QuestaGame

The Quest:

How Online Gamers Can Save Australia's Biodiversity

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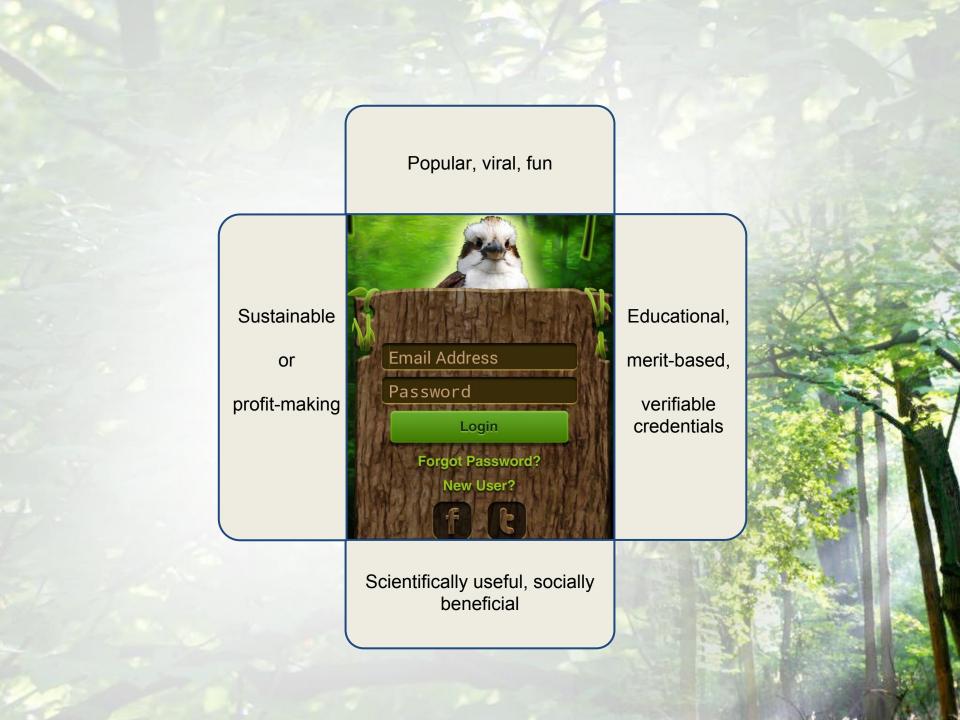
WHAT IS THIS?



QuestaGame is a mobile gaming venture that seeks to...

- Engage players in their natural environment through education and entertainment
- Help protect Australia's biodiversity through taxonomy training and species mapping





Mapping and Protecting Biodiversity: The Game

Motivating kids to collect data through MMRPGs such as QuestaBird, QuestBug, etc

Strong game development skills

Determines levels of difficulty and reward in the game design.

Data
Gathering

Education /
Awareness

Email Address
Password

Output /
Scoring

Login
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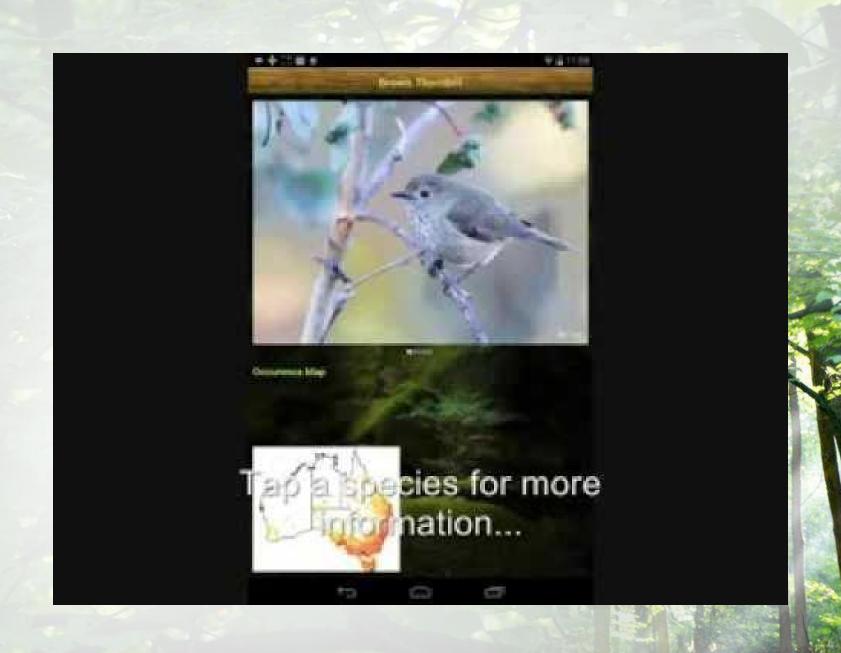
New User?

