Ethics and video games

- Video games are imaginary... Should we care if we kill, disrespect, or act differently as we would consider in the real world based on our ethics?
- Should we create violent video games?
- How about addictive video games?
- Do you want a job in the video game industry? Why?
- Psychology & video games
  - Pavlov’s dog... classical conditioning
  - Operant conditioning... positive vs negative reward
  - What if you want to make a startup and sell video games? Will you hire psychologists to help you make them addictive?
  - Neuroscience – exact science?
  - Should entertainment be meaningful?
- Gamifying education: do you agree with this approach?
- Game designers: why do you want to make games?
- Are you really a game designer? You are not a doctor if you just know how the body works, you are a doctor if you put this knowledge to good use.
- Should gamers change first, game designers, or game psychologists?