

# From Framework to implementation Responsible XR in Education

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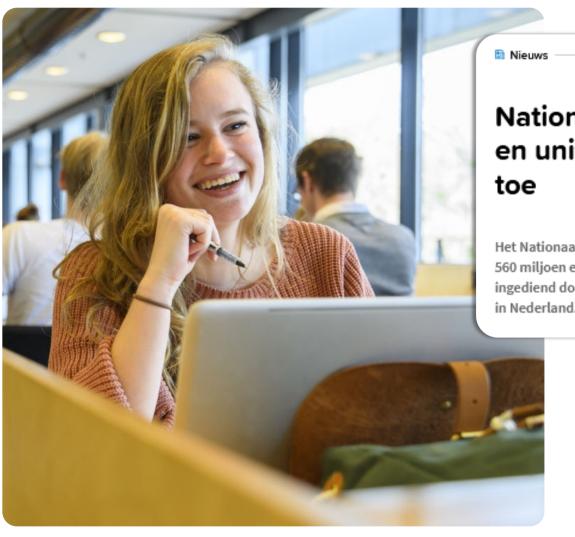
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# Npuls



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#### Nationaal Groeifonds kent mbo, hbo en universiteiten 560 miljoen euro toe

Het Nationaal Groeifonds kent het programma Digitaliseringsimpuls Onderwijs 560 miljoen euro toe. De aanvraag voor het programma is gezamenlijk ingediend door alle publieke mbo-instellingen, hogescholen en universiteiten in Nederland.







Universiteiten van Nederland



## This is why we need (an i)Npuls

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- Isn't equipped to facilitate changes in the labour market and society in a timely manner with up-to-date schooling. This poses a threat to Dutch innovation capacity;
  - → Leads to lack of responsiveness

## Three goals



Improving the quality of education



Enhancing the adaptivity of education

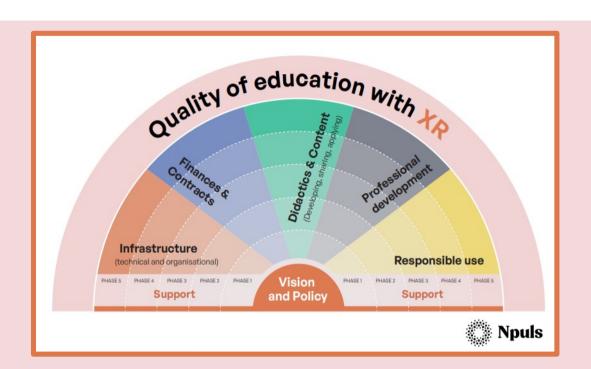


Improving functional and critical digital skills of learners and teachers





## XR Framework



## **Goal Project Framework XR**

- There is a framework that provides an institution with insight into all aspects that need to be organised and facilitated regarding XR.
- This framework can serve as a guideline for the educational institution to map the progress of the XR implementation and make adjustments where necessary.
- It offers a holistic approach that includes strategic, technological, and operational aspects.

## Workinggroup XR Framework

















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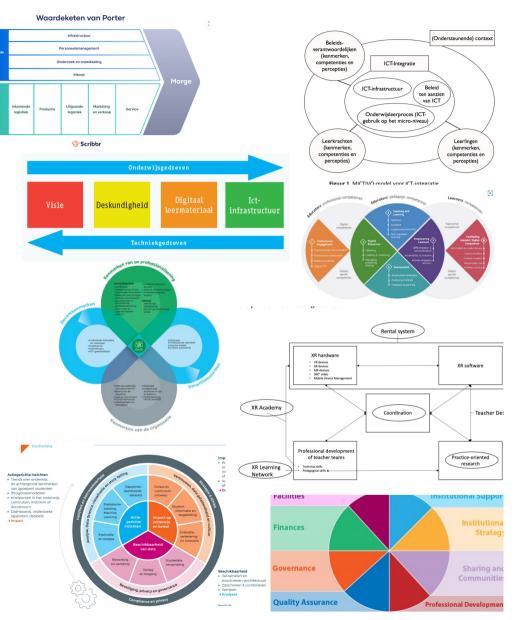


