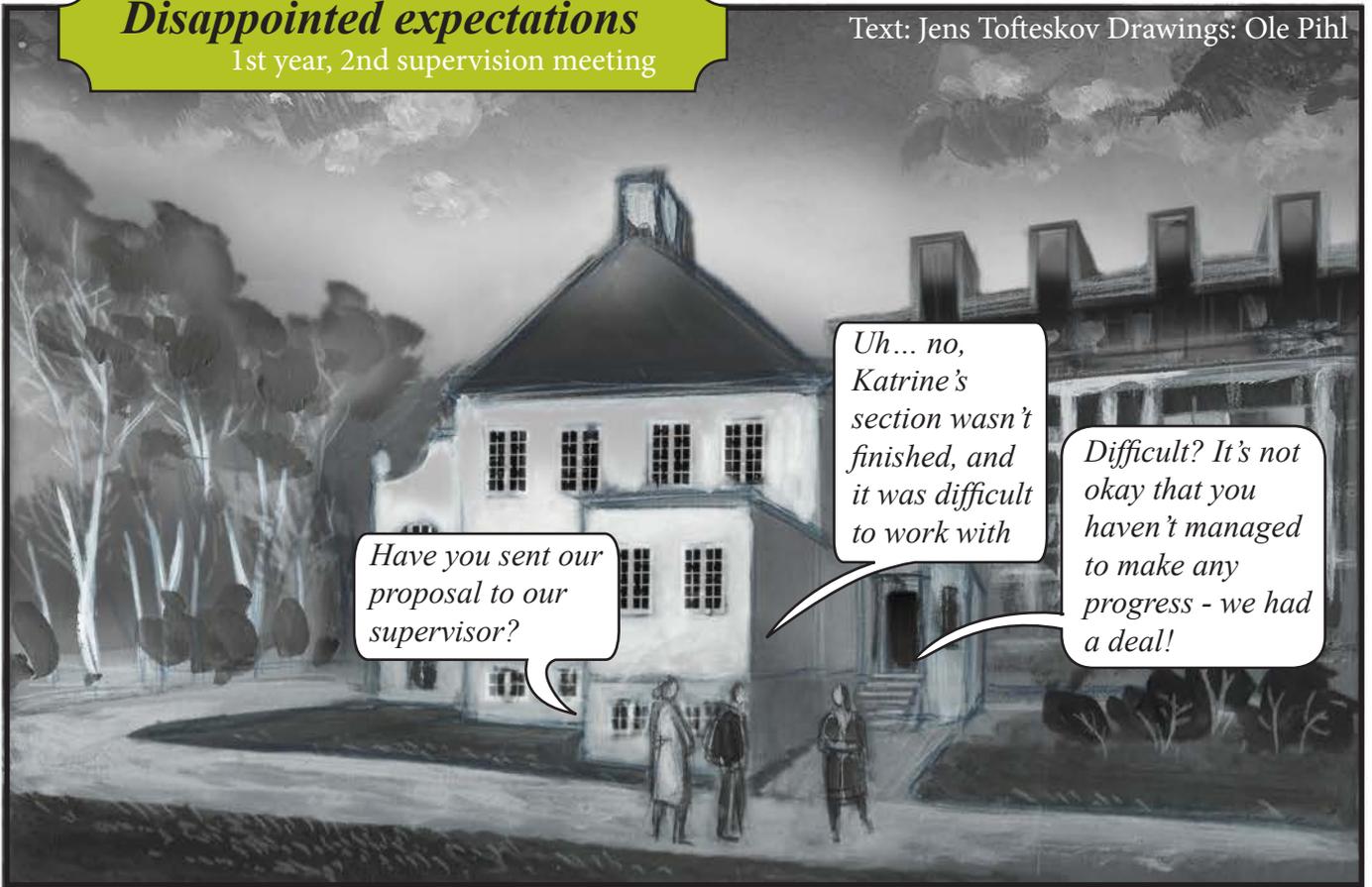


Disappointed expectations

1st year, 2nd supervision meeting

Text: Jens Tofteskov Drawings: Ole Pihl



Have you sent our proposal to our supervisor?

