

**LICENSE AGREEMENT
FOR RESEARCH USE
OF SOPHIAS**

Effective as of _____ [EFFECTIVE DATE]

Grupo de Herramientas Avanzadas Interactivas (GHIA), Dept. Ingeniería Informática, Escuela Politécnica Superior, Universidad Autónoma de Madrid, having offices at C/ Francisco Tomás y Valiente 11, 28049 Madrid, SPAIN, (hereinafter "LICENSOR") and

_____ [Affiliation of LICENSEE]

having offices at

_____ [Address of LICENSEE]

(hereinafter "LICENSEE"), in consideration of the mutual covenants contained herein, the parties, intending to be legally bound hereby, here to agree as follows:

- 1.** LICENSOR developed certain valuable intellectual property, known as the "SOPHIAS" (hereinafter "Database") containing biometric data associated from personal data. The LICENSOR confirms that all data were collected with the informed consent of all participants, in accordance with the Declaration of Helsinki, and approved under a teaching innovation project at the Universidad Autónoma de Madrid (Project EPS_021.24_INN, granted on 07/11/2024). The Database includes identifiable facial videos of participants.
- 2.** LICENSOR desires to grant a license to LICENSEE for the use of the Database. This license will in no case be considered a transfer of the Database.
- 3.** LICENSEE shall have no rights with respect to the Database or any portion thereof and shall not use the Database except as expressly set forth in this Agreement.
- 4.** Subject to the terms and conditions of this Agreement, LICENSOR hereby grants to LICENSEE for research use only, for a period of 2 years starting at the effective date above mentioned renewable upon the discretion of LICENSOR, a royalty-free, nonexclusive, nontransferable, license subject to the following conditions:

4.1 The Database is only for the research use of the LICENSEE. Any other user must be individually identified, belong to the same research institution, and must have formally agreed to the terms of this Agreement in writing. No user may access or use the Database unless their name and institutional affiliation have been registered with the LICENSOR. Redistribution of the data to any other party is strictly prohibited.

4.2 The Database will not be copied nor distributed in any form other than for backup of LICENSEE.

4.3 The LICENSEE agrees to implement appropriate technical and organisational safeguards to ensure the confidentiality and integrity of the Database. Access shall be limited strictly to authorised personnel who have agreed to the terms of this Agreement and have received proper training in data protection.

4.4 In the case of the Database being modified, the LICENSOR will contact the LICENSEE so that all copies of the Database are permanently destroyed. Both parties (LICENSOR and LICENSEE) will sign a new license for the remaining time to complete the original 2 year period and the LICENSEE will receive the

updated Database version.

4.5 The Database shall be used exclusively for research purposes, including academic and legitimate commercial research and development, provided that all terms of this Agreement are strictly respected. The Database shall not be used in any commercial product or service that redistributes the data in any form (e.g., original files, encrypted files, or extracted features). The data shall only be used for internal research and analysis, and under no circumstances shall the LICENSEE attempt to contact or interact with any participant represented in the Database.

4.6 The LICENSEE agrees not to attempt to re-identify any individual represented in the Database, either directly or indirectly, including through combination with other datasets. Under no circumstances may the LICENSEE attempt to contact or interact with any data subject whose likeness appears in the Database.

4.7 Any work made public, whatever the form, based directly or indirectly on any part of the Database should include the following references:

- Daza, R., Becerra, A., Cobos, R. et al. A multimodal dataset for understanding the impact of mobile phones on remote online virtual education. *Sci Data* 12, 1332 (2025). <https://doi.org/10.1038/s41597-025-05681-7>
- Becerra, A., Mohseni, Z., Sanz, J., & Cobos, R. (2024). A generative AI-based personalized guidance tool for enhancing the feedback to MOOC learners. In 2024 IEEE Global Engineering Education Conference (EDUCON) (pp. 1–8). IEEE. <https://doi.org/10.1109/EDUCON60312.2024.10578809>
- Becerra, A., & Cobos, R. (2025). Enhancing the professional development of engineering students through an AI-based collaborative feedback system. In 2025 IEEE Global Engineering Education Conference (EDUCON) (pp. 1–9). IEEE. <https://doi.org/10.1109/EDUCON62633.2025.11016499>
- Becerra, A., Cobos, R., & Lang, C. (2025). Enhancing online learning by integrating biosensors and multimodal learning analytics for detecting and predicting student behaviour: a review. *Behaviour & Information Technology*, 1–26. <https://doi.org/10.1080/0144929X.2025.2562322>

4.8 No image from the Database may be included as a figure in a publication unless expressly authorized in written by LICENSOR.

4.9 Two years after the EFFECTIVE DATE, in case the license agreement is not renewed by both parties (LICENSOR and LICENSEE), the license will expire and LICENSEE shall permanently destroy all copies of the Database, as well as any derived data that could lead to participant re-identification.

5. LICENSOR complies with the Spanish legislation in force. It is LICENSEE responsibility, and only his, to comply with all the data protection laws that may affect him.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the parties hereto have executed this Agreement in duplicate originals by their duly authorized officers or representative

Signature LICENSOR:

Signature LICENSEE:

[Representative, Affiliation, Address of LICENSEE]

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