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Principal Investigator:

Key Personnel:

Study Department:

Study Title: Student learning outcomes using blended strategies for at

Submission Type: Exempt Protocol Category 2

IRB Number: H17031

Reference Number: 340384

Approval Date: 12/16/2016

Expiration Date: 12/15/2019

The above referenced study has been determined by the Institutional Review Board (IRB) to be exempt from federal regulations as defined in 45 CFR 46 and has been evaluated for the following:

1. determination that it falls within one of more of the six exempt categories allowed by the institution; and
2. determination that the research meets the organization’s ethical standards

If there is a change to your study, you should notify the IRB through an Amendment Application before the change is implemented. The IRB will determine whether your research protocol continues to qualify for exemption or if a new submission of an expedited or full board application is required.

Exempt protocols must be renewed at the end of three years if the study is ongoing. When the study is complete, a Study Closure Form must be submitted to the IRB.
Any unanticipated/adverse events or problems resulting from this investigation must be reported immediately to the University Institutional Review Board. For more information, please visit our website at [ Insert URL ].

Sincerely,

Susan K. Laury

Susan Laury, IRB Chair

Federal Wide Assurance Number: 00000129
I would like your participation in a research study investigating alternate instructional methods for CIS2010. In this class, meeting time is allocated to workshops that emphasize use and practice with computer tools that manipulate, display and analyze data. Explicit information (facts, vocabulary, and concepts) is provided outside of class through a digital textbook and activity portal. You are invited to participate because you are a student in CIS2010. A total of between 150 and 300 participants will be recruited for this study. If you choose not to participate your grade will not be affected.

Student Name

Student ID

Fall 2017  Course Lecture Section

- Monday 8am
- Wednesday 8am

Your Age (in years)

If you agree to take part in this study, we will use the answers you gave in course surveys, study guides, self-assessments, and your final course grade in our research. Your identity will be removed after data is collected and matched. Your course instructor, but not other study participants and not other study investigators will know your identity. If you decide to be in the study and change your mind, you have the right to drop out at any time. If you change your mind about whether or not we can use your data, you can go to the same link you entered to find this consent form and record a new answer. Your last recorded answer will be the one used. You can enter or change your decision at any time, up to 2 weeks after the course grades are submitted to the University.

The primary investigator (Dr. Kurt Schmitz) can be contacted with questions or for additional information at this email address: kschmitz1@gsu.edu.

Please click a box below to tell us whether you agree to let us use your information in this study. Remember your decision will have no effect on your grade and you can change your mind later:

- Yes - your information may be used in this study
- No - your information cannot be used in this study.