

University College London

**CONSENT FORM FOR ADULT PARTICIPANTS IN RESEARCH STUDIES**

**Please complete this form after you have read the Information Sheet and/or listened to an explanation about the research.**

**Title of Study: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_** HCI for Systems Engineering

**Department: \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_Computer Science\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Name and Contact Details of the Researcher(s):\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_**

**Name and Contact Details of the Principal Researcher: Dr Chris Evans c.evans@ucl.ac.uk\_\_**

Thank you for considering taking part in this research. The person organising the research must explain the project to you before you agree to take part. If you have any questions arising from the Information Sheet or explanation already given to you, please ask the researcher before you decide whether to join in. You will be given a copy of this Consent Form to keep and refer to at any time.

**I confirm that I understand that by ticking/initialling each box below I am consenting to this element of the study. I understand that it will be assumed that unticked/initialled boxes means that I DO NOT consent to that part of the study. I understand that by not giving consent for any one element that I may be deemed ineligible for the study.**

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|  | \*I confirm that I have read and understood the Information Sheet for the above study. I have had an opportunity to consider the information and what will be expected of me. I have also had the opportunity to ask questions which have been answered to my satisfaction *and would like to take part in (please tick one or more of the following):*   * *a group discussion* * *an individual interview* |  |
|  | \*I consent to participate in the study. I understand that my personal information *(age, gender, views)* will be usedfor the purposes explained to me. I understand that according to data protection legislation, ‘public task’ will be the lawful basis for processing. |  |
|  | **Use of the information for this project only**  \*I understand that all personal information will remain confidential and that all efforts will be made to ensure I cannot be identified and that the data is stored securely on encrypted devices. |  |
|  | \*I understand that my information may be subject to review by responsible individuals from the University for monitoring and audit purposes. |  |
|  | I understand the potential risks of participating and the support that will be available to me should I become distressed during the course of the research. |  |
|  | I understand the direct/indirect benefits of participating. |  |
|  | I understand that the data will not be made available to any commercial organisations but is solely the responsibility of the researcher(s) undertaking this study. |  |
|  | I understand that I will not benefit financially from this study or from any possible outcome it may result in in the future. |  |
|  | I understand the arrangements for compensation for participation in the study (if applicable). |  |
|  | I agree that my pseudonymised (hidden identity) research data may be used by others for future research. No one will be able to identify you when this data is shared. |  |
|  | I consent to my interview being audio/video recorded and understand that the recordings will be:   * Stored anonymously, using password-protected software and will be used for training, quality control, audit and specific research purposes.   To note: If you do not want your participation recorded you can still take part in the study. |  |
|  | I hereby confirm that I understand the inclusion criteria as detailed in the Information Sheet and explained to me by the researcher. |  |
|  | I hereby confirm that:   1. I understand the exclusion criteria as detailed in the Information Sheet and explained to me by the researcher; and 2. I do not fall under the exclusion criteria. |  |
|  | I have informed the researcher of any other research in which I am currently involved or have been involved in during the past 12 months. |  |
|  | I am aware of who I should contact if I wish to lodge a complaint. |  |
|  | Use of information for this project and beyond  I would be happy for the data I provide to be archived at UCL.  I understand that other authenticated researchers will have access to my pseudonymised (identity hidden) data. |  |

**If you would like your contact details to be retained so that you can be contacted in the future by UCL researchers who would like to invite you to participate in follow up studies to this project, or in future studies of a similar nature, please tick the appropriate box below.**

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|  | Yes, I would be happy to be contacted in this way |  |
|  | No, I would not like to be contacted |  |

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Name of participant Date Signature

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Researcher (Student) Date Signature