



Recruitment Form

Study Title: Measuring and Comparing the appropriateness of data collection purposes in Mobile apps created by Indian and US developers

Institution: Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur

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Recruitment Procedure:

We will reach out to potential participants through email and social media. Public relations chairs at colleges and universities across India will send emails to their students. We will also post about the event on various social media platforms and groups to reach people from different backgrounds.

Email template for recruitment of students:

1st November, 2023

Re: Evaluating appropriateness of data collection purposes in Mobile apps created by Indian and US developers

Dear students,

I hope this email finds you in good health and high spirits. I am writing this email to inform you of an opportunity to engage in a voluntary research study pertaining to “*Measuring and Comparing the appropriateness of data collection purposes in Mobile apps created by Indian and US developers*”. Me, Hardik Soni and my co-researcher Harsh Khasbage, from Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur, have been conducting research on this subject and kindly request your valuable contribution to help us bring it to a successful conclusion.

Note: This is to make clear that participation in the study is completely voluntary. Also, you can consider yourself eligible for this study if you have received this email from the public relations chairperson of your institute.

Please read the following guidelines carefully and consider participating in the study only if you agree with them.

1. You are at least 18 years of age and have some experience of using computers.
2. Your data will be recorded and used only for academic research purposes.
3. You agree to not send the resources that we have provided to anyone.
4. You will be attending a survey of a length of 20-30 minutes. You agree to provide an unbiased and honest review.

If you agree to participate in this study then:

1. Check out the consent form < *link to consent form* > and read it carefully. (Expected time: 5 minutes)
2. (If you are agreeing to participate) Please go through the survey form < *link to survey form* > and attempt it as per the guidelines given. (Expected time of: 15 minutes)

Additionally, all the data that have been recorded / provided will be used only for academic / research purposes within Indian Institute of Technology Kharagpur and not for any secondary purposes. Furthermore, it is essential to emphasize that your participation in this research is entirely voluntary and you can leave the study at any point in time.

Thank you for your thoughtful consideration. Should you wish to further explore this Institutional Review Board (IRB)-approved project, please feel free to reach out to us at your convenience. We are more than willing to provide additional information and address any inquiries you may have. Our email IDs: Hardik Soni (iamhardikat11@gmail.com) and Harsh Khasbage (harshkhasbage77@gmail.com).

Hardik Soni
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Social Media Template

Hello Everyone,

We researchers from Indian Institute of Technology, Kharagpur are happy to present before you an opportunity to participate in a research study on “*Measuring and Comparing the appropriateness of data collection purposes in Mobile apps created by Indian and US developers*”.

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