Start of Block: Consent

Consent **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO: INFORMED CONSENT STATEMENT** **PRINCIPAL INVESTIGATORS**: Dr. Matthew Feinberg **PROJECT**: Attitudes & Personality  
   
 **INFORMATION**  
 You are invited to participate in a research study. The purpose of this study is to investigate how various personality traits shape people’s attitudes. You will be asked to complete some questionnaires. Although the research cannot be fully explained at this time, a complete explanation will be provided at the conclusion of your participation.  
   
 **RISKS & BENEFITS**  
 There are no foreseeable risks involved in participating in this study. You will have the opportunity to observe the different kinds of techniques and technologies that researchers use to study social psychology, thus enhancing your understanding of psychological research methods.  
   
 **CONFIDENTIALITY**  
Confidentiality and anonymity will be maintained by assigning your data with a random identification code number. If any personally identifiable information is collected, the information connecting your personal information, including your name, to this identification number will be kept on a secure, password-protected server. Any sort of personally-identifiable information, such as email, will be safe guarded in files that will be encrypted. Only the research investigators and authorized researchers will have access, and these records will be destroyed seven years after completion of the study, in accordance with American Psychological Association guidelines. Note, however, that the information and responses provided by individual participants will not be identified in any publicized reports of the research.  
   
 **VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION**  
Participation in this study is completely voluntary.  You are free to decline to participate, to end participation at any time for any reason, or to refuse to answer any individual question. Refusing to participate will involve no penalty or loss of benefits to which you are otherwise entitled or affect your relationship with University of Toronto.  Your participation in this study is extremely valuable for our research, and we hope that participating will prove to be an educational experience for you.  
   
 If you do choose to withdraw your participation, please note that the researchers will not be able to remove the data you have already supplied.  However, if you indicate at the end of your participation that you do not wish to have your data used for any research purposes, the researchers will not include your data as part of their research.  
   
 **QUESTIONS**  
 If you have any questions about this study, you may contact the investigator, Dr. Matthew Feinberg by email at matthew.feinberg@rotman.utoronto.ca. If you have not been treated according to the descriptions in this form, or you feel that your rights as a participant have been violated, you may contact the University of Toronto Research Ethics Board, ethics.review@utoronto.ca, 416-946-3273.  
   
 **AGREEMENT TO PARTICIPATE:**  
 I have read the above information, have had the opportunity to have any questions about this study answered and agree to participate in this study.  
   
 **CONSENT**  
 I have read and understand the above information. I agree to participate in this study.   
 If you consent to participate, please click yes below. If you do not consent, your survey session will end.

* Yes, I agree to participate in this study (1)
* No, I do not agree to participate in this study (2)

End of Block: Consent

Start of Block: Demographics

Gender What is your gender?

* Male (1)
* Female (2)
* Prefer not to say (3)

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Age How old are you?

▼ 18 (18) ... 100 or over (100)

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Ethnicity What is your ethnic background (please select the one you identify with the most)

* African, African-American (1)
* Asian, Asian-American (2)
* European, European-American (Caucasian) (3)
* Latino, Latino-American, Chicano (4)
* Native American (5)
* Middle Eastern (e.g., Arab, Persian) (6)
* Other (Please Specify) (7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

SocialClass Which social class do you belong to currently?

* Lower Class (1)
* Lower Middle Class (2)
* Middle Class (3)
* Upper Middle Class (4)
* Upper Class (5)

Politics To what extent do you consider yourself to be liberal or conservative on most political, economic, and social issues?

* Very Liberal (1)
* Liberal (2)
* Somewhat Liberal (3)
* Moderate (4)
* Somewhat Conservative (5)
* Conservative (6)
* Very Conservative (7)

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Religion What is your religious affiliation?

* Christian (1)
* Buddhist (2)
* Muslim (3)
* Jewish (4)
* Hindu (5)
* Atheist, Agnostic, Not religious (6)
* Other (please specify) (7) \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_

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Religiosity How religious do you consider yourself to be?

* Not at all (1)
* A little (2)
* A moderate amount (3)
* A lot (4)
* A great deal (5)

End of Block: Demographics

Start of Block: Instructions

Instruct In this study you will be reading and briefly responding to nine different hypothetical scenarios.

End of Block: Instructions

Start of Block: Act1\_redeem

Act1 A person vandalized public property with graffiti

Redeem1 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act1\_redeem

Start of Block: Act2\_redeem

Act2 A person sneaks into a movie without paying for their ticket

Redeem2 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act2\_redeem

Start of Block: Act3\_redeem

Act3 A person repeatedly shoplifted expensive items from a store

Redeem3 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act3\_redeem

Start of Block: Act4\_redeem

Act4 A person lied about making a big mistake at work and blamed someone else who then got fired

Redeem4 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act4\_redeem

Start of Block: Act5\_redeem

Act5 A person opened a credit card in someone else’s name using stolen information and used it to buy a number of luxury items

Redeem5 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act5\_redeem

Start of Block: Act6\_redeem

Act6 A person cheated on their spouse with the spouse’s best friend

Redeem6 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act6\_redeem

Start of Block: Act7\_redeem

Act7 A person got drunk and then drove home with their child in the car

Redeem7 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act7\_redeem

Start of Block: Act8\_redeem

Act8 A person neglected their child by not feeding them for over a day

Redeem8 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act8\_redeem

Start of Block: Act9\_redeem

Act9 A person belonged to ISIS as a solider

Redeem9 Do you think it is possible for someone to be redeemed in your eyes after committing the above act?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Act9\_redeem

Start of Block: Act1\_yes

Act1a You said **it is possible** for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person vandalized public property with graffiti

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Themes1a   
To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in your eyes**.**In other words, how important are each of the following for you to believe this person was redeemed?

