Implied consent by clicking to proceed the task after reading the following sign-up text:

Your participation in this research is completely voluntary. You may choose not to take part at all. If you decide to participate in this research, you may stop participating at any time. If you decide not to participate in this study or if you stop participating at any time, you will not be penalized or lose any benefits to which you otherwise qualify. If you decide to stop taking part in the study, if you have questions, concerns, or complaints, or if you need to report an injury related to the research, please contact the investigator:

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For this study, you will be shown passages from a collection of documents in English, alongside other information such as the title of the document they come from, and/or top keywords that characterize the theme of the passage. You will then be asked to come up with a suitable label for the passages shown, either by creating a new label or selecting one of the labels that you have already created. We will not ask you for any personal information. Any potential loss of confidentiality will be minimized by storing data securely in a password-protected account. Only principal investigators and co-investigators have access to any potentially identifying sensitive information, however, there should be none as you are only required to annotate texts shown to you and no personal information is needed for completing this task. The total length of the task will not exceed one hour and you will be paid $20 as compensation through Prolific. Any suspected fraud or abuse will result in forfeiture of compensation, and that includes not actually completing the task (more than 5 instances left unlabeled). At the end of annotation work (and within the same one hour), you will be asked to complete a post-participation survey. That survey aims to assess your experience in terms of how demanding the task was, how confident you felt about your annotations, how helpful you would find the interface for its goal of helping annotate documents, and your general feedback on the tool.

After the end of the experiment, data and annotations obtained will be checked (and anonymized if needed) prior to any public release. The data (your annotations) will be used to help us determine the viability of the interactive tool you work with, by comparing your labels for the passages with the labels previously provided by experts for those same passages.

If you choose to click the link below to continue to the task, you are confirming that you are at least 18 years old and consent to participate in this study.

Note: This project has been reviewed by the University of Maryland Institutional Review Board ([irb@umd.edu](mailto:irb@umd.edu); Package Number 1936243-1).

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