

MSc Voce Technology programme

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## Consent form

For the final project of the MSc Voice Technology Intro to Voice Technology and Programming courses, we aim to make a Multilingual Talking Clock. This project is part of the final assessment of the abovementioned courses and will be available for consultation in GitHub both for faculty members and future students.

For questions or comments, please contact Alice Vanni ([a.vanni@student.rug.nl](mailto:a.vanni@student.rug.nl)).

**Participant information**

Please tell us about yourself.

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| Your age: | 18 to 24 |
| Your native language/s: | Dutch |

Please select an option from the dropdown list to answer the following questions, sign and return it to your contact person.

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| I consent to my personal data being collected, processed and stored by the Voice Technology MSc students Alice Vanni, Amber Lankheet, Brandi Hongell, Jingxuan Yue, and Wenjun Meng. | Yes |
| I agree that research data gathered may be published or made available pseudonymised. | Yes |
| I understand that the research data, without any personal information that could identify me (not linked to me) may be shared with others. | Yes |

*Your name*: Amber Lankheet

*Date*: 28/10/2023

*Your signature*:



## Consent form - privacy information

Why we collect your data:

* We collect your personal data because you give us consent to do so, in order to build our talking clock.

What we collect:

* Information in relation to this consent form and speech recordings that you share with us as part of the final project of two VT MSc courses.

What we do with the information we gather:

* Keep a record of the demographic information you provided (age, language/s).
* Process the recordings to obtain a clock that tells the time, meaning that your recording will be segmented and be used to generate new sentences than what you recorded.

Security:

* As researchers, we have an obligation to protect our subject's confidentiality and we will only share the research data with the broad scientific community by retaining this confidentiality.
* The collected data will be de-identified in practice by removing all personal information that could directly identify an individual.
* The consent forms will be stored separately and will never be shared with anyone except for the Voice Technology MSc team members responsible for storing these forms.

How you can withdraw and request your recording to be deleted from our corpus:

* If you do not wish us to make use of your recordings in this way, please contact Alice Vanni via email at [a.vanni@student.rug.nl](mailto:a.vanni@student.rug.nl). You have the right to withdraw consent at any given time without any consequence.