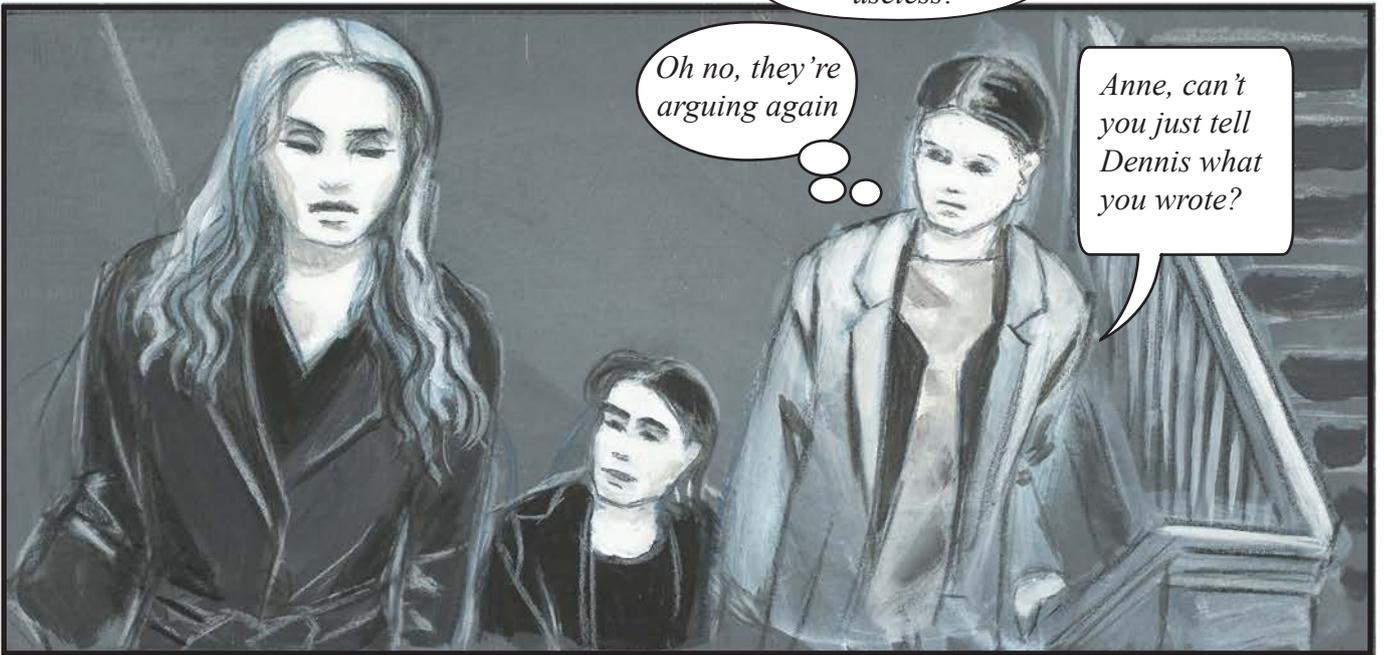
Uh... no, Katrine's section wasn't finished, and it was difficult to work with

Difficult? It's not okay that you haven't managed to make any progress - we had a deal!



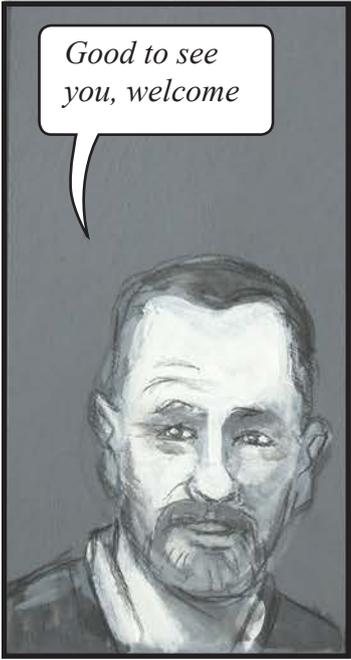
I couldn't make it, I had to work out

She's too dumb to realize that what she wrote was totally useless!