## Research Framework

#### Framework Research

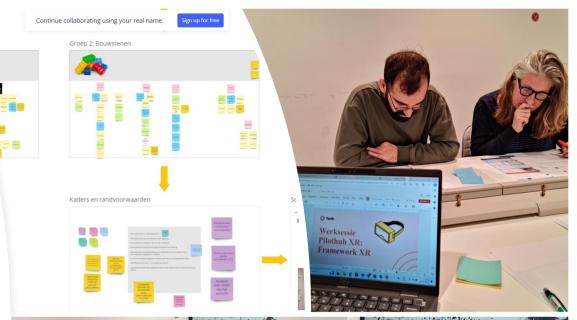
#### Inhoud

ramework Research	
Gevonden modellen in de literatuur	
Open XR for Education Framework (OXREF)	
Het Vier in Balans Model:	
MICTIVO-model:	
UTAUT-model:	
De Waardeketen van Porter:	
Bouwstenen Versnellingsplan Docentprofessionalisering:	
Digisnap:12	
DigCompEdu Framework:	
EMBED-model:	
Het Wiel van Data Science van het Versnellingsplan:	
Volwassenheidsmodel Versnellingsplan Data Science:	
App idee scan	
XR readiness Scan Leuven	
HORA / MORA	



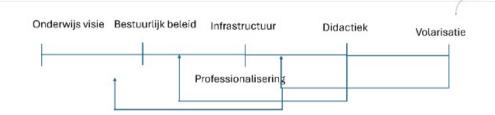
Work Sessions
Pilot Hub XR & Working
Group

- Literature Research
- Analysis of models
- Defined categories for the framework
- Defined characteristics & principles for the framework

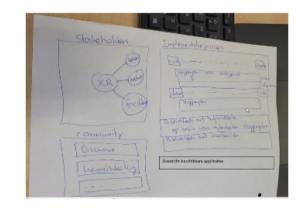


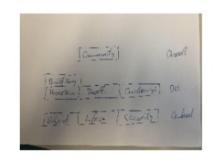


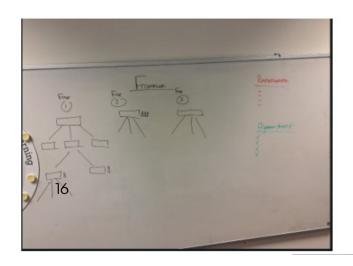
## Sketches Framework



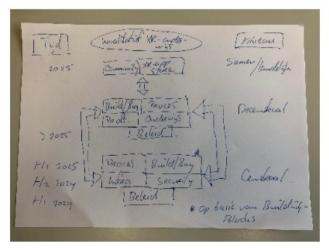




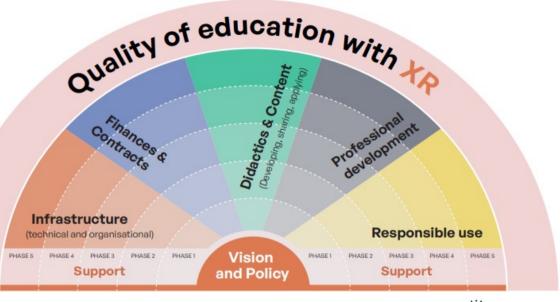








**XR Framework** 









Vision and Policy



**Didactics & Content** 



Support



**Professional development** 



Infrastructure



Responsible use



Finances & Contracts

## **XR Framework Toolbox**



#### Vision and Policy

Vision Strategy Policy Quality cycle



#### Support

Support



#### Infrastructure

Hardware Software Network

Data storage

Management Architecture



#### Finances & Contracts

Grants
Purchasing
Contract management
Valorisation



#### **Didactics & Content**

Designing content
Developing content
Sharing content
Didactic commitment



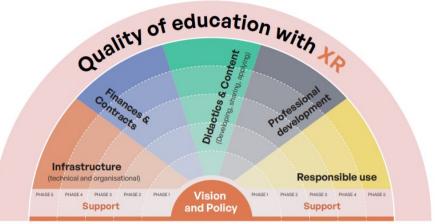
#### Professional development

Expertise enhancement (all XR-related roles) Required competencies (all roles) Communities



#### Responsible use

Privacy Security Ethics Accessibility Public values







## Maturitymodel



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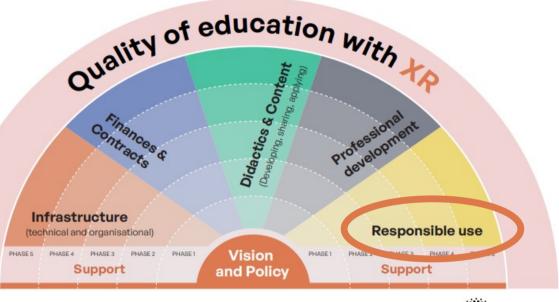
PHASE 1 Ad Hoc	PHASE 2 Awareness	PHASE 3 Exploration	PHASE 4 Integration	PHASE 5 Optimisation



## Maturitymodel example

PHASE 1	PHASE 2	PHASE 3	PHASE 4	PHASE 5
Ad Hoc	Awareness	Exploration	Integration	Optimisation
potential impact on	XR in education, but no standardized policy has been	institutions to build	equipment and software. Evaluation criteria are developed	institution stays updated on new developments in XR
	estabusneu yet.		impact of XR on learning.	adjusts its strategies accordingly to maintain a consistently high level of educational innovation.

