Minutes for Subject Area Team Games meeting

24 March 2022 at 13-14

Participants

- Martin Pichlmair
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- Hanna Wirman
- Hajo Backe
- Eva Steensig Hauerslev
- Trine Møller
- Lior Maynard
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Agenda

1. Approval of agenda

Agenda approved.

2. Information

Events

- Remember to invite teachers to the Playtest events.
- 6-8 April 2022 the Eludamos happens, and at least one day will be open talks by games scholars: https://phdcourses.dk/Course/87102
- 21-23 April 2022, Espen will have a game analysis workshop. Probably lots of talks with big names.

Students

- Students talked to CM of the Psychology class based on the discussion at the last SAT meeting. SAT will follow it over the semester.
- SAT then discussed the alignment of courses in the programme and course structuring on beginner or advanced level. This is something to discuss further at another meeting.

Study Career and Guidance

• The first career workshop took place on Tuesday. A lot of students and three former students were there. It was a successful event! Students and Trine are very happy.

Study Board

• No input needed for the next meeting.

3. New curriculum

Appendix: MSc Games 2022

Cross-dit has been cancelled and Games will instead have an elective in the 3rd semester. This requires a new curriculum.

SAT approved the new curriculum.

4. Graduate Report

Attachment: Graduate Report 2022 – 31-01-2022-1

Martin presented the results.

Comments from SAT

- Student jobs: Our students do not have jobs on the side as other programmes. Is it a good thing or bad thing?
 - Students have a diverse background and are just learning games here too junior to get jobs?
 - o Is it just not a thing in the industry?
 - o Martin will have a workshop with the employers' panel in the fall and bring up this item.
- Students get jobs from their network to a higher degree compared to other programmes. Is this because our students are worse at writing applications or because networking is just stronger in the sector?
 - Posting and searching for new employees is an expensive process so especially smaller companies would go for employees through network.
 - Events such as what Trine organized last week are a great boost to connect between alumni and us. It inspires and motivates people to apply for jobs as well.
- Harassment: most cases seem to be between students outside of ITU and a few between students and admin but other than that not a lot of cases.

13. AOB

Some expensive equipment is missing. Hanna will send out an email to everybody – maybe someone has seen it laying around or something.