Hostos Game Design Program 2018 Survey

This survey should take less than 10 minutes for most people. Your feedback will go a long way to help improve the Game Design Program here at Hostos! If you would like to remain anonymous, just type "anonymous" for the identity related questions or skip them.

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1. **What is your preferred first name?**

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2. **What is your last/family name(s)?**

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3. **What is your preferred e-mail address?**

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4. **What is your major?** *
   Mark only one oval.

   ( ) Animation

   ( ) Game Design

   ( ) Digital Design

   ( ) Digital Music

   ( ) Liberal Arts

   ( ) Other: _____

5. **What is your age?** *
   Mark only one oval.

   ( ) Under 18

   ( ) 18-24

   ( ) 25-34

   ( ) 35-54

   ( ) 55+

   ( ) I prefer not to say.

6. **What is your gender?** *
Mark only one oval.

◯ Female

◯ Male

◯ I prefer not to say.

◯ Other: _____

7. **Where do you live?** *
Mark only one oval.

◯ Bronx

◯ Manhattan

◯ Queens

◯ Brooklyn

◯ Staten Island

◯ New Jersey

◯ Westchester

◯ I prefer not to say.

◯ Other: _____

Courses

8. **What is the most advanced GD (Game Design) course you've successfully completed? (the highest numbered course you've received a passing grade in)** *
Mark only one oval.

◯ GD101 Intro to Games

◯ GD102 Beyond Games

◯ GD105 Game Programming I

◯ GD201 Digital Games

◯ GD205 Game Programming II

◯ GD210 Game Studio

9. **What is your favorite course you've completed in the Game Design program?** *
Mark only one oval.

◯ They were all good OR I have only completed one course.

◯ GD101 Intro to Games

◯ GD102 Beyond Games

◯ GD105 Game Programming I

◯ GD201 Digital Games

◯ GD205 Game Programming II

◯ GD210 Game Studio

10. **Why was that course your favorite?**

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11. **What is your LEAST favorite course you've completed in the Game Design program?** *
Mark only one oval.

( ) GD101 Intro to Games

( ) GD102 Beyond Games

( ) GD105 Game Programming I

( ) GD201 Digital Games

( ) GD205 Game Programming II

( ) GD210 Game Studio

( ) They were all good OR I have only taken one course.

12. **Why was that course your LEAST favorite?**

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Program Questions

13. **I feel welcome in the Game Design Program at Hostos.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	Completely agree

14. **Why do you think that is? Do you have any suggestions? (personally welcome)**

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15. **I feel like I belong in the Game Design Program at Hostos.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	Completely agree

16. **Why do you think that is? Do you have any suggestions? (personally belong in the GD program)**

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17. **Racial and ethnic minorities are welcome in the Game Design Program.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	Completely agree

18. **Why do you think that is? Do you have any suggestions? (welcoming to racial and ethnic minorities)**

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19. **Women are welcome in the Game Design Program.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	Completely agree

20. **Why do you think that is? Do you have any suggestions? (welcoming to women)**

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21. **Students with disabilities are welcome in the Game Design Program.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	( )	( )	( )	( )	( )	Completely agree

22. **Why do you think that is? Do you have any suggestions? (welcoming to students with disabilities)**

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23. **Lower income students are welcome in the Game Design Program.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

24. **Why do you think that is? Do you have any suggestions? (welcoming to lower income students)**

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25. **The Game Design Program faculty care about their students.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

26. **The Media Design Program lab staff are helpful to students.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

27. **The Media Design Program labs are open when I need them.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

28. **The Media Design Program labs have computers that meet my needs.** *
   Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

29. **The Media Design Program labs have computers that are up-to-date.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

30. **I have learned a lot in my Game Design classes at Hostos.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

31. **The Game Design Program is of higher quality than other programs at Hostos.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

32. **The Game Design Program faculty are experts in their field.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

33. **The Game Design Program offers enough different classes to choose from.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

34. **If you believe the Game Design Program needs more course options, which would you most like to see?** *
Mark only one oval.

◯ The course options are satisfactory.

◯ Programming/Code

◯ Web Design

◯ General Digital Design

◯ 2D Animation

◯ 3D Modeling and Animation

◯ Game Design

◯ Writing Intensive

◯ Audio and Sound Design

◯ Other: _____

35. **In your opinion, what are the strongest aspects of the Game Design Program at Hostos?**

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36. **In your opinion, what aspect(s) of the Game Design Program at Hostos need improvement?**

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37. **Do you have any other feedback regarding the Game Design Program?**

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Student Profile

38. **Of these options, which is your strongest game development skill? ***
    Mark only one oval.

