## HOUSEKEEPING SERIOUS GAME (VR)

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# Our Heritage

First hotel management school in the world founded in 1893 by Jacques Tschumi.



## 1. EHL Hospitality Business **School presentation**

- Bachelor of Science in International Hospitality Management
- 3'726 Students worldwide
- 120+ Nationalities
- 3 campuses in Switzerland and Singapore



## 2. Course context

- Program: Preparatory year
  - 6 months onsite
  - 6 months internship
- Module: rooms division
- Course: housekeeping
- Duration: 1 week
- Number of students: 28

#### Organisation of the course:

✓ Practical morning lessons
✓ Theory afternoon lessons



## 2. Course context

Why did we choose to integrate gamification and <u>VR</u> in our teaching?

- Innovation (use of new technology)
- Increase student engagement for housekeeping
- Create a link between practical workshops, theory courses and hospitality industry
- Enable students to experience activity not possible onsite



#### ALIGNMENT TO LEARNING OBJECTIVES & OUTCOMES

- Apply room inspection procedures
- Demonstrate teamwork & leadership skills

In general: **real world activity** in phase with the requirement of the **industry** to better prepare students to their **internship**.



#### Internal partners:

✓ IT project's team ✓ Program coordination's team ✓ Teachers' team

#### External partners:

- ✓ Beau-Rivage Lausanne (hotel)
- ✓ Elite bed (hotel provider)
- ✓ Beautifulscreen, Rendr, Visual Solutions 360 (filming companies)

# Partners







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3 major aspects:

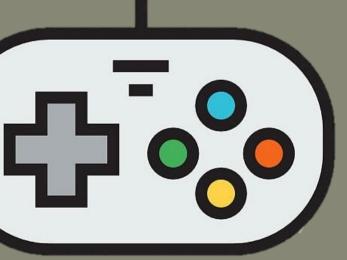
- Technology
- Gamification
- Teamwork



#### Technology: VR







#### Gamification: Serious game

Step-by-step creation:

- Concept
- Storytelling
- Scripts
- Game mechanics
- Different scenarios (defects)
- Review and test beta version
- Activity documents



## Game design



#### Implementation of active learning

- Teacher as a facilitator/guide
- Student as explorers/teachers
- Collaborative learning groups
- Realistic environment
- Realistic tasks
- Interactive environment
- Challenging tasks
- Gamification



## 4. Activity delivery

- Activity: Guestroom inspection (VR)
- **Duration**: 1:30
- Organisation: groups of 5 students
- Material: TV + googles
- Attendance: mandatory
- Classroom: with a specific setup



## 4. Activity Delivery

#### Pre-work

✓ Students' preparation (30 min)

### Right before the serious game

- ✓ Briefing + material (10 min)
- ✓ Students' Preparation (10 min)

## During the serious game

- ✓ Game activity (30 min)
- $\checkmark$  Finalisation of the tasks (5 min)

#### After the serious game

- ✓ Student feedback (10 min)
- ✓ Teacher feedback (5 min)



## 5. Activity evaluation

#### During the activity:

- Level of preparation
- Organisation, methodology & cohesion
- Questions during the game
- In game score

#### During the final exam:

• Questions based on the guestroom inspection



## 5. Activity evaluation

### Game back end

✓ Activity dashboard
✓ In game score (gamification)
✓ Activity reports

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Bed area	
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Ŵ	Abat jour mal positionné				
Ŵ	Allumettes manquante (placard du haut)				
D	Geste de regarder sous les coussins du fauteuil à gauche => billet d'argent trouvé				
Ŵ	Poussière sur la télé - Geste technique				
D	Poussière socle TV geste				
?	QCM Poussière socle TV				
Ŵ	Balcon sol - voix off				
Ŵ	Coussin oreiller mal placé lit à gauche (perroquet)				
Ŵ	Empreinte porte douche				

(version : 2)

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5	Room entrance	Q	Clim à corriger	0
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00	0:24:37	Entry hall
00	0:24:15	Room entrance
00	0:23:49	Entry hall
00	0:22:07	Room entrance
00	0:20:17	Desk area
00	0:17:24	TV area

## 5. Activity evaluation

#### Frequent feedback/correction

- Level of preparation
- In game feedback
- Multiple-choice questions
- Open-ended questions
- Game score
- Detailed report of the activity
- Debriefing

