

PROGRAM | 31 MARCH 2025

DAY 1

9.00 - 10.00

REGISTRATION FLOOR
REGISTRATION & COFFEE

10.00 - 11.00

LOCATION
PLENARY OPENING

CONFERENCE HOST **John Harrison**
CHAIRMAN **Jurriaan van Rijswijk**

Metis Cognition Ltd. (UK)
Games for Health Europe (NL)

An overview of 10 years GFHEU

KEYNOTE SESSION

Keynote session title

Adam Gazzaly / Rafael Grossmann Company name (USA)

Games 4 Society: How Gaming Can Improve Remote Sensing of the Earth

Marco Beijersbergen cosine (NL)

11.00 - 11.15

LOCATION
COFFEE BREAK

11.15 - 12.45

PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION ROOM 1
TRACK 1

Play Behavior & Design Research
Moderated by Name

Danica Mast

The Hague University (NL)
The Participant Journey, Map for Playful Interaction in (semi-) Public Spaces

Liga Berzina

uzvediba.lv (LV)
How to Understand and Change a Challenging Behavior at School

Sander Bakkes

Utrecht University (NL)
How Pinball Play Supports Wellbeing

Zofia Einhorn

ThePlayground (IL)
Winning Hearts: The Quest Where Health Meets Gamification

The best design practices for playful health innovations.

SESSION ROOM 2
TRACK 2

Public Health & Prevention
Moderated by Name

David Wortley

International Society for Digital Medicine (UK)
How Gamification, Wearables, Lifestyle Medicine and AI Could Transform Public Health

Diana Eijgermans

The Hague University of Applied Sciences (NL)
The Influencergame: Empowering Prevocational Students to Counter Health Misinformation through Serious Gaming

Drew Crecente

Jennifer Ann's Group (US)
Gaming Against Violence: Bespoke Prosocial Video Games for Violence Prevention

Olivier Blanson Henkemans

TNO Child Health (NL)
ePartners4All: A Co-Creation Initiative for Enhancing Child Wellbeing through Edutainment and Interactive Robot Support

How can we utilize gameplay for a healthier society?

SESSION ROOM 3
TRACK 3

Mental Health
Moderated by Name

Dylan Arnold

Abertay University (GB-SCT)
Video Games: A Tool for Mental Health or a Risk Factor?

Ellis Bartholomeus

ellis in wonderland (NL)
POP: Power of Play

Emmie Koevoets

Wilhelmina Children's Hospital (NL)
Play Behavior and Mental Health of Children With a Chronic Condition

Puck Noorlag

Erasmus MC (NL)
Grow It! - a Gamified Smartphone App to Promote Overall Mental Wellbeing

How can the power of play increase mental well-being & happiness?

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PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION ROOM 4
WORKSHOP

How to Fund Your Innovation

Moderated by Name

Experienced investors teach you how to better raise funding for your start-up innovation.

Facilitators:
Stephan Hulsbergen, BOM (NL)

Organized by
BOM (NL)

FOYER
ONGOING EVENTS

Play, experience, discuss: try out the demonstrations in session room 6, available all day!

Escaperoom
Games for Health (NL)

Play it Forward
Games for Health (NL)

Coded Club Games
Coded Club (NL)

From Research to Reality: The Future of Health, Work & AI
ZenStorm (NL)

12.45 - 14.00

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LUNCH & DEMO SESSIONS

14.00 - 15.30

PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION ROOM 1
WORKSHOP

Sustainability Scope 3

Moderated by Jurriaan van Rijswijk

In this workshop hosted by Philips, we will turn the collective ideas for transforming supply chains into one sustainable, achievable action plan.

Speakers:
Robert Metzke, Philips (NL),
Els Ducheyne, Johnson & Johnson
Jurriaan van Rijswijk, Games for Health (NL)

Organized by
Philips (NL)

SESSION ROOM 2
WORKSHOP

Artificial Intelligence & Ethics

Moderated by Rob Tieben

Discuss practices and ethical considerations of using AI in healthcare, using real-world case studies.

Facilitators:
Spel van Centrum voor Ethiek en Gezondheid (NL)

Speakers:
Danielle Sent, Spel van Centrum voor Ethiek en Gezondheid (NL)
Rob Tieben, Games for Health (NL)

Organized by
Spel van Centrum voor Ethiek en Gezondheid (NL)

SESSION ROOM 3
TRACK 4

Training Tools & Education

Moderated by Name

Can we increase the effectiveness of training & education using games?

Wout van Nierop
Getinge (NL)
Vasoview

Chris Hegers
Bestronics Development (NL)
Vasoview Vessel Harvesting Gaming System

Olivier Hokke
Game Tailors (NL)
Game-based Training

Wouter Sluis-Thiescheffer
HAN University of Applied Sciences (NL)
Education Escape Room for Mental Health Professionals

14.00 - 15.30

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SESSION ROOM 4
WORKSHOP

Pitch Your Innovation!

Moderated by Name

In this workshop, start-ups pitch their ideas for direct feedback from an audience of experienced investors.

Facilitators:

ScaleUp
NLC
NL Investeert

Speakers:

Stephan Hulsbergen, BOM (NL)
Patrick van Eekeren (NL)

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KEYNOTE SESSION

The Future of AI, Who's at the Wheel?

