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Research Project: Transformative Gamification Services for Mental Well-being: A Mental well-being booster game for university students

Consent to take part in Gaming Experience (EmotionTune)

- ☐ I have been given a full explanation of this project and have had the opportunity to ask questions.
- ☐ I understand what is required of me if I agree to take part in this research.
- ☐ I understand that participation in this project is voluntary
- ☐ I understand that if I agree to take part in this research, I can withdraw from this research project at any time without any consequences of any kind. Withdrawal of participation will include withdrawal of any individual information I have provided should this remain practically achievable.
- ☐ I understand that any information I provide will be kept confidential to the researcher and his supervisory team, and that any published or reported results will not identify me.
- ☐ I understand that the data collected for this study will be used in the researcher's PhD thesis (which is a public document and will be available through UC Library), journal and conference papers. However, I will not be identified in any of the publications.
- ☐ I understand that all data collected for the study will be kept in locked and secure facilities and/or password protected electronic forms and will be destroyed/deleted after 10 years.
- ☐ I understand that I am able to receive a report on the findings of the study by contacting the researcher at the conclusion of the project.
- ☐ I understand that I can contact the researcher, *Afshin Tanouri* (Afshin.tanouri@pg.canterbury.ac.nz), or his primary supervisor *Dr Ann-Marie Kennedy* (ann-marie.kennedy@canterbury.ac.nz) for further information. If I have any complaints, I can contact the Chair of the University of Canterbury Human Ethics Committee, Private Bag 4800, Christchurch (human-ethics@canterbury.ac.nz).
- ☐ I confirm that I am above 18 years old and a university student/or have recently graduated from a tertiary education institute.

By signing this consent form in the survey before logging in to the game, you agree to participate in this research project.