

Research Participant Information Sheet

Context-specific value identification in humanitarian programs feedback data: a Hybrid Intelligence approach

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1. Introduction

You are being invited to participate in the research study “Context-specific value identification in humanitarian programs feedback data: a Hybrid Intelligence approach”. This study is conducted by Raoul Brigola, under supervision from Dr. Davide Dell’Anna from Utrecht University.

2. What is the background and purpose of this study?

This study aims to examine how a humanitarian organisation (e.g. the Red Cross) collects and utilizes humanitarian feedback data. Ultimately, the study is conducted with the goal of developing tools for analysts that work with the collected data.

3. Who will carry out the study?

This study is carried out by Raoul Brigola (r.j.brigola@students.uu.nl), a student from Utrecht University, currently enrolled in the program Masters Artificial Intelligence, in the context of his master’s thesis. The study is supervised by Dr. Davide Dell’Anna from Utrecht University.

4. How will the study be carried out?

This study will take place in an online meeting, lasting approximately one hour. The format of the meeting is a focus group with the intention to instigate discussions amongst the participants. For this, a number of open-ended statements will be presented, and the participants will be asked to discuss them in the group.

5. What will we do with your data?

For the analysis of the results, the meeting will be audio recorded. The recording will be stored only on devices authorized by Utrecht University, namely the personal laptops of Raoul Brigola and Dr. Davide Dell’Anna. The recording will be stored until the end of the research project, which is scheduled for 07-2024. The recording will be stored latest until 12-2024. The recording will be used to extract information about the requirements of a Red Cross analyst, when working with humanitarian feedback data.

6. What are your rights?

Participation is voluntary. We are only allowed to collect your data for our study if you consent to this. If you decide not to participate, you do not have to take any further action. You do not need to sign anything. Nor are you required to explain why you do not want to participate. If you decide to participate, you can always change your mind and stop participating at any time, including during the study. You will even be able to withdraw your consent after you have participated. However, if you choose to do so, we will not be required to undo the processing of your data that has taken place up until that time. The personal data we have obtained from you up until the time when you withdraw your consent will be erased (where personal data is any data that can be linked to you, so this excludes any already anonymized data).



7. Approval of this study

This study has been allowed to proceed by the Research Institute of Information and Computing Sciences on the basis of an Ethics and Privacy Quick Scan. If you have a complaint about the way this study is carried out, please send an email to: ics-ethics@uu.nl. If you have any complaints or questions about the processing of personal data, please send an email to the Faculty of Sciences Privacy Officer: privacy-beta@uu.nl. The Privacy Officer will also be able to assist you in exercising the rights you have under the GDPR. For details of our legal basis for using personal data and the rights you have over your data please see the University's privacy information at www.uu.nl/en/organisation/privacy.

8. More information about this study?

If you have any questions or concerns about this research please contact Raoul Brigola at r.j.brigola@students.uu.nl or Davide Dell'Anna at d.dellanna@uu.nl.

9. Appendices:

- *Consent Form*