# Examples: Implicit Association Task (approved in IRB 15158)

The following are examples terms for different task categories:

**Valence**:

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| **Positive** | Good, pleasant, nice… |
| **Negative** | Bad, unpleasant, stupid.. |

Positive words:

freedom

love

peace

cheer

lucky

gift

laughter

paradise

Negative words:

filth

grief

disaster

hatred

poverty

ugly

evil

rotten

1 Block1Proc Heterosexual lesbian/gay

1 Block2Proc positive negative

1 Block3Proc heterosexual or positive lesbian/gay or negative

1 Block4Proc lesbian/gay heterosexual

1 Block5Proc lesbian/gay or positive heterosexual or negative

Images from <http://projectimplicit.net/index.html> stimuli set

Lesbian/gay:



Heterosexual:



Example: Passive Message Task



\*\* This task is still under development, but it is designed for identity salience. We may film individuals making statements in a controlled environment, use pictures of faces, or Facegen as in the example presented.

Example positive statements:

1. Gay rights are human rights.
2. Gay couples are adorable.
3. LGB people should be allowed to teach children of all ages.
4. Gay people should be able to adopt children.
5. Gay people should be able to foster children in need
6. Same-sex couples should be able to adopt children.
7. LGB people are just normal people.
8. LGBT-rights are good for our society.
9. I would have a gay roommate.
10. I support gay people.
11. I support gay marriage.
12. Homosexuality is natural.
13. Unique gender identities are natural.
14. I support workplace protections based on sexual orientation.
15. I respect the bravery of people who come out as gay publicly.
16. I see no problem with homosexuality or bisexuality.
17. People should not have to hide who they love.
18. Violence against LGB people is unacceptable.
19. People cannot choose their orientation.
20. Hate is not a family value.
21. I support my friends if they come out to me as GLB or T.
22. I think less of people who say “that’s so gay” or “no homo”.
23. I would be fine if my spouse used to be a different sex.
24. I think gay people should be allowed in the military.
25. I would accept a gay family member.
26. I think faith and non-traditional gender identities are compatible.
27. The anti-gay policies in Uganda and Russia anger and sadden me.
28. Gay men should be able to donate blood.
29. I am comfortable using a gender-neutral bathroom with others.
30. I empathize with GLBT community members who experience discrimination.

Example negative statements:

1. Gay couples should not be allowed to adopt children.
2. Gay people make me uncomfortable.
3. I am against gay marriage.
4. Gay people do not deserve special rights.
5. I do not think gay people should be able to serve in the military.
6. Gay people are just too sensitive when they complain about mistreatment.
7. I am okay with lesbians, as long as I can watch.
8. Bisexual people are just greedy.
9. Homosexuality is a sin.
10. Gay people need to live celibate lives.
11. Homosexuality is unnatural.
12. I don’t mind people being gay as long as they don’t rub it in.
13. If lesbians like women, it makes no sense that they date women who look like men.
14. Transgender people are confusing.
15. I frequently wonder who is the man in same-sex relationships.
16. I think most gay people have the same experiences.
17. Bisexual people always want to date men and women at the same time.
18. I think “no homo” is funny and use it frequently.
19. I am okay with gay men, as long as they aren’t flamboyant.
20. I would dump my significant other if I found out they used to be a different sex.
21. Homosexuals should be prosecuted for indecency.
22. I would never date someone who is bisexual.
23. Bisexual people are just confused.
24. Bisexuality isn’t real.
25. Transgender people are just confused.
26. LGBT people just want attention.
27. Transgender people just want attention.
28. I do not want transgender people sharing my public bathroom.
29. I will not use a bathroom if I see a gay person in it.
30. LGB people are just obsessed with sex.