

User study consent form

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Thesis topic: Magic teleporting carpet: A light weight metaphor for enabling dynamic group navigation in multi-user VR

Description: You are invited to take part in a user study for my thesis topic with the VR department at Bauhaus university. This user study is regarding a group navigation technique called “Magic teleporting carpet” which will be used to understand more theoretical aspects within virtual reality. In the evaluation of this technique we will study the functioning of dynamic groups to better understand the different phases of group development.

Time involvement: Your participation will take about 60 minutes in total.

Participant rights: You have the right to stop the study at any given point. If you are feeling dizzy or uncomfortable please feel free to tell me and we can stop the study instantly. At any point during the study you can take a break if you are feeling uncomfortable.

Data collection: Only the tracking data of the VR system which includes the VR headset and the controllers will be collected anonymously for this research. If after the study you opt to answer the questions verbally, audio will be recorded. This audio file will be transcribed and deleted within a period of 30days.

I have read all the above information and given consent to all the above mentioned requirements for this study.

Date: _____

Name: _____

Signature: _____

