| **Staffordshire University Logo RISK ASSESSMENT TEMPLATE** | | | **Severity** multiplied by **Likelihood** equals **Risk Rate**.  NB: Calculated after taking in to account existing precautions | | | | |
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| School/Service:  Digital, Technologies and Arts | | Severity | Insignifi-cant (1) | Minor (2) | Moder-ate (3) | Serious (4) | Fatal / Critical (5) |
| Likelihood |
| Task/Activity/Area:  Games Technology Research Project | | Almost Certain (5) | **5** | **10** | **15** | **20** | **25** |
| Likely (4) | **4** | **8** | **12** | **16** | **20** |
| Assessed By: ANTHONY STURDY | Signature: | Possible (3) | **3** | **6** | **9** | **12** | **15** |
| Dept Manager: | Signature:­ | Unlikely (2) | **2** | **4** | **6** | **8** | **10** |
| Date of Assessment: 18/10/2021 | Review Date: | Rare (1) | **1** | **2** | **3** | **4** | **5** |

|  | **Hazard** | **Harm/Injury** | **Persons at Risk** | **Measures/Comments** | **Severity 1-5** | **Likelihood 1-5** | **Risk Rate** | **Result** |
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| 1 | Sitting at a desk for prolonged periods of time | Lower back pain | Anthony Sturdy | Utilise standing desk | 2 | 2 | 4 | T |
| 2 | Staring at monitor for prolonged periods of time | Eye strain and visual impairment | Anthony Sturdy | Take regular breaks | 2 | 2 | 4 | T |
| 3 | Typing for prolonged periods of time | Carpal Tunnel Syndrome | Anthony Sturdy | Take regular breaks | 2 | 1 | 2 | T |

Key to result: **T** = Trivial Risk, **A** = Adequately Controlled, **N** = Not Adequately Controlled, **U** = Unable to decide, (further information required).