

Preliminary notes conceptualizing “conceptual heritage”

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Reading notes

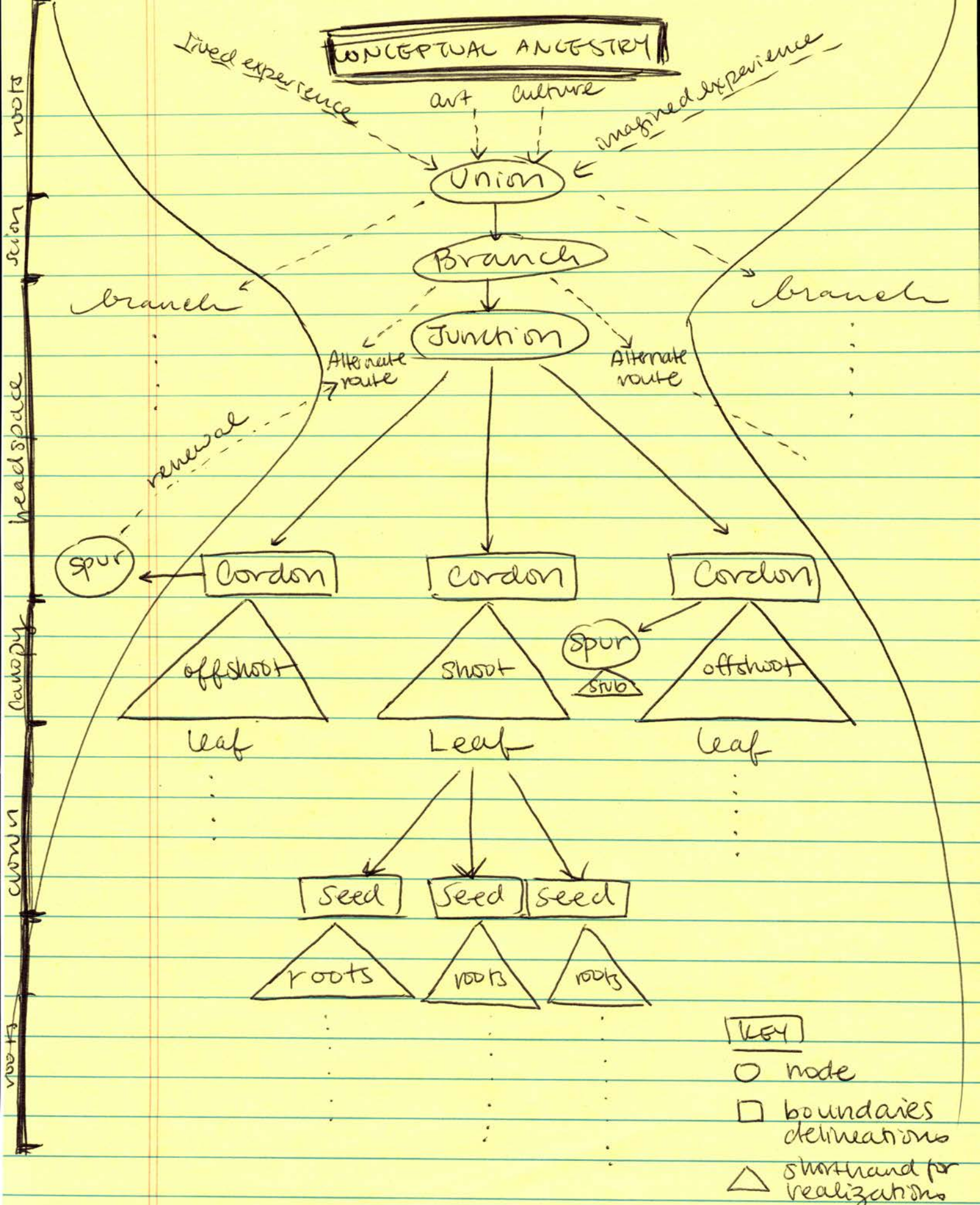
- Pages are in reverse order.
- The first page is the top in the stack and shows the most refined version of the idea.
- Subsequent pages show previous iterations of the idea with notes on why I exited that iteration to begin a new one.

Background

- **Goal:** Create taxonomy that can trace idea origins, divergences, and where they were synthesized.
- Implemented as conceptual heritage diagrams in my repository. *Demos:*
 - * <https://s.qiouyi.lu/repository/file/colloquial-singapore-english-phonology-through-the-lens-of-optimality-theory/>
 - * <https://s.qiouyi.lu/repository/file/colloquial-singapore-english-key-features/>
 - * <https://s.qiouyi.lu/repository/file/la-represion-de-las-lenguas-minoritarias-en-espana/>

Context

- Draws from tree anatomy, vine anatomy, and public transportation train maps to create a genealogy of ideas.
- Terms chosen to have dual meanings with literal anatomy and diagrams and conceptual notions of origin and divergence.



