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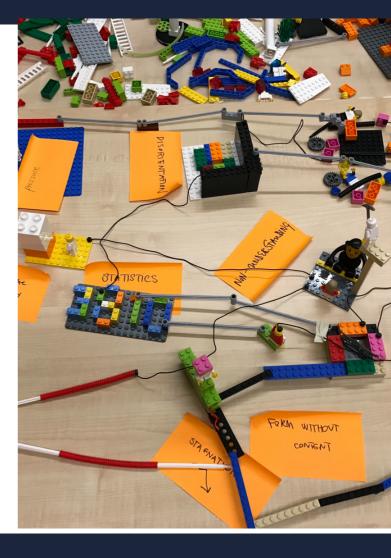


Good morning! I'm posting today to share some important information about our workshop. The purpose of these posts is twofold: first, to get your mind ready for the intensive work we'll do in the playground, and second, to provide you with a framework you can use locally when designing your game. Since you may not be a game designer, it's advisable to establish a team that includes the project's target audience. Even if they don't know much about game design, they can tell you whether they'd be interested in playing your game. It's important to remember that the game isn't just for you—it's for the players. To achieve success, you must understand how they consume stories and use technology, specifically user experience and user interface.

I WANT TO INFORM YOU WHAT TO **EXPECT DURING THE WORKSHOP SO YOU ARE NOT CAUGHT** OFF GUARD. THE **WORKSHOP WILL** COMMENCE **PROMPTLY AT** 09:30, WITH A REQUIRED ARRIVAL TIME OF 09:15 FOR THE PLAYROOM.

On Day 1 - 3/10/2023, the following steps will be taken during the workshop, each number representing a different play:

- 1. Introduction of the workshop concept, followed by a game-building activity.
- 2. Recap of the introduction and comprehension check.
- 3. Brief definition of the protagonist.
- 4. LEGO® building activity.
- 5. Emotional market play.
- 6. HSR play.
- 7. Persona art gallery play.
- 8. "What if" questions play.
- 9. Room walk-through.
- 10. Wall walk-through.
- 11. Hero's Journey activity.
- 12. Review of two games.



THE PUPPET MASTER MESSAGE

The Chios workshop aims to enhance your Game design abilities by developing your skills in creating engaging stories, missions, conflicts, levels, and rewards. By the end of the two-day training program, you can think and answer questions as a Game designer. The workshop will cover world-building techniques, including creating compelling protagonists, antagonists, villains, and challenges, and I will guide you through the entire process.

We offer you all the necessary tools to recreate the workshop at local level. Please join us for an enjoyable and educational workshop, where you will be the protagonist and take an active role in learning.

