Supervisor Contact

Jonathon has been exceptionally good about caring about us students during these difficult times, checking in on us and asking how the work is going along with setting up plans for meetings. He is always quick in responding to emails giving great feedback as in what can be done better and what is good.

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This is an example:

Hi Everyone,

I hope you are all well and coping with these challenging times.

I’d like to set up a skype meeting with each of you over the next week or so to check how you are doing with your project.

We can do this with skype, zoom, or face time, which ever you are happy with, I can also do an audio only call if you prefer.

Please email to arrange a slot and include your details.

Kind Regards

Jon

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I think most of my professors and the student support/learning support team have gotten to know me and some of the issues I have been struggling with during the last couple of years. I was diagnosed with depression during my second year and have been going through therapy and medication to be able to cope with life in general. The covid-19 situation hasn’t helped in that regard but since I am still on medication I have been able to fight through it and deliver from my perspective, the best work I have produced so far at university.

Jonathon knows my situation, and I know that I can always contact him regarding advice about my project work.

He was really understanding and we had email conversations about me getting a deferral after advice and contact with Phil Jackson.

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My feedback received from Jonathon is mainly about design, presentation, and a promotional video I did for my project. Also, this is the reason why I picked him as a supervisor, because of how great he is as a professor and because of his high level of expertise in the film-making and animation industry.

The promotional video received feedback about the gfx and the ideas, which was great, however I had to provide/add some more info about my project service and revisiting the sound levels in the video. I have done so, and I hope this is shown as an improvement.

We have also discussed ways for me to record and present my presentation, and we decided on having the main presentation pre-recorded and then have a chat about the project in general either before or after the presentation itself.

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Dear Jonathon,

I hope you are doing well.

Just to let you know that I am having a conversation with the mitigating circumstances team and my course leader Phil Jackson to investigate my options since I have fallen behind, this is mainly project related.

As of today’s email, regarding the video presentation, I am planning to do a pre-recorded video myself of the presentation. I hope that is okay.

I will keep you posted and I know you are always willing to help which gives me great comfort during this difficult time.

Kind Regards,

Ludvig Siljeholm

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Hi Ludvig,

Thanks I am fine and well, hope you are too?

I have attached the latest handbook from the module area on student central for your reference, it contains some good advice about the presentation, I am happy for you to pre record the presentation, however I would consider having some form of discussion as mentioned in the hand book, as this will enable further/greater understanding of your project, if you think this is desirable we could record a teams meeting between us on the day.

Let me know what you think.

Kind Regards

Jon

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