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Consent form for persons participating in a research project

PROJECT TITLE: *Preferences and Decision-making under Risk and Uncertainty*

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1. I consent to participate in this project. The purpose of this research is to investigate peoples' preferences and decision-making when faced with risk and uncertainty.
2. I understand that this project is for research purposes only. It is expected that the results of this study will be presented at conferences and published in a peer-reviewed journal.
3. In this project I will be randomly assigned to an experimental condition during which I will be asked to make a choice in relation to some simple vignettes (a short description of a life-like scenario). The details of this have been explained in the statement on the previous page.
4. I understand that there are risks involved in participating in this research project, although they are minimal; the largest risk is of some degree of boredom. The study is estimated to take around five to seven minutes.
5. My participation is voluntary, and I am free to withdraw from the project at any time without explanation or prejudice and to withdraw any unprocessed data I have provided. Withdrawing from the project will not affect my relationship with any person.
7. I have been informed that the data from this research will be stored at the University of Melbourne.
8. I have been informed that the confidentiality of the information I provide will be safeguarded subject to any legal requirements. My data is anonymous and not linked to any identifying information at any time.

By clicking the "Next" button I give my consent to participate in this project.
