



## INSTITUTIONAL REVIEW BOARD MEMORANDUM

**TO:** Kevin Crowston  
Carsten Oesterlund  
**DATE:** September 16, 2016  
**SUBJECT:** **Amendment for Exempt Protocol**  
**AMENDMENT#:** 10 – Change in Protocol Title  
**IRB #:** 12-137  
**TITLE:** *Glitch Zoo: Teaming Citizen Science with Machine Learning to Deepen LIGO's View of the Cosmos – Interview Studies*

Your current exempt protocol has been re-evaluated by the Institutional Review Board (IRB) with the inclusion of the above referenced amendment. Based on the information you have provided, this amendment is authorized and continues to be assigned to category **2**. This protocol remains in effect from **May 23, 2012** to **May 22, 2017**.

**CHANGES TO PROTOCOL:** Proposed changes to this protocol during the period for which IRB authorization has already been given, cannot be initiated without additional IRB review. If there is a change in your research, you should notify the IRB immediately to determine whether your research protocol continues to qualify for exemption or if submission of an expedited or full board IRB protocol is required. Information about the University's human participants protection program can be found at: <http://orip.syr.edu/human-research/human-research-irb.html> Protocol changes are requested on an amendment application available on the IRB web site; please reference your IRB number and attach any documents that are being amended.

**STUDY COMPLETION:** The completion of a study must be reported to the IRB within 14 days.

Thank you for your cooperation in our shared efforts to assure that the rights and welfare of people participating in research are protected.

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