Oh no, they're arguing again

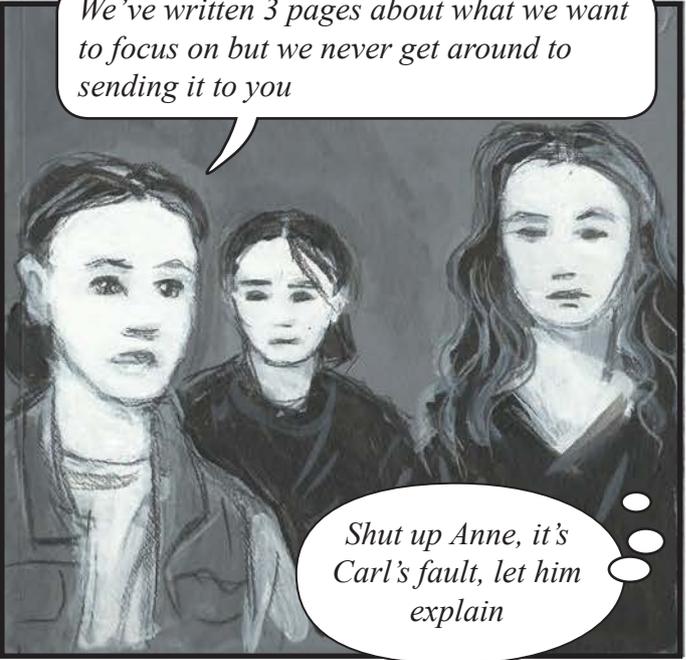
Anne, can't you just tell Dennis what you wrote?



Good to see you, welcome



I can't seem to find your paper, when did you send it?



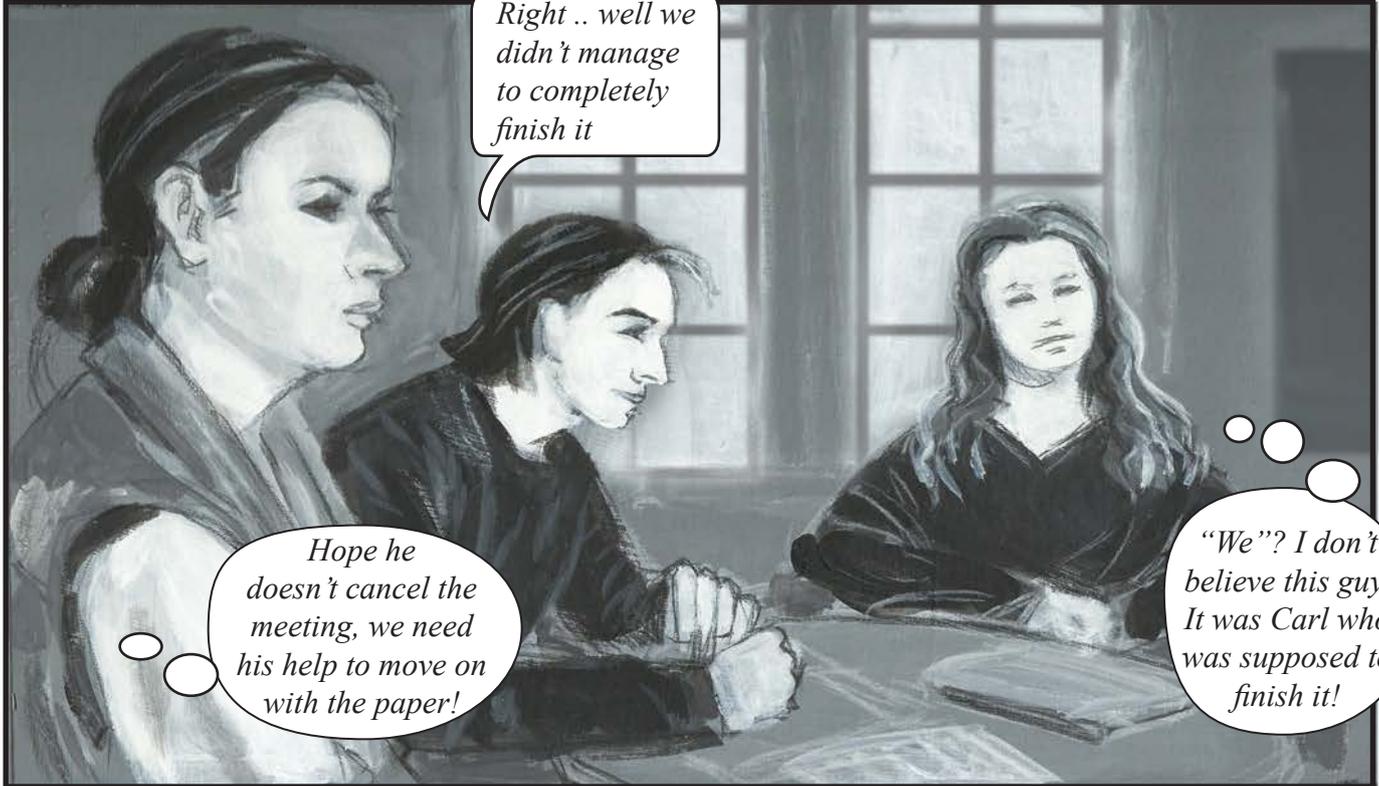
We've written 3 pages about what we want to focus on but we never get around to sending it to you

Shut up Anne, it's Carl's fault, let him explain



Nope, doesn't look like I've received anything from you, and as you know I only have meetings with students based on written papers

Did I tell them that at our first meeting?