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## Polder Perspectives XR

A card game about the complexities of eXtended Reality, education and ethics

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# Today I want 'to talk with . you about '

Technologies are not neutral Social Perspectives on tech What we can do next on this winding trail



## What is good technology?



How can we shape tech to our public values?



How can we be more prepared disruptive technologies in the future?



# How can we have conversations like these?



# **Ethics** tricky

is...

- Extra No one can make you 'responsible'.
- Has many answers
- Technologies like XR continue to develop rapidly.



## Relationships with technology



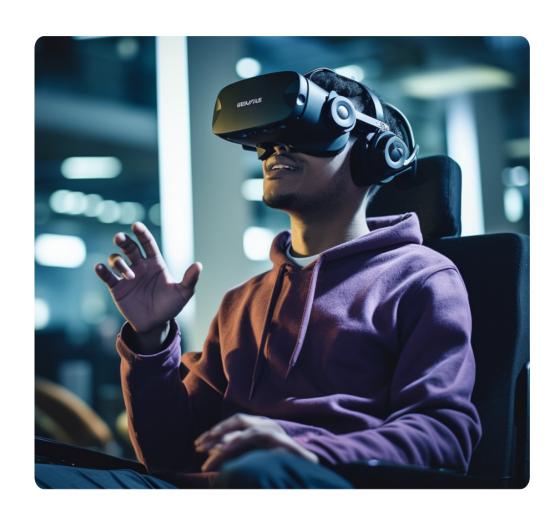


### Tech is in relation with you

XR Technologies are uniquely and *intimately* situated in this discussion

A better question may be how do technologies like XR shape our relationships to each other, our institutions and our communities?

Responsible XR (RXR) tries to capture this through facilitating ethical discussions, tools and models for the future of XR in education and research.





# How does XR tech help us relate to our (better) selves? Our Communities?

To better education and research?



## RXR in a Nutshell & Education | Research

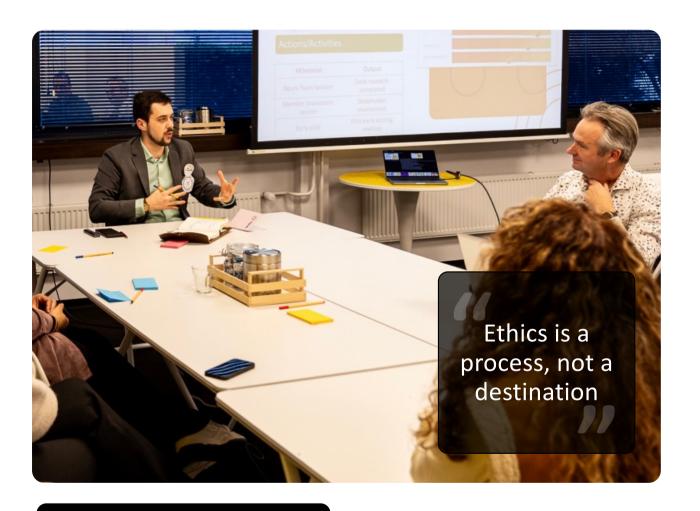


Responsibility as a *practice* 



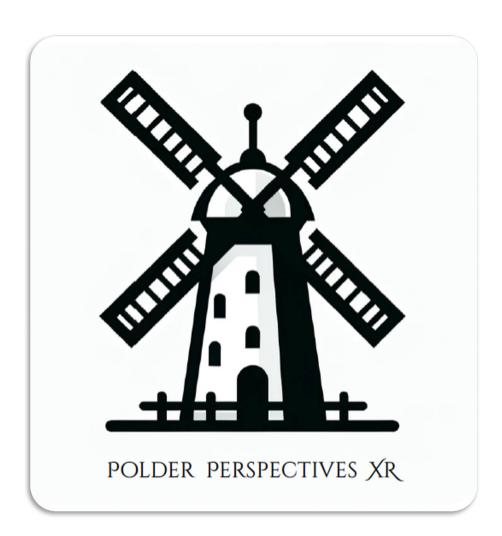
Public Values in Action

Understanding our priorities and what's at stake



Today we can do some of this!

