Log Book, Group Project Assignment, Part A

25th January 2019: Group Meeting

Discussed each member’s work with following aspects of assignment:

Persona – Mary’s most in-depth

Use of Building – Gordon and Sam explained UK ‘smart home’ concept

Energy – Different views as to what this was

Chose majority view – ‘smart home’ utility ‘energy’ over exercise ‘energy’

Exercise graphic – view agreed that this needed to be more ‘block image’ with only one main image, less clutter

Mock-up of pills – Gordon’s previous work in psychology and with adults with autism helped define this – a pill image, not an outside container

Break-up of work – Sam to work on storyboard, Gordon and Mary to do research, persona, logbook, and critique Sam’s efforts

Designing for classic iPad – use Portrait

Graphical elements – make buttons obvious for pressing, not separate ‘enter’ button

Home Page – make these 3-d buttons

Energy – Floor plan – Map assign plus an Access Page

Change Pills display to provide lower level screen with more information

29th January 2019: Sam and Gordon met as Mary was at a meeting off-campus

Changes to Interface to incorporate lecture details

31st January 2019: Group Meeting

Sam did a walk-through of Interaction Design with Mary

Gordon and Mary offered additional suggestions, Sam still had some work he planned but had not yet implemented

Discussion was about robot – what did it look like, could Interaction Panel show robot had received request/was moving to comply/had returned with item and how user could confirm

Confusion that Sam and Gordon had not seen Vision announcement of presentation times – but Mary had from day before

Did the research show that design made use of personal experience as well as readings?

Decision who would do what part in presentation

Confirmation that Tuesday Group Meeting would be reserved for Interaction Design project work through remainder of term – Mary to book for group