

Minutes for Subject Area Team Games meeting

04 May 2021 at 14.00 via Zoom

Participants

- Martin Pichlmair
- Paolo Burelli
- Lani Alayne Feldstedt
- Annamaya Halskov-Jensen
- Hajo Backe
- Rikke Budolfson
- Mads Kjeldgaard Caspersen

Minutes

1. Approval of agenda
 - Agenda approved
2. Approval of minutes from meeting 23 March 2021
 - Minutes approved
3. Information
 - Study Board
 - i. Strategy – see below
 - ii. DDIT proposal – see below
 - iii. Study Environment Assessment – Wifi
 1. No issues with WIFI at EHK, but power plugs and the sound on the big screen.
 - Events
 - i. Summer Games, need to start organising
 - ii. CIG in August – looking for student volunteers running the tech part of the conference (although it's remote)
 - iii. Studio Tours ongoing
 - iv. Game Jam – portfolio feedback session, useful for students just finishing.
 - Students
 - i. Company collaboration – confusion about process, some conflicting information. Head of Studies and teachers are not the best people to guide. Approval is given on an individual basis. Study and Career Advisors are best placed to advise. It's a complicated process and decided on a case-by-case basis. SAP is working on clearer information on ITU Student. Mads to send link to student representatives.
 - ii. Praise for teachers' organised extra-curricular activities.

- iii. Many report-based exams, clustered in short space of time, especially if taking Game World Design and Playable Media. Difficult with 4 exams in one semester, students advised to plan ahead and coordinate with group.
 - iv. Data-Driven Design and Development – timeframe for feedback on mandatory activities. Course Manager explained and took feedback onboard.
 - v. Psychology of Play and Games – concerns about course design. Martin to follow up with Course Manager asap.
4. Quick follow-up on proposal about using pronouns in introductions in Orientation Week
 - Study Start / Orientation Week Coordinator will implement.
5. Update on Programming for Designers
 - Ongoing discussions about revising the course.
6. Proposal for BoS from DDIT: External Project
 - Main concerns is about lack of oral exam. Martin to bring feedback and discuss at BoS.
 - Discussion about ILOs for individual projects
7. Consultation on ITU Strategy 2022-2025,
 - Difficult to get feedback at this stage. Student Reps to discuss at BoS.
8. AOB
 - Schedule next two SAT meetings for 1½ hours to facilitate discussions.
 - Item for next meeting: Discuss elective in Tech-track, Data Mining. Invite a Games Tech student for that perspective. Annamaya/Lani to invite student.
 - Item for next meeting: Group forming –again...