# mistake correction learning

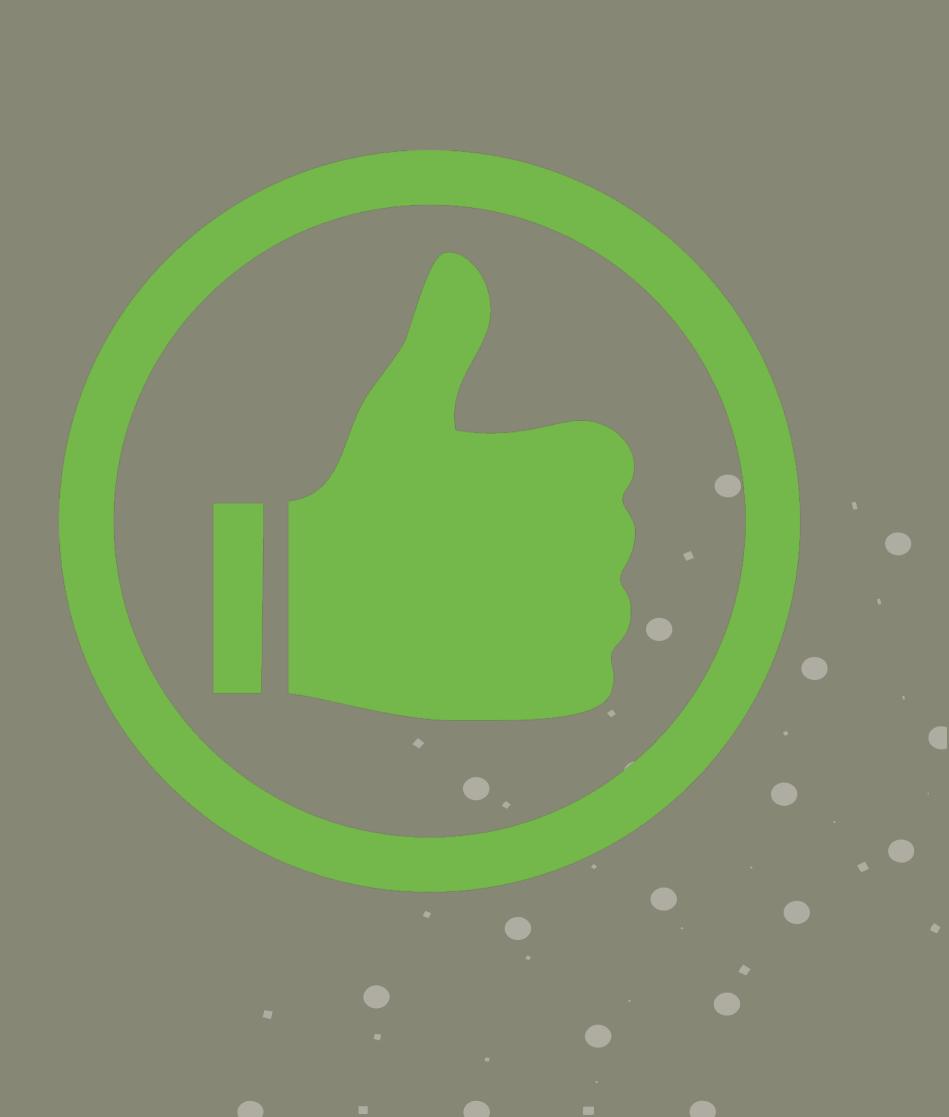
## 6. What works well

#### • For students:

- $\checkmark$  Active learning
- $\checkmark$  Use of technology
- ✓ Game-based learning
- ✓ Frequent feedback/correction

#### • For teachers:

- ✓ Smaller group
- ✓ Restore the image of housekeeping
- ✓ More variety of teaching media



## 7. Challenges

- Pilot project: v1, v2, v3 coming soon...
- Managing the technology
- Technology issues
- Students' involvement in terms of preparation
- The role of the teacher changes (guide, facilitator)
- VR or gamification is not a solution for every learning situation









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## Student's feedback

What were your expectations before starting this activity?	What is your global impression regarding this activity?	Do you think this activity brings added value to your learning experience?	What is your opinion about implementing more VR activity into your learning experience?
I was looking forward to VR activity and expected a fun activity where you learn new things.	I was positively surprised as it was really interesting and team building	Yes, it is a great addition to the Housekeeping workshop	Very educational and more interesting than online courses
Obviously, I expect new way of learning with using of technology and a different approach than just a "classic" lesson.	My global impression was that this activity helped us grow as a learner	Yes. Because I can more focus on some details	It can be fun and engaging; however, it may be too fun so that may become distracting for some students.
Have never used VR before, so I was excited!	Really learn something, it was a great experience and I definitely learnt a lot today	Yes because I never experienced something lile this.	So much more interesting than a lesson
To experience a new method of learning through modern technology.	This activity fed my team spirit and made me realize that you can't only depend on yourself but you sometime have to let go of the control to do better as a team.	Yes for sure, because it was more about a life experience	It is a good idea, using more technology, advancing in the future, makes the course more interesting as well, to have an operational experience.
	It really helps, not only as a future manager, but also as a human being, to get a virtual experience where you can focus and learn about team work, communication, preparation, and to put yourself as well in the shoes of someone else.		VR will certainly change the world and will be changing where people will be able to learn without experience huge physical or mental effect from old way of learning.





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