

# Promoting your FOSS project to university student designers

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**Hello, I'm Bernard**

# MSc. Human Computer Systems

<http://www.city.ac.uk/courses/postgraduate/human-computer-interaction-design>

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- Interaction design
- Creativity in design
- Information architecture
- Inclusive design
- Cognition and technologies
- Research, ethics issues
- **Evaluating interactive systems**

# **Evaluating Interactive Systems**

# **Usability and expert evaluation techniques**

# **Evaluation methods and associated methods of data collection**

**So what?**



**How usable a system is  
based on data, and identify  
the issues.**

**What am I looking for?**

**Are you a small, established,  
stable open source project  
focused on something any  
user can use?**

**...a project who is looking  
to learn about their users  
and how they use the  
project.**

- **a website, maybe of a FOSS project?**
- **a media player application**
- **a document editor**
- **...?**

**What are you  
committing to?**

**Provide suggestions on  
part of the system you  
want evaluated**

**Attend presentation  
session(s), maybe  
remotely, about the  
research results, findings.**



**Being patient.**

**This is a learning experience  
for the student, and you.**

**What are you getting  
out of it?**

- **Free usability evaluation of your software!**
- **Promoting collaboration with designers**
- **A warm fuzzy feeling!**

**The possibility of having a  
designer committing to the  
future of your project**

**Are you interested?**

# Let's talk!

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