

## **User Briefing : Bridge**

Hello! We would like to extend our gratitude for taking part in this usability test today. We are testing a music transcription tool called “Bridge” that aims to facilitate the process of transcription for musicians. The tool provides track playback (stop/start/rewind/fast-forward), track looping (user defined loop duration) and marking features (similar to a bookmark), which can all be controlled via voice commands.

Today's test will require you (The User) to interact with a computer prototype of Bridge. This prototype has been designed to provide the core “look and feel” of the intended product. Throughout the testing process, the examination team will observe your interaction with the prototype, so that we can uncover potential product improvements! Your job is to help us uncover them!

We have created a list of tasks for you to perform on the computer prototype of the application. There are some functionalities which are missing from the prototype, so the examination team will emulate these functionalities as best as possible.

Before starting testing, we'll have you fill out a pre-testing questionnaire as well as a few consent forms. Then we can begin the task.

The main things we can you to concern yourself with during the testing process is:

1. While we encourage you to first try to figure things out on your own, feel free to ask any question that will allow you to complete the tasks.
2. We want to hear your thoughts (literally). As you perform the tasks try to vocalize your decision making process as much as possible.
3. Brutal honesty is the best policy! Please let us know of the elements of the prototypes that you enjoyed and which we should throw in the garbage.
4. Have fun!

We sincerely thank you for taking the time to complete our usability tests today. Your feedback is incredibly valuable to us and will allow us to create a better product.