

# av\_perspective\_pretest

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## Start of Block: consent

### consent **Informed Consent**

#### **Participation is voluntary**

It is your choice whether or not to participate in this research. If you choose to participate, you may change your mind and leave the study at any time. Refusal to participate or stopping your participation will involve no penalty or loss of benefits to which you are otherwise entitled.

#### **What is the purpose of this research?**

The purpose of this research is to examine human judgments. All data from this experiment are gathered for scientific purposes and will contribute to our eventual understanding of behaviors and attitudes. These data may be published in scientific journals so that other researchers may have access to these data.

#### **How long will I take part in this research?**

Your participation will take approximately 2-5 minutes to complete.

#### **What can I expect if I take part in this research?**

As a participant, you will be asked to look at images and information presented on the screen display and asked to respond to it. Your response may involve responding as quickly as you can, memorizing what you saw, making a judgment, or completing a questionnaire. You will also be asked to complete a demographics form.

#### **What are the risks and possible discomforts?**

If you choose to participate, the effects should be comparable to those you would experience from viewing a computer monitor for 2-5 minutes and using a mouse or keyboard, e.g., eye fatigue. You are free to take breaks throughout the session. Some of the images and stories are mildly emotional, and some of the written stories are disgust-inducing.

#### **Will I be compensated for participating in this research?**

You will be compensated \$0.60 for this study. You will still receive payment if you withdraw early.

#### **If I take part in this research, how will my privacy be protected? What happens to the information you collect?**

Your participation in this experiment will remain confidential, and your identity will not be stored with your data.

**If I have any questions, concerns or complaints about this research study, who can I talk to?**

The researcher for this study is Julian De Freitas who can be reached at 626.559.6401; #161 Morgan Hall, 15 Harvard Way, Boston MA, 02163; jdefreitas@hbs.edu. If you have questions, concerns, or complaints, If you would like to talk to the research team, If you think the research has harmed you, or If you wish to withdraw from the study. This research has been reviewed by the Committee on the Use of Human Subjects in Research at Harvard University. They can be reached at 617-496-2847, 1350 Massachusetts Avenue, Suite 935, Cambridge, MA 02138, or cuhs@harvard.edu for any of the following: If your questions, concerns, or complaints are not being answered by the research team, If you cannot reach the research team, If you want to talk to someone besides the research team, or If you have questions about your rights as a research participant.

☐ I agree (1)

☐ I don't agree (2)

End of Block: consent

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Start of Block: id



id What is your Prolific ID?

Please note that this response should auto-fill with the correct ID.

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End of Block: id

Start of Block: att\_checks

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att\_1 This is an attention check.

John is 45 years old and Paul is 42 years old. Who is younger?

☐ John (1)

☐ Paul (4)

☐ Neither John nor Paul (2)

☐ Both John and Paul (3)

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att\_2 What color is the sky when it is clear?

Please make sure to select green, so that we know you're paying attention.

☐ Green (1)

☐ Blue (2)

End of Block: att\_checks

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Start of Block: att check fail

fail Unfortunately, you have failed to answer at least one of the attention check questions correctly and have been redirected to the end of the survey.  
Please click the button to below to be redirected back to Prolific and register your submission.

End of Block: att check fail

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Start of Block: pretest

vign Below is a screenshot of some questions that participants in a different survey were asked.  
Please read them carefully, then answer the questions that follow.

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pretest\_1 In the image shown above, what do you think "other people" refers to?

☐ People other than you -- regardless of whether they are similar to you or different from you (1)

☐ People other than you -- but only those who are very different from you in some way (e.g., very different in age, race, driving ability, etc.) (2)

End of Block: pretest

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Start of Block: comprehension

comp In this study, you were asked to answer the following:

- ☐ What "loads" referred to (1)
- ☐ What "other people" referred to (2)
- ☐ What "most incidents" referred to (3)

End of Block: comprehension

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Start of Block: demo

gender What is your gender?

- ☐ Male (1)
  - ☐ Female (2)
  - ☐ Prefer not to disclose (3)
  - ☐ Other (please specify) (4)
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ethnicity What is your ethnicity?

- ☐ Black or African American (1)
  - ☐ Asian (2)
  - ☐ White or European (3)
  - ☐ Hispanic or Latino (4)
  - ☐ Mixed (5)
  - ☐ Other (please specify) (6)
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age What is your age (in years)?

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education Please indicate the highest level of education completed.

- ☐ High School or Equivalent (1)
- ☐ Vocational/Technical School (2 year) (2)
- ☐ Some College (3)
- ☐ College Graduate (4 year) (4)
- ☐ Masters Degree (MS) (5)
- ☐ Doctoral Degree (PhD) (6)
- ☐ Professional Degree (MD, JD, etc.) (7)
- ☐ Other (please specify) (8)


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license **Do you have a driving license?**

- ☐ Yes (1)
- ☐ No (2)

dr\_history **For how many years have you been driving?**

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End of Block: demo

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