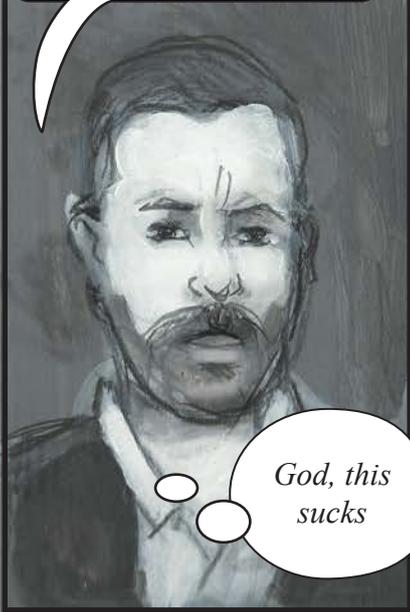


Right .. well we didn't manage to completely finish it

Hope he doesn't cancel the meeting, we need his help to move on with the paper!

"We"? I don't believe this guy. It was Carl who was supposed to finish it!

Why didn't you just send me what you had? I can't really see what we're supposed to talk about now.



God, this sucks



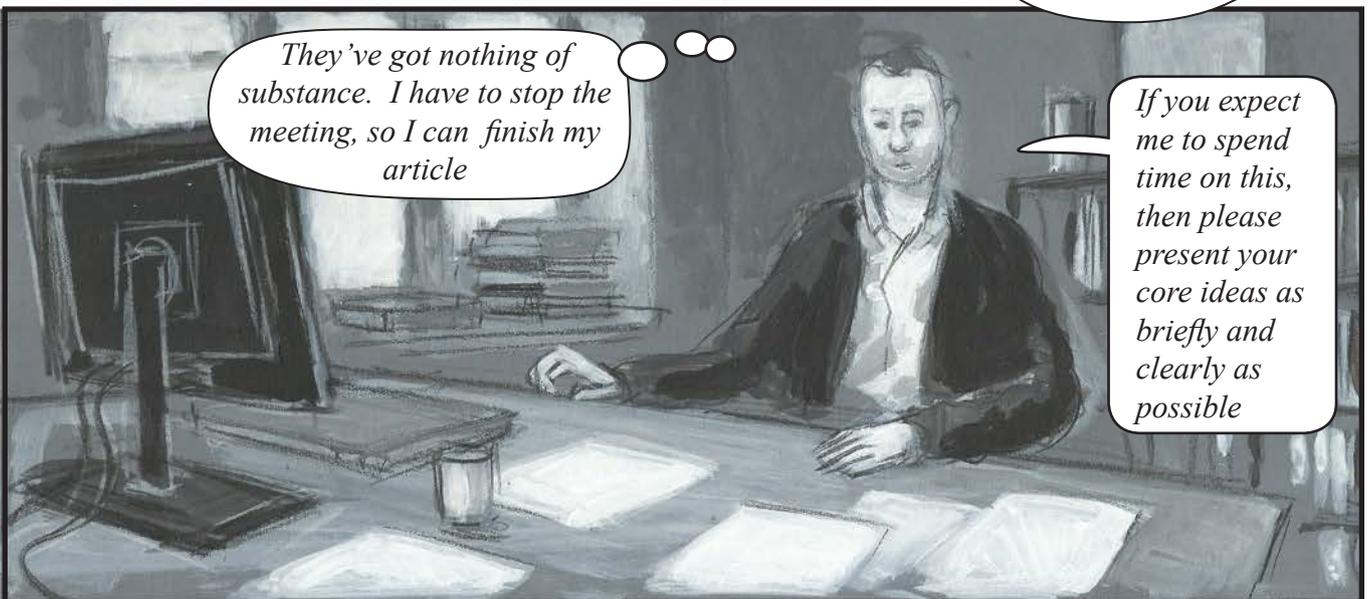
But we can still hold the meeting, right?

Yeah, well we were thinking about maybe using Porter's Five Forces and combining it with some stuff on branding ...