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## Let's Play: Polder Perspectives XR

- New Challenges, Solutions
- Ambitions
- Target Audience
- Dialogue
- What it changes





## Responsible XR Has Challenges

- Complexity of topic
- Diversity of stakeholders/roles
- Scaling challenges
- Lack of resources
- Lack of awarness on topic

# How do we account for these challenges while still being engaged with our stakeholders?

And make it fun?!

#### **Be Ambitious**

- A card game to help facilitate conversations about ethics in XR for education.
- Scale the message of Responsible XR to across the higher education
- Create a game that can be shared without the need for a 'game leader'.
- Available to beginners who have experience with XR technologies.



## **Target Audience**

#### **Educational Professionals**

• Encompasses a wide range of roles within the educational sector.

#### **Specific Professional Groups**

- Higher Education
  - MBO, HBO, WO
- Teachers
  - Using XR in education, or want to.

#### **Specialized Roles**

- Privacy Officers
- Educational Innovators
- Policy Advisors

#### **Direct Beneficiaries**

• Students benefit as well from a game that can open new questions and challenges

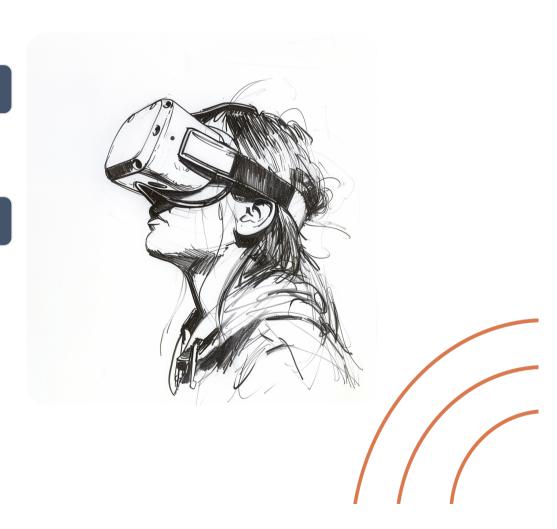
## **Dialogue**

#### What does an XR headset actually do?

- Sensors
- Capabilities
- Hazards

#### **Building Perspective**

- How can the context change our perception of the technology?
- What do we expect from others when we use XR?
- How can these technologies impact our public values?



## What changes after playing this game?

#### A social perspective on a complex technology

 Players develop the ability to view technology from a social and ethical perspective, enabling them to make informed and responsible choices about its use.

#### Responsible XR awarness and discussion

- Build awareness around institutional impacts that XR **currently** has on education as well as the **futures** it may bring.
- Vocabularly building of public values and technologies is cultivated.
- Scaling our impact



## The Goal:

The ultimate goal is to create a game that helps players to see the ethics behind XR technologies in a new and fun way!

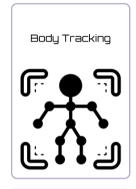
## The Game: In a Nutshell

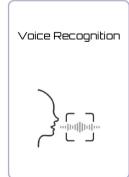
Choose 1 'base'





#### **Enhancements**







Facial Expression

Recognition

#### 1 Scenario



The university has invested in advanced XR training equipment that enhances training sessions. However, this equipment is expensive and in limited supply, resulting in only a select group of athletes having access to it

This has created a divide between those who can use the technology and those who cannot.



Some students report feeling isolated using XR Tech in large lectures, missing out on direct interaction with peers. How do educators balance the benefits of enhanced visual learning with the potential for decreased student interaction?



## **Example Scenario**

#### Scenario:

Medical and Health Sciences Education

#### **Chosen Sensors:**

- Eye Tracking
- Heart Tracking
- Haptic Feedback

#### **Application**:

In a virtual surgical training session, **Eye Tracking** technology is used to assess the focus and attention of medical students during complex procedures. **Heart Tracking** monitors their stress levels, providing real-time feedback to instructors about the student's emotional state. **Haptic Feedback** enhances the realism of the virtual environment, allowing students to 'feel' the texture and resistance of tissues and organs during surgical simulations.

#### Players example question:

How should this data be handled?
What are we okay with in this scenario and what doesn't feel right?
In what ways should we talk about values like privacy and well-being?

### Part 1

#### Reveal your scenario card

• Discuss amongst your group

Write down questions you have about the scenario or ethical perspectives

If possible, decide on a course of action or solution to the ethical dilemma posed. Write this down.



## Part 2

### Discuss the following questions

- What values are at stake?
  - Public Values like:
    - Privacy
    - Learner autonomy
    - Meaningful Contact
    - Etc.
- What do you find difficult to answer in a dilemma like this?