Carlo van de Weijer Eindhoven University of Technology - EAISI (NL)

Keynote session title

Marco Beijersbergen Leiden University (NL)

Closing

John Harrison Company name

16.45 - 17.45

LOCATION
NETWORK DRINKS

PROGRAM | 1 APRIL 2025

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Games for Health Europe (NL)

KEYNOTE SESSION

Data, Complexity, Learning

Egge van de Poel Eggewel (NL)

Digitalization and Data in Healthcare

Lisette van Gemert-Pijnen University of Twente (NL)

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SESSION ROOM 1
TRACK 1

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The best design practices for playful health innovations.

Bard Wartena & Joanneke Weerdmeester
NHL University of Applied Sciences & HKU Hogeschool/Monobanda (NL)
Design Rationales in E-Health Junior: Navigating the Playground of Design

Dennis Arts
Fontys Hogeschool - Sport Studies (NL)
Designing Tools for Interdisciplinary Collaboration: From Research Prototype to Digital and Tangible Boardgame

Stéphanie Carlier
IDLab - Ghent University (BE)
Empowering Health: Personalised Serious Games and Gamification

Lorenzo James
Technical University Eindhoven (NL)
Toward Enhancing Engagement in mHealth Apps: Balancing Health and Entertainment with AI-Driven Level Structures and Dark Game Design Patterns

SESSION ROOM 2
TRACK 5

Transforming Healthcare Systems
Moderated by Name

Future-proofing our healthcare systems using gaming technologies.

Anne-Laure Héritier
DIVERSITY SA (CH)
Data-driven System for Autistic Care Using Mixed Reality Games

Julie Vranken
Hasselt University, Hospital East-Limburg & Jessa Hospital (BE)
Remote Monitoring@Home: Transforming Care Towards Hybrid Care

Charlotte Poot
Stichting Hospital Hero / Leiden University Medical Centre (NL)
Empowering Children Through the Hospital Hero App: A Serious Game to Reduce Fear and Anxiety for Radiological Examinations.

Oscar Dalmau Ibañez
UManresa Uvic-UCC (ES)
Healthcare Skills Toolbox: Enhance the Adaptability to New Scenarios

SESSION ROOM 3
TRACK 6

Citizen Science
Moderated by Name

How gaming technologies can engage more people in science and improve our data.

Berry Hermans & Mark van Kuijk
Games for Health (NL)
UNMASK – Citizen Science Contribution to Research

11.15 - 12.45

PARALLEL SESSIONS

SESSION ROOM 4
WORKSHOP

Map Your Innovation Journey

Moderated by Name

A workshop to better understand common bottlenecks and learn from both reflections and experiences.

Facilitators:

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National Health Care Institute (NL)
Games for Health (NL)

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SESSION ROOM 1
TRACK 7

Patient Engagement

Moderated by Name

How can we engage patients better to improve their self-sufficiency?

Teun Schutte

Budiyu (NL)

Title

Bart van den Bemt

Sint Maartenskliniek (NL)

Title

Pim van den Dungen

ReumaNederland (NL)

Title

Rob Tieben

Games for Health (NL)

Social Journaling

SESSION ROOM 2
TRACK 8

Rehab

Moderated by Name

Engaging patients long-term in rehabilitation is difficult; can games improve that?

Ruud van der Wel

My Breath My Music (NL)

Respiratory Therapy through Gaming

Gordon Brown

Abertay University (GB-SCT)

T-Wrecks: An Exergame Exploring Difficulty Adaptation and Player Engagement through Lane-Based Movement

Joke Veltman

IQ Health (NL)

Melody Game: Music Training App for Deaf CI Users

Natasja Paulssen

Dutch Rose Media (NL)

AR ExerGames: Promoting Physical Activity Through Augmented Reality

SESSION ROOM 3
TRACK 9

VR4Rehab

Moderated by Name

Engaging patients long-term in rehabilitation is difficult; can games improve that?

Fares Kayali

University of Vienna (AT)

StableHandVR - Virtual Reality Training for Restoring Hand and Finger Function

Roger ter Heide

ImproVive (NL)

Innovating Healthcare Using XR and AI Technology

Speaker name

Company

Presentation title

Speaker name

Company

Presentation title

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SESSION ROOM 4
WORKSHOP

Scale Up Your Innovation

Moderated by Rob Tieben

In this workshop, we will design a standardized approach for scaling up and successfully implementing healthcare innovations across multiple healthcare institutions.

Facilitators:

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National Health Care Institute (NL)
Games for Health (NL)

SESSION ROOM 5
WORKSHOP

Design for Implementation in Healthcare

Moderated by Name

Learn about the importance and application of a proper Health Technology Assessment from experts.

Facilitators:

Speakers:

Meyke Roosink, University of Twente (NL)
Stephanie Jansen-Kosterink, Roessingh Center for Rehabilitation (NL)
Lisette van Gemert-Pijnen, University of Twente (NL)
Ruud Verdaasdonk, University of Twente (NL)

Organized by
University of Twente (NL)
Roessingh Rehabilitation Centre (NL)

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KEYNOTE SESSION

Broaden Our Horizon: A Different View on the Evaluation of Games for Health

Stephanie Jansen-Kosterink Roessingh Center for Rehabilitation (NL)

Keynote session title

Speaker name Company name

Closing ceremony & video

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