GAME DEVELOPMENT

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Charades

• **PLAYERS:**
  • 2 team competition

• **OBJECTIVE:**
  • Guess what your teammate is doing

• **RULES:**
  • One actor is chosen from the team
  • The actor has a limited amount of time to convey the secret word
  • The actor cannot make any sounds or lip movements
  • The actor cannot point at any objects
  • The actor may make gestures other than spelling out the word
Charades

• PROCEDURES
  • One actor is chosen from the team and given a secret word. The actor has a limited amount of time to act out the word, while their teammate try to guess based upon the actors performance. Questions can be asked to the actor, with non verbal responses.

• RESOURCES
  • The acting ability of the actor

• CONFLICT
  • No verbal communication by the actor

• BOUNDARIES
  • “magic circle”

• OUTCOME
  • undetermined
Explore some interesting games…

• The Unfinished Swan
Why is the unfinished swan interesting?
The new Simcity
The new Simcity
Minecraft
Why is minecraft interesting?
Myth: Computer graphics “make” a game

- Tale of two games:

Game # 1:
- Trespasser (PC version)
- Gamespot.com score: 3.9/10
- Graphics grew old pretty quickly

Game # 2:
- Civilization II
- Gamespot.com score: 9.2/10
- Graphics are functional
- Considered the best game of all time

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http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=reaROufQ0PkJ&feature=related
The Sims

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The Sims

• May 2014 franchise has sold more than 175 million copies worldwide, and is also the (3) best-selling PC franchise in history
Why are the Sims interesting?
Starcraft 2 / League of Legends

• https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=nrTdyybcYNA
Starcraft 2 / League of Legends

• most popular e-sports titles. StarCraft is the very first game to have been accepted into the World Cyber Games tournament, and had a tournament at their events every year until it was replaced by StarCraft II in 2011

• The Season 3 World Championship included teams from all over the world and featured a prize pool of 2 million US dollars. The League of Legends Season 3 World Finals match was the most watched e-sport event of all time, with 32 million unique viewers.
Amnesia

WARNING

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The Forest
What is a game?