Usage of annotation platform

Follow the steps below to complete your micro-gesture annotation using the provided platform.

1. **Launching the Platform**
   - Open the annotation link or the downloaded annotation_review_new.html file in a web browser (Chrome or Edge recommended).
   - The annotation interface will appear, as shown in the figure below.

2. **Loading a Video**
   o Click the top "**Choose Files**" button to load one folder including the assigned videos or click the bottom "**Choose Files**" to select some video files.
   o The video will load into the player for annotation.
   o Select one video and Click **Play** or **Load in Player**.

3. **Locating Micro-Gestures**
   - o Play the video and carefully observe for subtle micro-gestures.
   - o When a micro-gesture is identified:
     - ▪ Select the appropriate **micro-gesture class** from the options list.
     - ▪ Play the video and click **Set Start Time** at the **start time** of the micro-gesture.
     - ▪ Resume playback and then click **Set End Time** at the **end time** of the micro-gesture.
     - ▪ **Notes**: for ID 99, it's for non-MG, which means the subjects move, but the movement is not a micro-gesture in our list.
     - ▪ **You can download the MG and non-MG (ID 99) examples from** Data Annotation Link

4. **Saving an Annotation**
   o Once you are confident with the gesture class and its time boundaries, click
     Annotate.
   o The annotation will be recorded and displayed in the annotation list.
   o Continue reviewing the video and repeat this process for each micro-gesture
     detected.

5. Exporting the Results

- After completing the annotations for a video, click **Save** to save in your default download path.
- A .txt file containing all annotations will be generated automatically, using the **same name as the video file**.
- This .txt file is one of the required deliverables for your assignment.

6. **Re-edit your annotation result**
   - o Click **Load Anno** to import your saved .txt file. You can then modify the annotation information and click **Update** to apply the changes. Don't forget to click **Save** again to store your updated results.
   - o **Notes:** If you click **Load in Player** again from the video list, the annotation .txt content currently shown in the **Load Anno** boxes will be cleared.