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Final Project Proposal

For my final project in New Media Techniques I want to tell the story of women empowerment through the concepts of the Kardashians and the structure and story of Super Mario. I want to create a world where the narrative of Mario saving Princess Peach is flipped where a woman is saving a man. In my vision I want to create a text game where I superimpose Kim Kardashian's head on Mario's body and she has to jump over obstacles in the world of Mario and save Kanye from Bowser. It is important for this story to be told through an interactive medium because there is a huge difference between watching a story about empowerment and actually living a story of empowerment as empowerment is a virtue that must be embodied not just viewed. Also being immersed in this experience that I want to create is open to all genders which will help me blur the line between privilege and empowerment because oppressor and oppressed can both experience it.