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# Debugging the Mind: Teaching Developers to Think Like Testers

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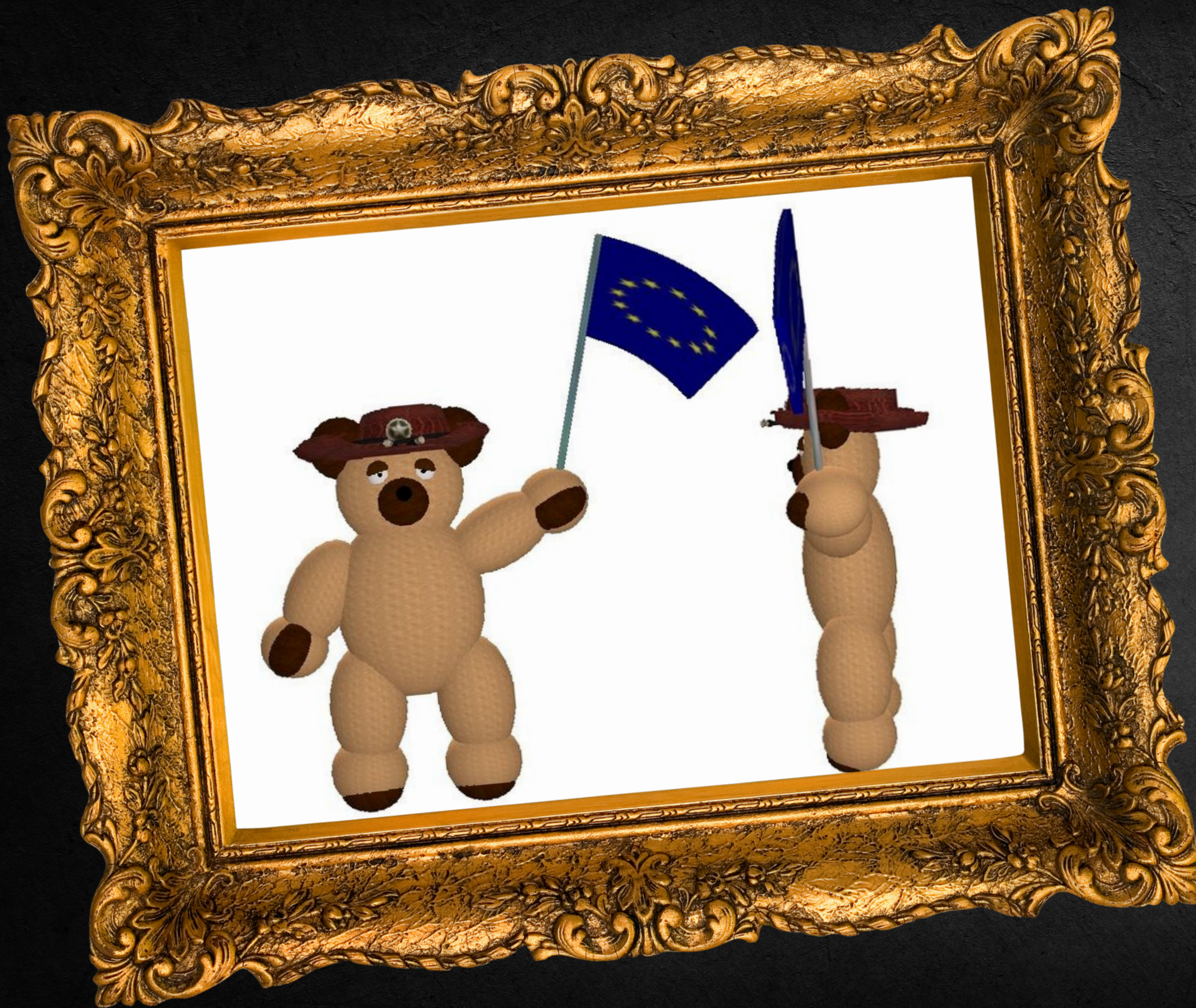
Kato Coaching

Stumbling into testing





Career change



Carrying the flag

Domain knowledge  
and a nosy disposition





Best team ever

# Discovering DevOps





# DevOps and Test Automation



Broke prod

# Similarities



# Differences





Bugs everywhere

# The Tester's Mind(set)





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S\*\*t in, s\*\*t out.



