Ethical Review Form

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5.Project Title: Creating a control mapping program for game accessibility

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7.Brief description of proposed activity and its objectives:

8.Ethical Issues Identified: An ethical issue is doing user testing and surveying on individuals.

9.How these will be addressed: To address these issues the surveys will be anonymous and will give out anonymous data and the testing and surveying will be in a secure location. All participants will have full details of objectives of the research and provided appropriate information. There will be voluntary participation with informed consent, as well as the freedom to withdraw at any point. And there will be consideration of relevant codes and conduct/guidelines.

10.Has the project proposal identified any of the following research procedures?

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| 1. Gathering information about human beings through: Interviewing, Surveying, Questionnaires, Observation of human behaviour | yes |
| 2. Using archived data in which individuals are identifiable | yes |
| 3. Researching into illegal activities, activities at the margins of the law or activities that have a risk of personal injury | no |
| 4. Supporting innovation that might impact on human behaviour e.g. Behavioural Studies | no |

11.If ‘Yes’ to any of 1-4 above: have you considered the following?

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| 1. Providing participants with full details of the objectives of the research | yes |
| 2. Providing information appropriate for those whose first language is not English | yes |
| 3. Researching into illegal activities, activities at the margins of the law or activities that have a risk of personal injury | no |
| 4. Voluntary participation with informed consent | yes |
| 5. Written description of involvement | yes |
| 6. Freedom to withdraw | yes |
| 7. Keeping appropriate records | yes |
| 8. Signed acknowledgement and understanding by participants | yes |
| 9. Consideration of relevant codes of conduct/guidelines | yes |

12.Ethical Review Outcome: *If the outcome is no. 3 or 4, this form should be forwarded to the Faculty Research Ethics Committee.*

1. No ethical issues

2. Minor ethical issues which have been addressed and concerns resolved

3. Major ethical issues which have been addressed and concerns resolved

4. Ethical issues that have not been resolved/addressed

13.Student Signature: Ruya Kumru-Holroyd

14.Supervisor Signature:

15.Date: 4/11/21