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| There is some kind of fundamental change in the person's personality (who they are as a person) and personal growth after they acted immorally (PersonChange) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person apologizes (Apology) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person asks for or seeks forgiveness from others (Forgiveness) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person understands and is aware that their immoral behavior was wrong (Understand) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person accepts responsibility for their immoral behavior (Responsibility) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Other1a Are there any steps that you believe are important for this person to be redeemed **that we did not include** in the previous question? If yes, please include that step below in a brief phrase or sentence.

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End of Block: Act1\_yes

Start of Block: Act1\_no

Act1b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
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Themes1b Imagine someone believed redemption **is** possible for the above unethical act. To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in their eyes. In other words, how important are each of the following for someone to believe this person was redeemed?

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End of Block: Act1\_no

Start of Block: Act2\_yes

Act2a   
You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
A person sneaks into a movie without paying for their ticket

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Themes2a   
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End of Block: Act2\_yes

Start of Block: Act2\_no

Act2b   
You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
A person sneaks into a movie without paying for their ticket

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Start of Block: Act3\_yes

Act3a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
A person repeatedly shoplifted expensive items from a store

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Themes3a   
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End of Block: Act3\_yes

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Act3b   
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Start of Block: Act4\_yes

Act4a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person lied about making a big mistake at work and blamed someone else who then got fired

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Themes4a   
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End of Block: Act4\_yes

Start of Block: Act4\_no

Acts4b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person lied about making a big mistake at work and blamed someone else who then got fired

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Themes4b Imagine someone believed redemption **is** possible for the above unethical act. To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in their eyes. In other words, how important are each of the following for someone to believe this person was redeemed?

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End of Block: Act4\_no

Start of Block: Act5\_yes

Act5a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person opened a credit card in someone else’s name using stolen information and used it to buy a number of luxury items

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Themes5a   
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End of Block: Act5\_yes

Start of Block: Act5\_no

Act5b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person opened a credit card in someone else’s name using stolen information and used it to buy a number of luxury items

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Themes5b Imagine someone believed redemption **is** possible for the above unethical act. To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in their eyes. In other words, how important are each of the following for someone to believe this person was redeemed?

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End of Block: Act5\_no

Start of Block: Act6\_yes

Act6a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person cheated on their spouse with the spouse’s best friend

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Themes6a   
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End of Block: Act6\_yes

Start of Block: Act6\_no

Act6b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
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End of Block: Act6\_no

Start of Block: Act7\_yes

Act7a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
A person got drunk and then drove home with their child in the car

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End of Block: Act7\_yes

Start of Block: Act7\_no

Act7b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
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Start of Block: Act8\_yes

Act8a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
A person neglected their child by not feeding them for over a day

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Themes8a   
To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in your eyes**.**In other words, how important are each of the following for you to believe this person was redeemed?

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| The person does not repeat the same immoral behavior again and avoids doing other immoral behaviors in the future (ImmoralChange) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person actively engages in moral acts in the future (MoralChange) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| There is some kind of fundamental change in the person's personality (who they are as a person) and personal growth after they acted immorally (PersonChange) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person apologizes (Apology) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person asks for or seeks forgiveness from others (Forgiveness) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person understands and is aware that their immoral behavior was wrong (Understand) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person accepts responsibility for their immoral behavior (Responsibility) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person accepts punishment for their immoral behavior (AcceptPunish) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person makes amends or reparations towards the victims or people related to the victims for their immoral behavior (Amends) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The person shows guilt or remorse for their immoral behavior (Guilt) |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Other8a Are there any steps that you believe are important for this person to be redeemed **that we did not include** in the previous question? If yes, please include that step below in a brief phrase or sentence.

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End of Block: Act8\_yes

Start of Block: Act8\_no

Act8b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
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Themes8b Imagine someone believed redemption **is** possible for the above unethical act. To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in their eyes. In other words, how important are each of the following for someone to believe this person was redeemed?

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Act9a You said it is possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
A person belonged to ISIS as a solider

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Themes9a   
To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in your eyes**.**In other words, how important are each of the following for you to believe this person was redeemed?

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Act9b You said it is not possible for someone to redeem themselves after committing this act:   
  
  
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Themes9b Imagine someone believed redemption **is** possible for the above unethical act. To what extent do you believe the following are important steps for **the person who acted unethically in the above scenario** to be redeemed in their eyes. In other words, how important are each of the following for someone to believe this person was redeemed?

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Start of Block: Debrief

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 Feel free to read below to learn more about the study:  
   
 This study was a survey to examine what people believe it means for someone to be redeemed, and what elements of redemption are important when someone commits different types of unethical acts.

Comment Please let us know if you have an any comments, suggestions, or critiques of this study in the box below.

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