

Hello! I'm Alex Johansson, I did a project with researchers from University of Sheffield.

Exploring tangible interactive design for people living with dementia locally.

We built installations that reflected familiar experiences like cooking, gardening and drinking tea.

This was paired with coloured lights and an interactive soundscape of the calls of different birds.



WOODLAND BIRDS



The sessions went well!

Attendees interacted with the installations and told stories about the presence of birds in their lives.

They then had the chance to make their own controllers out of craft materials which we wired up!

Had positive feedback from the organisers and from those taking part, keen to do more.





Lets chat!

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video games for
pensioners?

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Scoping design features for
tangible games controllers
with multiple stakeholders
involved in dementia care

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