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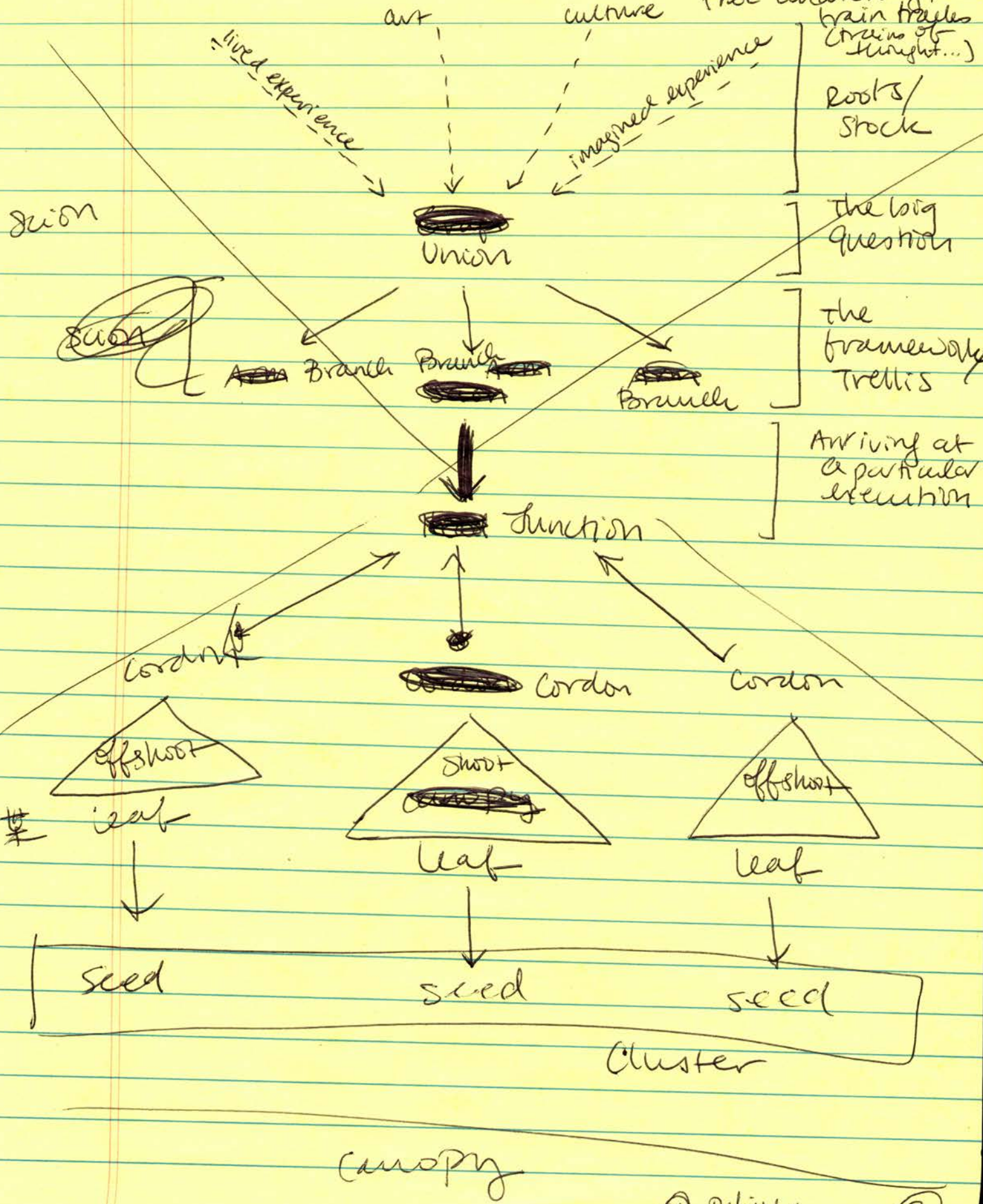
CONCEPTUAL ANCESTRY

Junction

⊗ too narrow -
redraw

CONCEPTUAL ANCESTRY

- combination of grapevine (leaves, speech) anatomy, tree anatomy, and brain trails (trains of thought...)

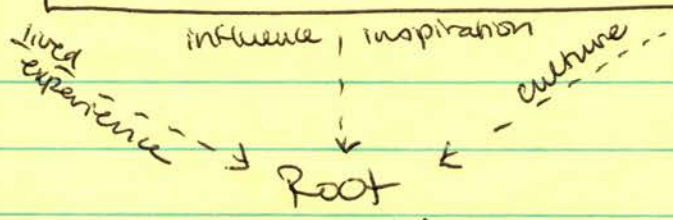


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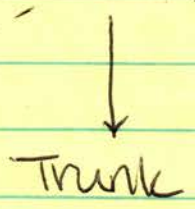
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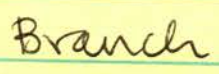
NOT a pedigree
 - syntax tree for reviewing & generating ideas in context



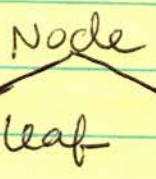
origin



philosophy/
 cosmological
 framework



one particular
 manifestation



parent idea

Idea

Sibling
 idea

idea

Seed

Cousin

child ideas

epistemology
 school of thought
 discourse

epistemology

(X)

- Not a tree
 - A vine

Conceptual ancestry

NOT a pedigree

Relational mind map

