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Biography

Nigel Newbutt is an assistant professor of Advanced Learning Technologies and Director of the Equitable Learning Technology Lab in the Institute for Advanced Learning Technologies. He brings many years' experience of developing technologies with autistic and underserved groups. This work began by exploring multimedia programs for deaf communities in the UK. Beyond this, he has also designed and evaluated learning technologies (namely, podcasting and vodcasting) in undergraduate classrooms. He is a leading expert in the application of technologies with autistic groups, specifically virtual reality and immersive technologies. He co-designs his work with teachers and autistic people.

Areas of Expertise

Ethical AI Research, Social Robotics, Head-mounted Display, Immersive Technology, Autism, Virtual Reality, Special Education Needs, Advanced Learning Technologies

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