    ◯ Coding / Programming / Scripting

    ◯ Documentation (Photo/Video/Writing)

    ◯ 2D Art /Animation

    ◯ 3D Art / Animation

    ◯ Game Design & Conceptualization

39. **How effective would you rate your skills with [GAME DESIGN & CONCEPTUALIZATION]? ***
    Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
I have no experience.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Professional (You could get a job doing this.)

40. **How effective would you rate your skills with [3D ART & ANIMATION]? ***
    Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
I have no experience.	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Professional (You could get a job doing this.)

41. **How effective would you rate your skills with [2D ART & ANIMATION]?** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
I have no experience.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	Professional (You could get a job doing this.)

42. **How effective would you rate your skills with [CODE]?** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
I have no experience.	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	⬭	Professional (You could get a job doing this.)

The Future

43. **Which career path would you like to follow?** *
Mark only one oval.

- ⬭ Game Designer
- ⬭ Illustrator/2D Artist/2D Animator/Concept Artist
- ⬭ 3D Artist/Animator
- ⬭ Game Developer/Programmer
- ⬭ Web Developer
- ⬭ Writer
- ⬭ Composer/Sound Designer
- ⬭ I have no idea.
- ⬭ Other: _____

44. **Have you considered getting involved with IGDA?** *
Mark only one oval.

- ⬭ Yes, I'm already a member of IGDA!
- ⬭ No, what is IGDA?
- ⬭ No, I don't have time.
- ⬭ No, I don't have money for the $30 annual dues.

45. **Do you plan on transferring after you graduate with your AAS degree?** *
Mark only one oval.

- ⬭ Yes
- ⬭ No
- ⬭ Maybe

46. **If you plan on transferring, which schools do you plan on applying or transferring to?** *
Check all that apply.

- ☐ SUNY Polytechnic (an affordable game design program!)
- ☐ Lehman College/CUNY
- ☐ City College/CUNY
- ☐ City Tech/CUNY (an affordable game design program!)
- ☐ Hunter College/CUNY
- ☐ Columbia University
- ☐ Parsons School of Design at The New School
- ☐ New York University (NYU)
- ☐ School of Visual Arts (SVA)
- ☐ Pratt Institute
- ☐ I don't plan on transferring.
- ☐ Other: _____

47. **What type of bachelor's degree program are you considering transferring into?** *
Mark only one oval.

    ◯ Computer Science

    ◯ Game Design BFA

    ◯ Digital Art/Media Program (or related)

    ◯ English / Writing

    ◯ Audio Production (or related)

    ◯ I'm not planning on attending a bachelor's program. (Why not??)

    ◯ Other: _____

48. **Based on my experience so far, I expect to be well prepared to work in the game industry following graduation from Hostos.**
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

49. **Based on my experience so far, I expect to be well prepared for a four-year program following graduation from Hostos.**
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

Misc. Information
You're almost done!

50. **Ideally, in which way(s) would you like to receive updates and information on the Game Design Program?** *
Check all that apply.

    ☐ Facebook

    ☐ Ryver

    ☐ Hostos E-mail

    ☐ Discord

    ☐ Personal E-mail

    ☐ Twitter

    ☐ HostosDesign.com

    ☐ Other: _____

51. **The Spring Scramble is beneficial to students.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

52. **I want to participate in the Spring Scramble.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

53. **The Spring Scramble rules and information are clear to me.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

54. **The Spring Scramble's $500 reward motivates me to compete in it.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

55. **How could we improve the Spring Scramble?**

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56. **The All Majors Meeting is beneficial to students.** *
Mark only one oval.

	1	2	3	4	5	
Completely disagree	◯	◯	◯	◯	◯	Completely agree

57. **How could we improve the All Majors Meeting?**

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58. **Do you follow the Hostos Media Design Programs Facebook page?**
facebook.com/HostosDesign/ *
Mark only one oval.

◯ Yes

◯ No, I do not.

◯ No, I do not have a Facebook account.

◯ I didn't know it existed until now, but now I follow/like it.

59. **If you are not on the Hostos Media Design Programs Ryver and would like an invite, please indicate the name and e-mail where you would like it sent.**

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60. **If you have any additional comments or questions, please add them here.**

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