## Project for Final Year Supervision

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## Project Name

The effects of simplifying first-person shooter controls

## **Project Description:**

First-Person Shooters (FPS) typically have a lot of controls to cover movement and other actions. This is a potential barrier to new players. The project will investigate the consequences of simplifying the controls.

This project will involve the following:

Research the evolution of FPS controls. Also research how other genres have simplified the controls to modify the gameplay (e.g. Platform games becoming endless runners).

Create two version of a First-Person Shooter. The first version should have controls typical of current FPS games. The second should simplify the controls as much as possible by removing, combining or automating various inputs.

Perform user testing to investigate the effects on interest of the two version for three groups: 1. FPS players. 2. People who play games, but not FPS. 3. Non-gamers.

Are there any prerequisite skills / courses?

No

Which degree program is this aimed at? (It can be more than 1)

**Games Computing** 

Number of students you wish to undertake this project

Open