



EST	WINTER ROOM SCHEDULE	AEDT
<p>Mon March 3 11:30–13:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #3: Adding the Virtual to Reality</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ FAVD Sim: Towards Designing a Forceps-Assisted Vaginal Delivery Simulator (Hector Fabian Gualdron Hernandez, Alvaro Uribe Quevedo and David Rojas) ▪ Exploring Onboarding Strategies and Cognitive Load in Virtual Reality Games and Applications (Isaac Taylor, Fabian Gualdron, Hamed Tadayoni, Alvaro Uribe Quevedo and Pejman Mirza-Babaei) ▪ Developing Inclusive Immersive Virtual Learning Environments (iVLEs) a Work-in-Progress (Bill Kapralos) ▪ Integrating Virtual Reality Reminiscence Therapy into the dementia care programs at Alzheimer’s Society of Durham (Winnie Sun, Alvaro Quevedo, Sara Elgazzar, Khadeeja Fatima and Dana Warner) 	<p>Tues March 4 3:30–5:00</p>
<p>14:00–16:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #5: Demos @ UWaterloo</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Seven Weeks on Earth (Mengqi Gao, Lu Yang and Yipeng Xiao) ▪ Ready or Not, it's a Final Girl; Adapting Film to Board Games (Nadia Formisano) ▪ Tactile and Immersive Card Game Controller/ Simulation (Andrew Oster and Chen Chia Lo) ▪ Mine (Joel White) ▪ C'est La Vie ! (Jonathan Lessard) ▪ Think Box: Exploring the Intersection of Accessibility and Asymmetric Game Design (Lauren Olivier, Michael Quecano and Lucas Abramczuk) ▪ DEEP DIVE (Craig Fahner, Matthew Waddell, Peter Nichols and Mathew Lindenberg) 	<p>6:00–8:00</p>

<p>Tues March 4 11:30–13:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #12: Playing Through Late Capitalism</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Player as Medium: Games of Mid(dle) Management (Matthew Horrigan) ▪ The Gamification, Commodification and Cutesification of Everyday: Gacha Games and the Posthuman Imagination (Anushka Sharma) ▪ Ludic Play to Ludic Pay: Blockchain Games as Cultural and Market Economies (Daniel Kim) ▪ Generative Games as Situated Representations of Algorithmic Power (Craig Fahner) 	<p>Wed March 5 3:30–5:00</p>
<p>14:00–16:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #14: Meaning through Mechanics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Adjusting the Virtual Dial: Video Game Adoptions and Adaptations of the Radio (Jason Boyd) ▪ How Tchia Uses Licensed Music to Create Deeper Meaning (Paul Drotos) ▪ A Primary Analysis on the Narrative Driving Mechanism of Cyberpunk 2077: Phantom Liberty (Yishu Liu) ▪ Press X for Drama: Quick Time(r) Events as an Adaptation of the Digital Medium for Narrative-focused Games (Geneva Smith) 	<p>6:00–8:00</p>
<p>Wed March 5 11:30–13:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #21: Theories and Frameworks</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Exploring No Script Storytelling: A Dynamic Approach to Player-Driven Narratives (Mengfan Huang) ▪ Challenges and Opportunities to Narrative Player Agency in Interactive Storytelling (Brent Van Mol) ▪ "It's Dangerous to Go Alone, Take This!": Adapting a Model of Player Experience for Interactive Digital Narratives (Geneva Smith) ▪ Too Long, Don't Want to Read: A Taxonomy for Adaptive Narrative Design in MMORPG Based on Player Engagement (Derrick Wang, Hilda Hadan and Lennart Nacke) 	<p>Thurs March 6 3:30–5:00</p>

<p>14:00–15:30</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #23: The World-Space</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Spatial Interactivity and Narrative Adaptation: A Case Study of Batman: Arkham Series (2009-) (Jingqi Zhu) ▪ Comparative Analysis of Narrative and Environmental Storytelling in Elden Ring and Black Myth: Wukong (Yuyan Wang) ▪ Cities of Interaction: The Urban Logic of Competitive FPS Maps (Julie Niu) ▪ Reimagining UI Screens as Paratextual Narrative Spaces (Zishu Ning) 	<p>6:00–8:30</p>
<p>Thurs March 6 11:30–13:00</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Session #29: Adapting the Classics</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Game Adaptation of Allan Poe's Novels: from Literature to Video Game (Huajing Pan) ▪ Ludic Shakespeare: Interactivity, Agency, and Adaptation in Shakespearean Gaming (Abhik Maiti) ▪ Reconsidering Adapting Eastern Practices in Mindfulness and Meditation Games: Pursuing A New Game Design Framework in Chinese Daoist Practice and Philosophy (Haoran Chang) 	<p>Fri March 7 3:30–5:00</p>