## HARRIET HOOPER

'Bilateral Being, AW24' is inspired by the parallel between anamorphic art, transformational garments and a brain condition that Hooper lives with, called 'bilateral vestibular hypofunction'. Hooper creates contemporary menswear that can be worn by all genders. The materials in the collection range in textures from a crushed waved suede, heavy cotton drill and waxed cotton to duffle wool from Hainsworth. The reed red colour of the waxed cotton juxtaposes the whites and the creams of the other fabrics.

When looking at the anamorphic skull depicted in 'The Ambassadors' by Hans Holbein, the Younger, 1533', Hooper investigated anamorphic using curved anamorphic art as the main inspiration behind her works, including both silhouette inspiration and print. The form of anamorphic art that hooper was inspired by can only be correctly seen by looking at a curved mirror which then reveals the image.

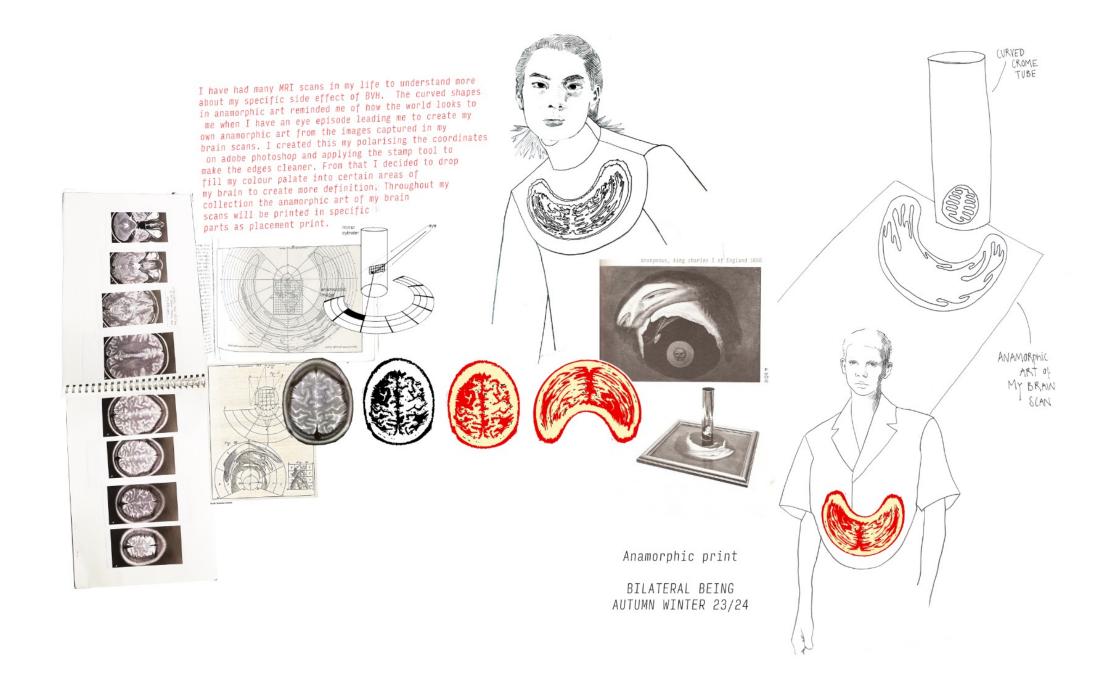
The curved shapes in this form remind Hooper of how the world looks to her when she has an episode affecting her eyes, caused by Bilateral Vestibular Hypofunction with Oscillopsia. This affects her balance and causes Hooper to have an unsual side effect where her eyes shake from left to right uncontrollably for 10-15 seconds; this has no name but resembles Optokinetic nystagmus for a short moment. Due to this she created a bold print using one of her brain scans in this style of art. The colours of the print parallel the materials used (deep red, creams and whites)