Data
Storage

ALA

Competitive, levelbased, knowledge testing (QuestaLab).

A verification engine (QuestaLab), using collective intelligence



Quest Map



Quests in progress around Australia. Click on a quest for more information about it.

You can join a quest by downloading the app.



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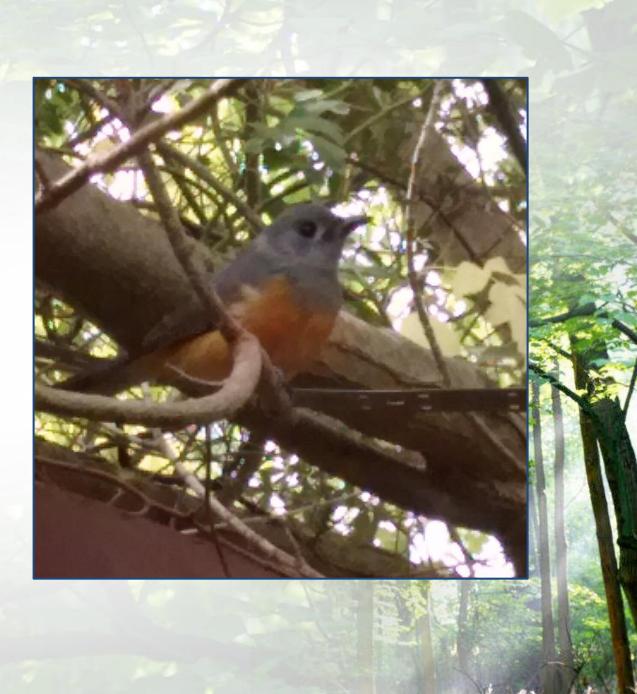
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Black-Faced Monarch

Bungendore NSW 2621, Australia March 14, 2014

User name: Gereon Gold Earned: **15049**





Sydney, NSW 2000, Australia

May 20, 2014

User name: Andy Carr Gold Earned: **25 + Bonus**



Examples of Upcoming Projects



India Biodiversity Portal (IDP) is rolling out a scaled down version of QuestaGame across India.



QuestaGame working closely with Sydney's Royal Botanic Gardens to track yellow-tagged cockatoos, ibis, as well as other non-tagged species.

Gold will be tradeable for real gifts.



EarthWatch/ClimateWatch is running field trials with the John Monash Science School in Melbourne.



QuestaGame Measurable Outcomes - October, 2015



400,000 people participating in species awareness and biodiversity issues.



50,000 unique species submitted <u>and</u>
<u>correctly</u> identified* against GPS coordinates
(out of 300,000 submissions)**



8,000 unique species from "average" or "lower" Bio-Knowledge territories in Australia.



10,000 trained and qualified taxonomy assistants.

^{*} Data verified by qualified verifiers (every piece of data tagged)

^{**}Data formatted to Darwin Core specifications

QuestaBird / QuestaBug







QuestaBird is an outdoor adventure game where players compete by photographing birds in the wild.

Join quests, earn gold, buy supplies, gain levels, build your collection - and help document and protect Australia's biodiversity.



It's free!

