

Val – Creating a Private Persona

Overview

Creation of a Private Persona enables you to build a custom experience to explore and test the capabilities of Val and create a model for custom experiences that can make the generative AI experience more efficient and powerful.

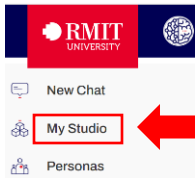
Currently, you will be limited to creating 5 Private Personas at a time. You can update previously created personas or delete one to create another.

Before you begin

- Access Val [here](https://val.rmit.edu.au/) (<https://val.rmit.edu.au/>)

Navigation

Step 1: Select 'My Studio' from the left Side Bar.



Step 2: Select the '+' icon on the top-right side.

Personas

My Personas 0

Search Personas



Step 3: Name your persona.

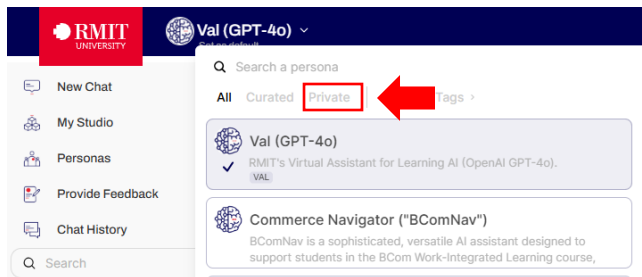
Step 4: Fill in the necessary fields to create your persona.

Check the next page of this Quick Reference Guide (QRG) to understand the what each of these fields are.

Step 5: Finalise your persona by clicking 'Save & Create'.

Tip!

Once your Persona has been created, you can also access it from the top drop down. Select 'Private' from the top Navigation bar.



Curated Personas are those created by the RMIT Val team for general use, after analysis on what would be most useful for RMIT staff and students. These have undergone rigorous testing and evaluation to ensure they work well and are fit for purpose.

Coming soon!

The ability to share your Private Personas is currently being worked on and will be released soon.

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Fill in these fields to create your very own Persona!

Base Model: Select the model you would like your Persona to use:

- openai-gpt-4o (broad, highly capable general knowledge model)
- openai-gpt-4.1 (newer, higher-accuracy, broad general model) (BETA)
- openai-o3-mini (reasoning model designed for more advanced tasks)

Description: Describe how this persona is intended to be used and what capabilities it offers.

Add Tags: To help categorise your Personas, add tags that describe your Persona's tone, features, or objective e.g. 'Learning', 'Feedback', 'Course Information' etc

System Prompt: Provide instructions to guide how your Persona should act using natural language.

Guidance for developing high-quality prompts can be found [here](#).

Advanced Params- Temperature: Adjust the creativity of the Persona, lower values will respond more consistently with higher values producing a higher variety of results.

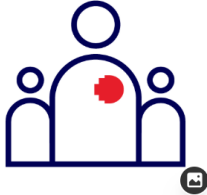
You can edit **Advanced Parameters** or leave this section blank.

Prompt suggestions: Include some suggestions for prompts that will appear when the Persona is selected.

Capabilities:

- Vision – whether the persona supports processing image content

Personas



Reset Image

Persona Name

Persona ID

Base Model (From)
Select a base model

Description
Add a short description about what this persona does

+ Add Tags

Persona Params

System Prompt
Write your persona system prompt content here.
(e.g.) You are a professional tutor designed to help students study. Create a learning plan for the topic specified, include learning strategies and

Advanced Params

Prompt suggestions

Capabilities
☒ Vision

Save & Create

