# **TEAM CONTRACT**

#### ECE 3400, Fall 2017 Team Overbuilt and Underpaid

#### Team: Nicolas Casazzone, Ryan Hornung, Alicia Coto, Ben Roberge, Raul Pacheco

## **Team Procedures**

- All meetings and lab days must be attended by all members of the group. Meetings and lab days will be Fridays, from 12-1:30pm. Members must give a 24 hour notice if they can't attend.
- A task will that can be done outside of the meeting will be set aside in case a member is absent, and assigned to them. Such as writing part of a lab report, or uploading documents to the google drive and/or website.
- When making decisions, majority rules. All members may make their case for their particular idea before a decision is made.
- The scribe will keep track of meeting minutes. If someone is late to the meeting, they must then take on the responsibility of being scribe next session.
- All members must check the groupme regularly (respond to any necessary messages within 3-4 hours.)

**Meeting Time:** Friday during and after lecture (11:15am - 1:30pm), and possibly additional days decided via WhenIsGood

#### Roles:

<u>Team Leader-</u> Responsible for keeping the team on track of completing assignment for the week.

<u>Scribe-</u> Will record the meeting minutes and document any necessary photos and information during the labs

Web Developer- In charge of monitoring and updating the website as the labs progress

Positions will be rotated weekly to fairly distribute the work among members (rotations are done in alphabetical order).

# **Team Expectations**

#### Work Quality

- All new code needs to be reviewed by at least one other person (including additions to the website)
- All work must be completed by the deadline set out by the team.
- Consequences for failing to meet deadlines or attend meetings include serving as the scribe and/or additional duties by updating the website.
- All files should be uploaded to the Google Drive folder or git repo to make access simple

#### Strategies to fulfill these standards:

#### Team Participation:

- Current Team Leader will be responsible for equally distributing tasks amongst team members
- Any team member will be allowed to make proposals regarding the project at scheduled team meetings and must be heard out by the team
- Project decisions will be made on a majority rules basis at team meetings
- Team Leader will be responsible for ensuring all members remain on task and on schedule
- Team members agree to seek out help from other members or at office hours if they need help completing one of their tasks

#### Personal Accountability:

- 1. Expected individual attendance, punctuality, and participation at all team **meetings:** If anyone is late to a meeting or lab session they are responsible for being the scribe the next session. 24 hour notice is required if someone cannot attend a team event.
- 2. Expected level of responsibility for fulfilling team assignments, timelines, and deadlines: All members must meet deadlines set out by the team.

- **3. Expected level of communication with other team members:** Respond to any messages within 3-4 hours (or the next morning if messages were sent late at night.)
- **4. Expected level of commitment to team decisions and tasks:** All members must vote for all decisions made by the team. All members contributing about equal amounts of work and should always have a task they are working on for the project.
- 5. How should a team member catch up if they have to miss a meeting: Members should read the meeting minutes and ask a teammate if they have any questions.

#### Consequences for Failing to Follow Procedures and Fulfill Expectations

- 1. Describe how, as a group, you would handle individuals who do not live up to this contract: We shall hold a group meeting to confront the issue.
- 2. Describe what your team will do if these infractions continue: If the problem persists Kirstin will be notified. If the rest of the team members unanimously agree, the team member in question's name will not be placed on the final project.

## **Team Leadership**

Every person on the team will have to take the role as a leader for at least two weeks. The role of the leader will be to organize meetings and make sure that everything is submitted in a timely manner. <u>Here</u> are some hints on what the leader should do. Please note here who will be responsible when:

- Aug 28th Sep 15th (Lab 1, work on lab 2): Alicia Coto
- Sep 16th Sep 29th (Lab 2, Milestone 1 and 2): Ben Roberge
- Sep 30th Oct 20th (Lab 3, work on lab 4): Nicolas Casazzone
- Oct 21st Nov 3rd (Lab 4 and Milestone 3): Ryan Hornung
- Nov 4th Nov 17th (Milestone 4): Raul Pacheco

Nov 18th - Dec 5th (Final competition and deadline for the website): Alicia Coto

- I participated in formulating the standards, roles, and procedures as stated in this contract.
- I understand that I am obligated to abide by these terms and conditions.

- I understand that if I do not abide by these terms and conditions, I will suffer the consequences as stated in this contract.
- 1. Nicolas Casazzone
- 2. Alicia Coto
- 3. Ryan Hornung
- 4. Ben Roberge
- 5. Raul Pacheco

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