Yeah, something about like how the firm designs their market strategies ...

That's got nothing to do with what I wrote in the paper



They've got nothing of substance. I have to stop the meeting, so I can finish my article

If you expect me to spend time on this, then please present your core ideas as briefly and clearly as possible



But we need to finish our paper first ...

I'd better act quick to save the meeting

Actually, I've written a paper, we just never sent it to you ... Couldn't you just skim through it quickly now, so we can discuss it?

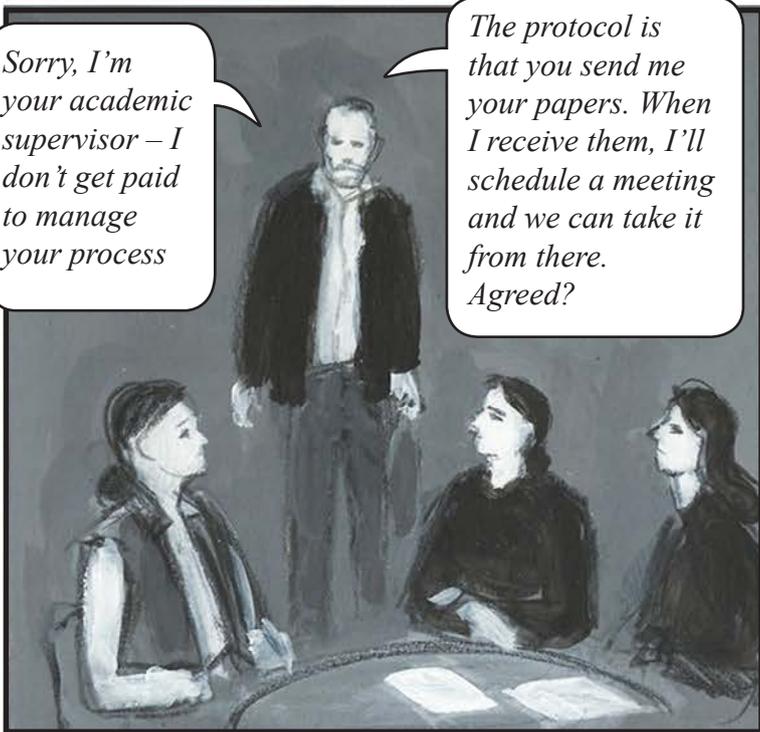
If he reads that shit, he'll think we're morons and we'll have next to no chance of getting a 12 in this course.



No, it's a waste of time for me to sit and read your papers during our meetings

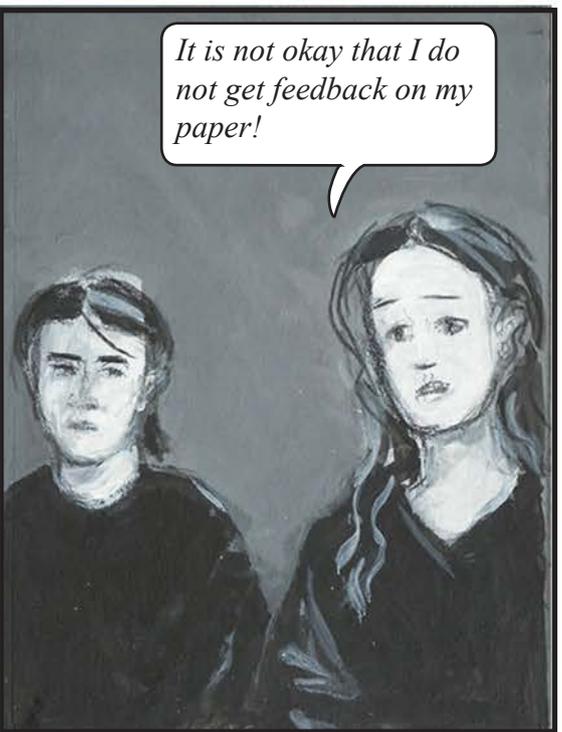
You'll just have to finish the paper and send it to me, and then we can meet!

Well that is the problem, we can't agree about how to finish the paper; you're supposed to help us with that



Sorry, I'm your academic supervisor – I don't get paid to manage your process

The protocol is that you send me your papers. When I receive them, I'll schedule a meeting and we can take it from there. Agreed?



It is not okay that I do not get feedback on my paper!



I have another meeting now. See you once I've received something you've written together.



This really sucks!

