

One evening after work, Schawinski met a friend (named / naming) Chris Lintott and complained about the situation. Lintott suggested that he (turns / turn) to the Internet to ask other people for help. Eventually, the two men ended up (to launch / launching) a crowdsourced online project (known / knowing) as Galaxy Zoo. The website was kept as (simply / simple) as possible, with a very basic design and an easy-to-use interface. This allowed those (who / whom) wanted to participate (to get / getting) started quickly.

New visitors were (greeted / greeting) with a brief tutorial that (was explained / explained) the project.

Then they were shown an image of a galaxy and asked to click buttons that (were described / described) its features. Is the galaxy smooth and rounded? Is its shape an oval or a spiral? After completion of the tutorial and a little bit of practice, the participants were able to classify galaxies effectively.