BUAN6392 Project Survey

Start of Block: Informed Consent

Q1: Welcome to "***Will using online resources or courses like Udacity improve a student's GPA?,***" a web-based experiment that examines *whether students taking online courses will potentially help them increasing their GPA.*. Before taking part in this study, please read the consent form below and click on the "I Agree" button at the bottom of the page if you understand the statements and freely consent to participate in the study.

**Consent Form**

This study involves a web-based experiment designed to *whether students taking online courses will potentially help them increasing their GPA.*. The study is being conducted *by Yu-Chien Ho, Xuan Fan, Xiaojia Zhang, Dr. Mehra, Amit of* The University of Texas at Dallas, and it has been designated by The University of Texas at Dallas Office of Research Compliance as exempt from review by an Institutional Review Board. *No deception is involved*, and the study involves no more than minimal risk to participants (i.e., the level of risk encountered in daily life).

Participation in the study typically takes *10 minutes to complete the survey* and is strictly confidential. Participants will be asked 9 questions based on their experiment of taking online course such as Udacity, etc.

All responses are treated as confidential, and in no case will responses from individual participants be identified. Rather, all data will be pooled and published in aggregate form only. Participants should be aware; however, that the experiment is not being run from a "secure" https server of the kind typically used to handle credit card transactions, so there is a small possibility that responses could be viewed by unauthorized third parties (e.g., computer hackers

Many individuals find participation in this study enjoyable, and no adverse reactions have been reported thus far. Participants will not receive *any payment for participating in this study*.

Participation is voluntary, refusal to take part in the study involves no penalty or loss of benefits to which participants are otherwise entitled, and participants may withdraw from the study at any time without penalty or loss of benefits to which they are otherwise entitled.

If participants have further questions about this study, they may contact the Principal Investigator, *Insert : Yu-Chien Ho at yxh180052@utdallas.edu, Xuan Fan at xxf170530@utdallas.edu, Xiaojia Zhang at xxz190008@utdallas.edu, and Dr. Mehra, Amit at axm078200@utdallas.edu*; Participants who want more information about their rights as a participant or who want to report a research related concern may contact The University of Texas at Dallas Office of Research Compliance at (972) 883-4579.

**If you are 18 years of age or older, understand the statements above, and freely consent to participate in the study, click on the "I Agree" button to begin the experiment.**

* I consent, begin the study (1)
* I do not consent, I do not wish to participate (2)

Skip To: End of Survey If Welcome to "Will using online resources or courses like Udacity improve a student's GPA?," a web-... = I do not consent, I do not wish to participate

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Q2 Major (ex: Business Analytics)

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Q3 Degree

* Bachelor (1)
* Master (2)
* PhD (3)
* Other (4)

Q4 Enrollment Semester (ex: Fall 2019)

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Q5 Current GPA (ex: 3.67)

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Q6 Gender

* Male (1)
* Female (2)

Q7 Age

* 19 or less (1)
* 20 ~ 25 (2)
* 25 ~ 30 (3)
* 30 + (4)

Q8 Have you used online learning resources? ex: Coursera, Udemy, DataCamp, etc.

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

Skip To: Q9 If Have you used online learning resources? ex: Coursera, Udemy, DataCamp, etc. = Yes

Q9 How many hour(s) per week?

* < 1hr (1)
* 1~2 hrs (2)
* 2~3 hrs (3)
* 4 hrs + (4)

Q10 Are you currently having job/internship?

* Yes (1)
* No (2)

End of Block: Informed Consent