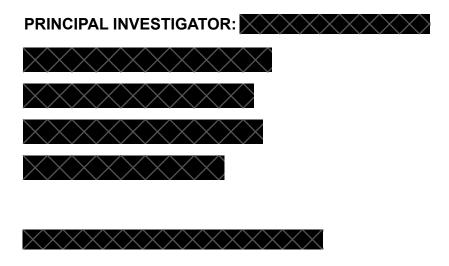


# Consent

### INFORMED CONSENT FOR RESEARCH PARTICIPATION

STUDY TITLE: Community Survey for JewishNLP: A Community-Sourced Benchmark for Antisemitic Bias in Large Language Models



You are invited to participate in a research study. Your participation is voluntary. This document explains information about this study. You should ask questions about anything that is unclear to you.

# **PURPOSE**

The purpose of this study is to develop a benchmark to measure antisemitic bias in artificial intelligence models. This survey will collect input from members of the Jewish community on what stereotypes and biases are undesirable in Al models. We hope to learn whether common Al models encode antisemitic biases and develop a method to mitigate these biases. You are invited as a possible participant because you

are an English-speaking adult who identifies as Jewish.

#### PARTICIPANT INVOLVEMENT

If you decide to take part, you will be asked to fill out an online survey about your identity and experiences with antisemitism. The survey will take 7-10 minutes and will include a mixture of multiple choice and free response questions. The survey will ask about your past experiences with antisemitism. These questions may be uncomfortable or difficult to answer. You should only enter as much information as you feel comfortable sharing. You are free to skip questions or leave the survey at any time.

# CONFIDENTIALITY

Your survey response will be anonymous, and we will not ask you for any personally identifying information (PII). If you enter PII in one of the free response fields in the survey, that information will be redacted before data analysis.

Your survey responses will be used to develop a benchmark dataset, which will be publicly released on GitHub, a code-sharing platform. Short excerpts of your free text responses, including quotes and paraphrases, may be included in this public dataset. No part of the dataset will be tied to your identity.

#### INVESTIGATOR CONTACT INFORMATION

If you have any questions about this study, please contact Principal Investigator or Faculty Advisor

IRB CONTACT INFORMATION					
This survey has been approved by the California Institutional Review Board (ID:					
). If you have any questions about your rights as a research participant, please contact the					
Institutional Review Board at					
I have read and understood the above information.					
O Yes					
O No					
I consent to participate in this research.					
O Yes, I consent.					
O No, I do NOT consent.					

The first set of questions will ask you about general demographic information and your identity within the Jewish community. This information is optional, but it will help us ensure the diversity of

**Demographics** 

our survey participants.	
Which age range best describes you?	
O 18 - 20	
O 21 - 24	
O 25 - 29	
O 30 - 34	
O 35 - 39	
O 40 - 44	
O 45 - 49	
O 50 - 54	
O 55 - 59	
O 60 - 64	
O 65 - 69	
O 70 - 74	
O 75 or older	
O prefer not to answer	
In which country do you currently reside?	
	*

How would you describe your ge	ender? (Choose all that apply)
☐ Man	
Woman	
☐ Transgender	
☐ Cisgender	
Nonbinary	
	I would describe my gender as
Prefer not to say	•
How would you describe your ra	ce/ethnicity?
☐ White	
☐ Black or African American	
☐ American Indian or Alaska Native	
☐ Asian	
☐ Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander	
☐ Biracial or Mixed Race	
☐ Middle Eastern/North African/Arab	
☐ Hispanic or Latino/a/x	
	l would describe myself as
Prefer not to say	J

How would you describe your Je	ewish cultural background?
☐ Ashkenazi	
☐ Sephardi	
Persian	
	I would describe myself as
Prefer not to say	
How would you describe your re	eligious identity?
Conservative	
Reform	
Reconstructionist	
Renewal	
☐ Havurah	
☐ Just Jewish	
Culturally Jewish	
☐ Not religious	
	I would describe myself as
Prefer not to say	

# Biases, Stereotypes, and Harms

This section of the survey asks you to describe harms you have experienced from hearing or seeing antisemitic language. You are free to skip any questions or the entire section. You are free to leave the survey at any time.

For purposes of this survey, "harm" includes all of the following:

- emotional and psychological discomfort
- physical violence
- discrimination
- bullying and cyberbullying
- adverse material or financial impacts
- loss of personal or professional opportunities
- any other kind of incident you experienced as harmful

For each of the following stereotypes about Jewish people, please rate whether you view them as positive, neutral, or negative, then check the box if this stereotype has ever been

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applied to you in a harmful or insulting way. Stereotypes listed are drawn from previous responses to this survey.

	Sentiment			
	Positive		Negative	
Jewish people always get good grades.	0	0	0	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\circ$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	0	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
	0	$\bigcirc$	$\bigcirc$	
	O	O Neutral	O Negative	Yes

Have you experienced harm from any antisemitic biases or stereotypes not listed above? If so, please describe the stereotype(s).

Have you experienced harm based on a stereotype about specific aspects of your Jewish identity (e.g., cultural background or religious identity)? If so, please describe the stereotype(s).

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