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Dear Professor Kita,

**Ethical Application Reference: HSSREC 01/16-17 AM03**

**Amendment Number: 3**

**Title: The Sense of Commitment (in children and adults): on-campus and off-campus testing**

Thank you for submitting your substantial amendment application to the Humanities and Social Sciences Research Ethics Committee (HSSREC) for consideration. We are pleased to advise you that, under the authority delegated to us by the University of Warwick Research Governance and Ethics Committee, **full approval for your proposed amendment is hereby granted.**

Before conducting your research it is strongly recommended that you complete the on-line Research Integrity training:

[www.warwick.ac.uk/ritraining](http://www.warwick.ac.uk/ritraining). Support is available from the HSSREC Secretary.

In undertaking your study, you are required to comply with the University of Warwick's Research Code of Practice:

[https://warwick.ac.uk/services/ris/research\\_integrity/code\\_of\\_practice\\_and\\_policies/research\\_code\\_of\\_practice/](https://warwick.ac.uk/services/ris/research_integrity/code_of_practice_and_policies/research_code_of_practice/)

You are also required to familiarise yourself with the University of Warwick's Code of Practice for the Investigation of Research Misconduct:

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You must ensure that you are compliant with all necessary data protection regulations:

<https://warwick.ac.uk/services/idc>

Please ensure that evidence of all necessary local permissions is provided to HSSREC prior to commencing your study.

Please also be aware that HSSREC grants **ethical approval** for studies. The seeking and obtaining of all other necessary approvals is the responsibility of the investigator.

Any further substantial changes to any aspect of the project will require further review by the Committee and the PI is required to notify the Committee as early as possible should they wish to make any such changes. The HSSREC Secretary should be notified of any minor amendments to the study.

May I take this opportunity to wish you the very best of luck with this study.

Yours sincerely



Dr Fiona MacCallum  
Chair, Humanities and Social Sciences Research Ethics Committee