
- G. Free bath care
- H. Coffee and tea in room
- I. Bibles
- /J. Daily papers
- K. Various activities indoor and outdoor
- L. Kitchens
- M. Spas
- N. Animals
- O. Cleaning supplies

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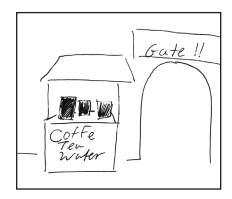
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NUMBER OF PEOPLE INVOLVED:

#### 1

NUMBER OF IDEAS GENERATED: 5

## WILDEST IDEA: DARKENER PODS

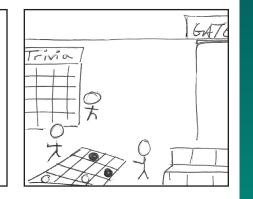


#### **GATE BREAK**

Allow airport passengers to receive free coffee, tea, and water as they wait the long hours at the gate for the plane.

#### DARKENER POD

Waiting passengers can block lights, and noise as well as fix the temperature as they wait for their planes arrival.



#### WAITING ACTIVITES

As passengers wait for their flight, they can play games according to their wait.

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