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Dear Dr. Hallewell:

As president of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society, I am very pleased to inform you that you and your co-authors: Harshada Patel, Davide Salanitri, Lorenzo Picinali, Sue Cobb, Jeena Velzen, Mirabelle D'Cruz, Luca Simeone, and Mauro Simeone are the recipients of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society's **Best Ergonomics in Design Article Award**. Congratulations! This award is presented in recognition of your article, "*Play & Tune: User Feedback in the Development of a Serious Game for Optimizing Hearing Aid Orientation*," which has been judged the best article in the 2021 volume of *Ergonomics in Design*.

The award is given following a very careful review of all of the articles in the 2021 volume by members of the Best *Ergonomics in Design* Article Award Committee, chaired by Rammohan V. Maikala, Editor. Subsequently it was reviewed and approved by Ronald Boring, Awards Committee Chair, and by the Executive Council of the Human Factors and Ergonomics Society.

The award will be presented on Monday, October 10, 2022 at an evening reception and awards ceremony at the Atlanta Marriot Marquis Hotel. The reception is 5:00 pm until 6:00 pm and is followed immediately by the awards ceremony which concludes at 8:30 pm. You both are cordially invited to attend this session to receive your award in person. We will provide additional details concerning logistics including a rehearsal session in a follow-up email. Kindly RSVP to Joann DeNardis, Sr. Operations Manager, at jdennardis@hfes.org by September 1 to indicate whether you will be able to join us at the awards ceremony. Additionally, you, or a co-author, are invited to deliver a lecture on your paper in a session dedicated to the best papers of 2021. Details concerning the date and time and duration of your talk will be provided in a follow up communication.

Congratulations, Dr. Hallewell, and, on behalf of the Society, many thanks for your important contributions. We are pleased to add your name to the roster of outstanding recipients of the Best Paper in *Ergonomics in Design* Award.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Chris Reid', written over a light blue horizontal line.

Christopher Reid, Ph.D.
President

cc: Rammohan V. Maikala, Ph.D & Ronald Boring, Ph.D.