

# **DUBLIN CITY UNIVERSITY**

## **Plain Language Statement**

**Study Title:** Currency Converter

**University Department Involved:** School of Computing

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### **Introduction to the Study**

The Currency Converter is designed for everyone. The goal of this project is to allow users to follow the latest currency exchange rates on our mobile application. We aim to design this application in a simple and elegant user interface. This will reduce the need for users to have to access the browser in order to acquire this information, as a mobile application allows for quicker access and ease of use. Users will also be able to view the past months rates and compare and choose the best time to convert their money. Each user will require an email address and password for verification to login.

### **Data Protection/Privacy Notice (Personal Data – GDPR Compliance)**

There will be no personal data recorded. The participants throughout the study will remain anonymous.

### **Participant's Involvement In The Study**

Participants will be asked to use the application and complete a survey/questionnaire at the end. The estimated time for completion will be around 45 minutes.

### **Potential Risks**

No risks will be taken by participants throughout their involvement in the study.

### **Benefits To Participants**

There will be no benefits to participants that choose to be involved in the study

### **Data Protection**

Data that will be collected from participants throughout the study will be kept private in a google drive and will only be only accessible by members involved in the study.

### **Voluntary Participation**

Participants will always have the option to withdraw from the study at any time. The participants' involvement in the study is completely voluntary. Once participants have completed the survey, their opinions cannot be deleted as the survey results have already been processed.

***If participants have concerns about this study and wish to contact an independent person,***

***please contact:***

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