

Project 1 - Untitled

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Ruleset

Setup:

- 4 people, 2 physically in the same space (maybe in a dark room, obscuring vision), 2 digitally present.
- 2 text readouts, where the 2 digitally present users dictate the conversation for those physically present.

Interaction:

- Users have a conversation, with the two physically present speakers communication FOR the digitally present speakers.
- Feedback options, Digital users could:
 - hear audio of conversation,
 - receive text feedback (could be either the exact message from the other digital user, or an update from their speaker)
- Resolution: conversation ends and we ask questions about the experience afterwards.

Potential Variations:

- Cycling user's to create different relationships between physically or digitally present users
- Swap digital/physical user pairings part way through and ask users when this occurred.
- Start Point options: Either offer an initial prompt, or leave it entirely dependent on the two digital users.

Further discussion questions during class

- Should body language be masked?
- How would the conversation end? Would it be user directed, or do we provide/require an end point? Would said endpoint be time or content (they answer initial question) based?