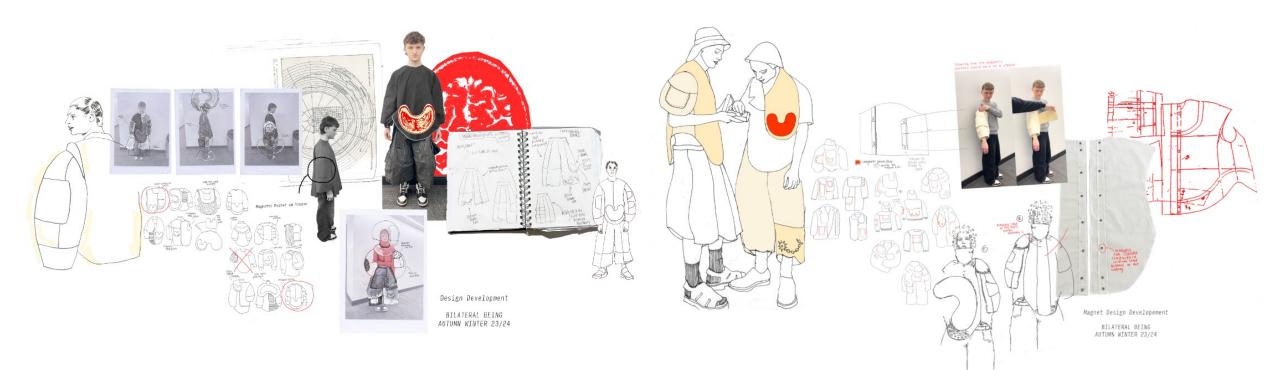
Hooper wanted to parallel anamorphic art with her brain issue as to the plain eye she looks perfectly 'normal' even though there are underlying issues. When looking at anamorphic art it has the reverse effect as it only looks like the 'correct' image when it is shown by a curved mirror or chrome pipe. To add another layer to her work she wanted the garments to be transformational, just as anamorphic art that can be shown in two forms is.

