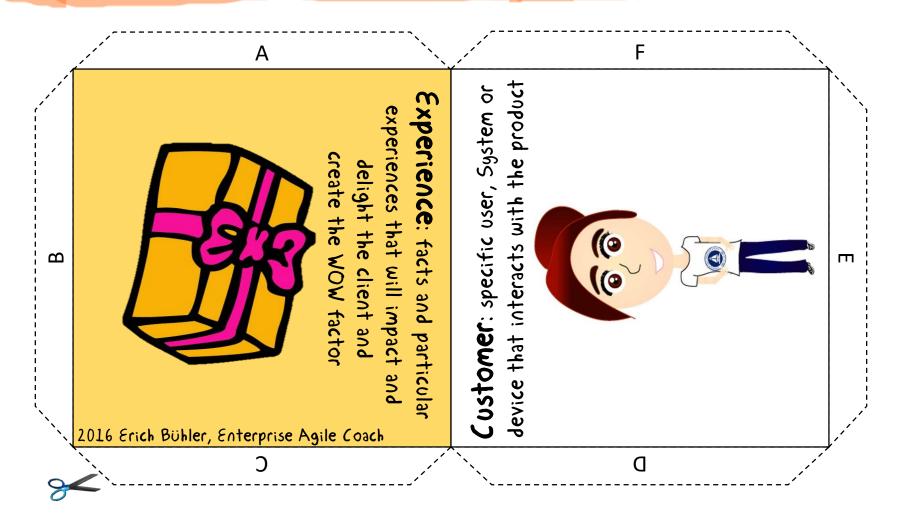
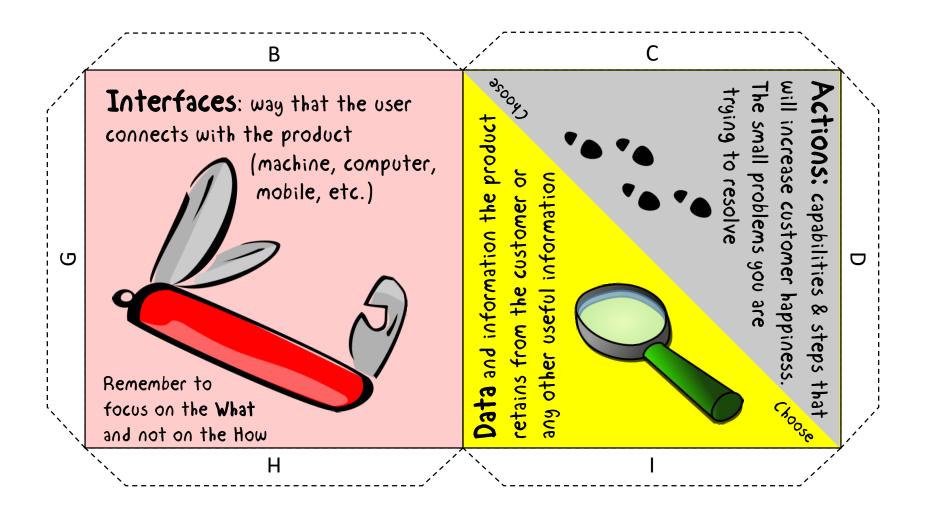
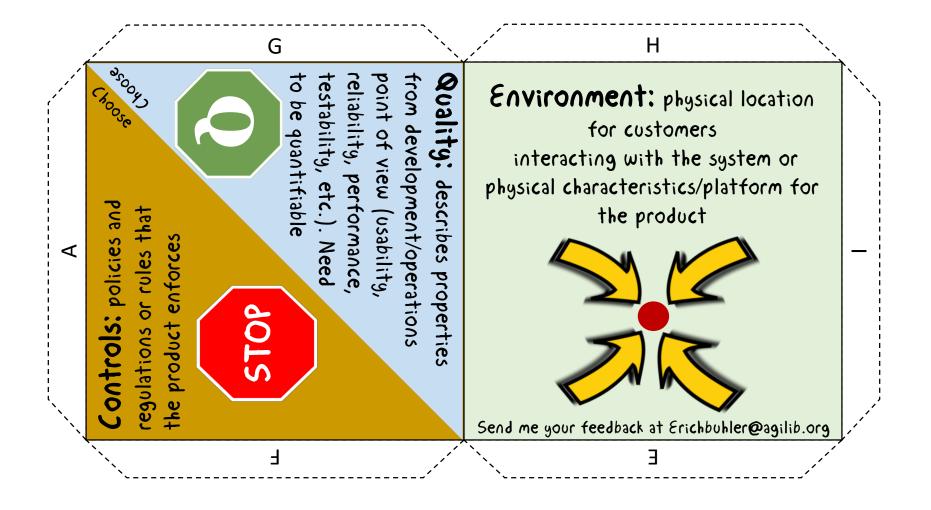
# The <u>exploratory cube</u> allows you to find the 8 dimensions of a product, discover & get ready to get done



Empower the team, have fun and build a successful product!



If you get a choose side, you will need to choose just one area.



Don't forget to prepare the cube well in advance!

### Preparing the board

#### 1. Build a physical board with all the 8 dimensions

Customer	Experience	Interfaces	Data	Actions	Controls STOP	Quality	Environment

and have an initial chat with all the participant to clarify the different columns

You can keep the board near the Team after the session!

### Running the game

- 1. Present an initial User Story, idea, draft, epic or the problem that you are trying to solve
- 2. If any of the columns from the board are already covered in the initial item, note them down in the right place (typically user stories cover the Customer and Steps section)
- 3. Throw the cube and start discovering the product with clients & the Scrum Team
- 4. Note down the ideas/clarifications in the right column of the board once everyone agrees on it

# Slicing and/or re-writing the User Story

- When you have enough to round up the ideas and everyone understands it, allow the Product Owner to highlight from the columns just the items that bring more business value to the company
- 2. Allow the PO explain why the decision and have a chat Customer Experience Interfaces



## Slicing and/or re-writing the User Story

- 3. Re-write the user story or slice them using the selected items only
- 4. Have fun! So Business Reason Controls Front Have fun! Back

Note for the facilitator: It is not uncommon for Teams to start discussing the HOW part(Technical part instead of focusing on the business side). Whenever it happens, move the team towards the business reason.

Make sure when writing the new User Story that the front of the card contains the Customer/User, Actions and Business Reason columns (As a «User», I want «Actions», so «BusinessReason»...) and the back the additional items. Have in mind that sizing, risks and dependencies are not generally part of this particular session.