

Saskatchewan Science Centre Opens Game Changers - a New Visiting Exhibition

(October 6, 2021) – Regina, SK – The Saskatchewan Science Centre is happy to announce the launch of an exciting new visiting exhibition: *Game Changers*.

This visiting exhibition features 120 of the most influential games that have transformed the gaming scene. *Game Changers* offers an opportunity for visitors to play 17 games that have significantly changed the gaming experience including Pac-Man, Super Mario Bros., Tetris, Angry Birds, Space Invaders, Flower, and Adventure.

Game Changers examines how the intersection of audio, storytelling, graphics, and gameplay creates the immersive environment of current video gaming systems. Visitors get to live the video game evolution from *Pong* to the photorealistic, immersive games of today. They will also learn about the concepts behind key game developments, play with the technologies behind the games, and explore the future of gaming.

"This exhibition will bring back a lot of great memories for parents with artifacts and giant versions of some of their favorite childhood games," says Sandy Baumgartner, CEO of the Saskatchewan Science Centre. "At the same time, younger visitors will be engaged with the games, hands-on coding workshops, and the excitement of knowing that some of their favorite things – video games – can be science too!"

Visitor safety at the Science Centre will be maintained with encouraged social distancing, regular cleaning and disinfecting, and capacity limits, and timed admissions.

Game Changers will be at the Saskatchewan Science Centre until January 9, 2022.

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About the Saskatchewan Science Centre

The Saskatchewan Science Centre is a non-profit, non-governmental educational facility with the mission of igniting scientific curiosity and innovation in Saskatchewan communities through interactive, dynamic and engaging opportunities. Our vision of the future, in fulfilling that mission, is inspired minds through science and innovation. The Science Centre is one of Saskatchewan's largest family tourist attractions with more than 6 million visitors since its opening in 1989.

About Game Changers

Game Changers is a travelling exhibition developed and produced by the Canada Science and Technology Museum and managed by Science North in partnership with the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council and Electronic Arts.