Tension

A snake to the rescue





Impostor



A common language



Empathy

Searching for answers





Trust

# Testing 101





But how?



Obviously not working

Thinking about testing



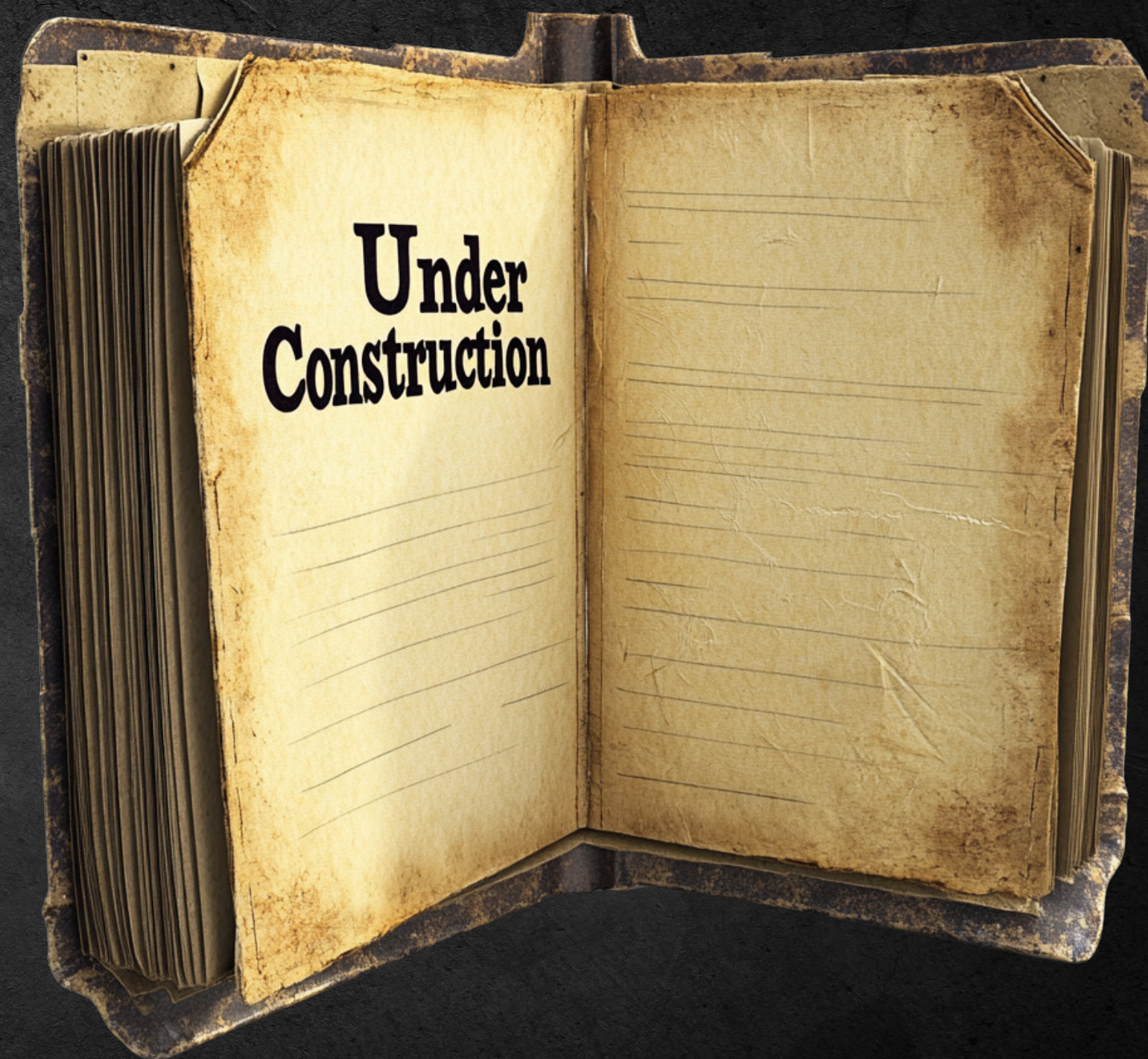


Nuance



Struggles

No training







1. Learn their language

## 2. Put yourself in their shoes



### 3. Learn together





Mulder and Scully

# Sherlock and Watson





Thank you for listening.

Questions?