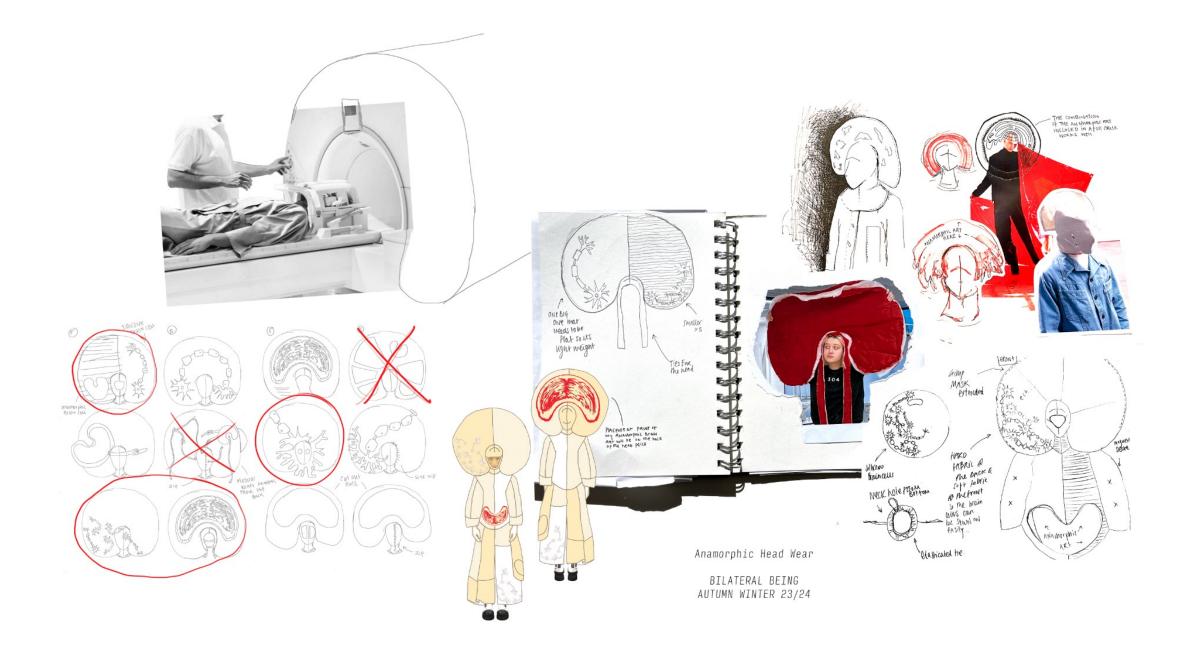




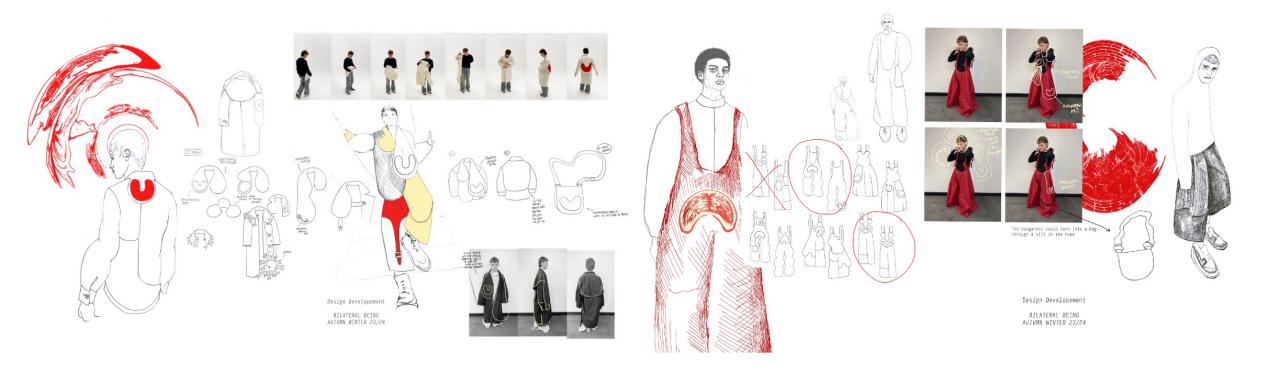


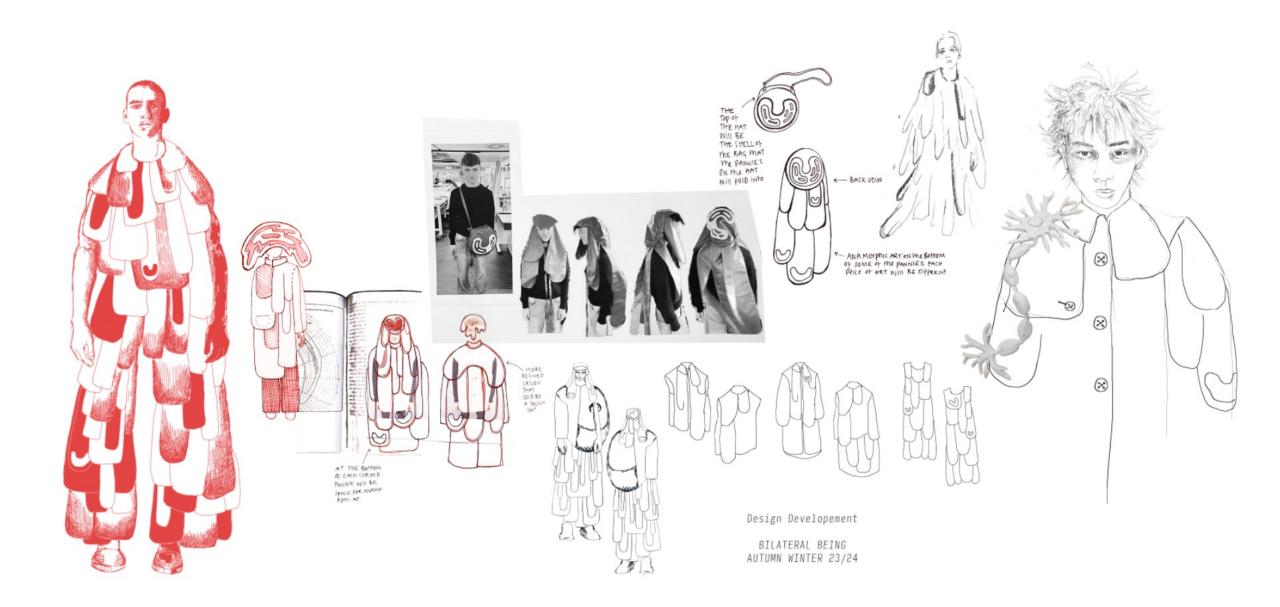


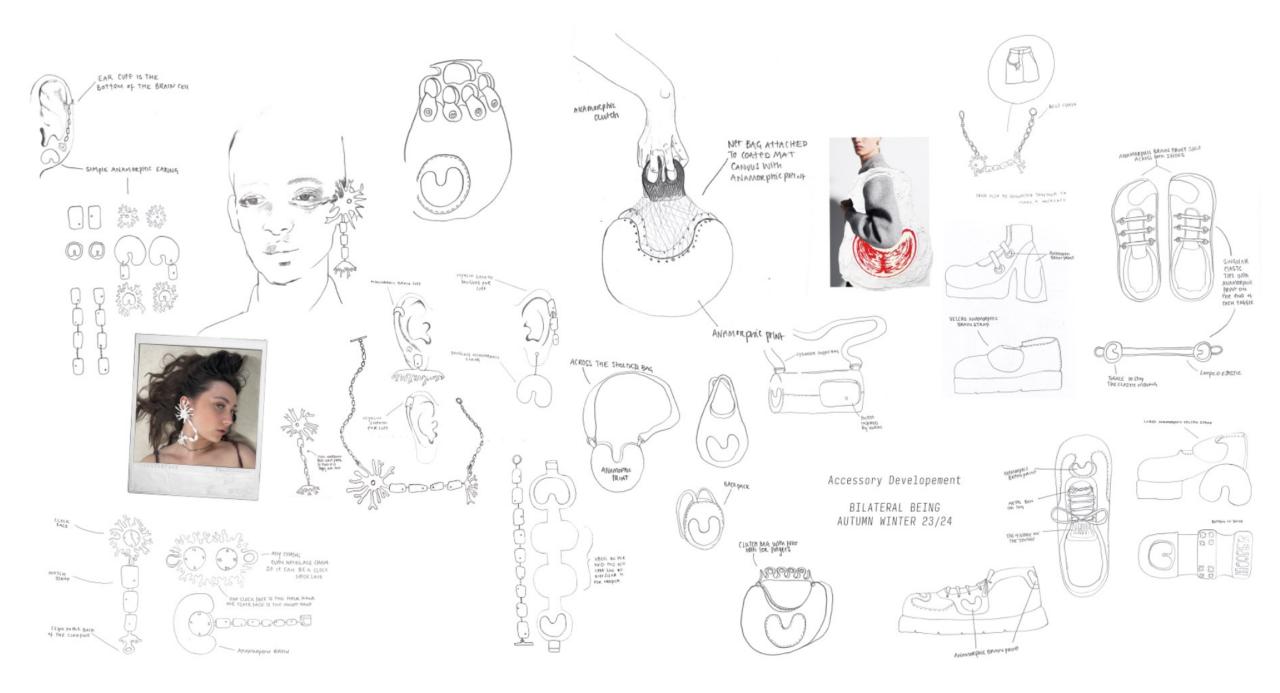


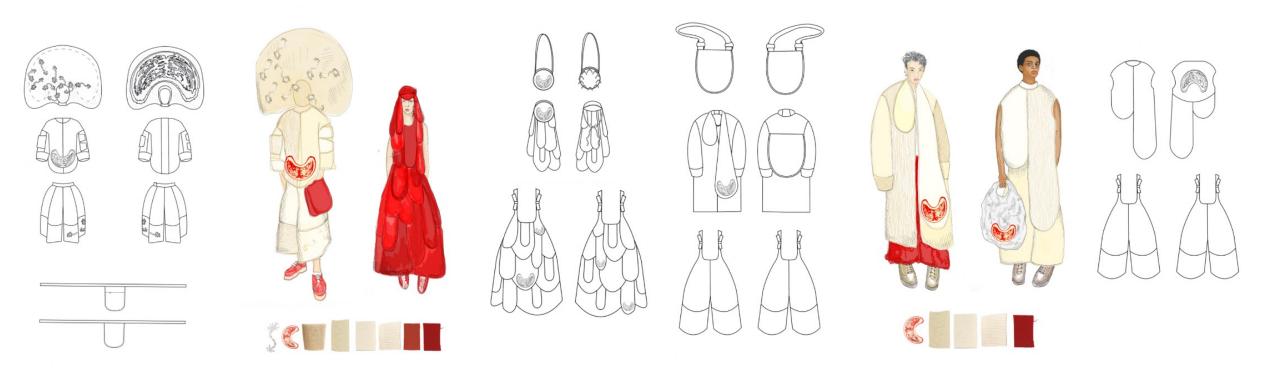












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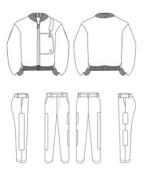
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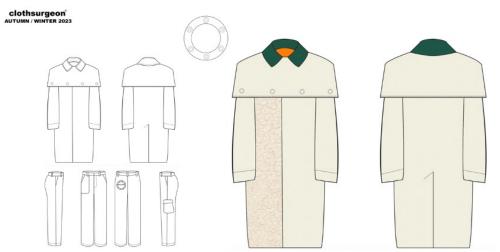




CREAM TRENCH COAT WITH PORT HOLE INSPIRED BUTTONS AND DARK GREEN COLLAR

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'Air Bag, 2021-2022' Student Collaboration

Airbag is a project created to express feelings both physically and mentally around protecting yourself. The collaboration started during lockdown in our first year of university as we felt we were both physically protecting ourselves from covid and mentally protecting ourselves among trying to make new friends. The collaboration plays on personal space and the feeling of people putting up a façade to protect themselves. The project included a short film and four still photographs along with two garments.

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This was a large collaboration between eight students across different universities in both Leeds and London. The garments were created and designed by Myself Harriet Hooper which were bright yellow inspired by the yellow dart frog that uses this colour of bright yellow to warn of predators in an aim to protect itself. The garments also included details such as aeroplane seat belts to add in other details that subconsciously represent protection. Upon the garments is poetry by Grace Glover in a font created by graphic design student Jack Williams. Bethany Moreton shot and directed the short film that was shown along with the photographs taken by Tom hill in an exhibition at insert studios. The audio of the film was a combination of spoken word by Grace Glover and piano by Olly Raymond.

Buckles all down Me Legs

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