



Participant Information Sheet
Project: Letters
Université Paris Cité

Dear Participant,

You are invited to participate in a study conducted by Morgan Moyer at the Laboratoire de Linguistique Formelle of Université Paris Cité.

This document describes the study in which you are invited to participate and answers questions you may have based on the information currently available.

Before deciding whether to participate, it is important that you understand the purpose of this study and what it involves.

This project investigates people's intuitive reactions to presented linguistic stimuli. Specifically, we are interested in studying how people comprehend sentences that include logical connectives. There are no risks or constraints associated with participation in this study. You will sit in front of your computer and be asked to read a brief story about two people learning how to play a game of letters, and then respond to questions about the game. The experiment will last approximately 15 minutes. Your responses to the tasks and judgements of linguistic sentences will be used by the experimenters.

This study concerns understanding how people comprehend sentences in their native language. For this, it is crucial that monolingual native speakers of English participate. You have been asked to participate because you are a registered user of Prolific, and as such, Prolific has deemed that you meet the requirements to participate in our study. In addition to being a Native speaker of English, you are between the ages of 19 and 34, residing in the UK or US, and have not previously completed a study related to this project.

You are completely free to accept or refuse to participate in this study without having to justify yourself, and without this entailing any consequences for you. You have the time you consider necessary to make your decision. Remuneration is expected to be 1-1.5 pounds (dependent on the completion time), delivered upon completion of the experiment.

In the event of acceptance, you may at any time reconsider your decision, without specifying the reason, by sending an email addressed to morgan-colleen.moyer@u-paris.fr, or by post to the address following: Case Postale 7031 – 5, rue Thomas Mann – F-75205 Paris Cedex 13.

Your participation implies the processing of personal data for the purpose of scientific research and has as its legal basis the execution of a mission of public interest (art. 6.1.e of the General Data Protection Regulation). The controller is Université Paris Cité.

You can access the data concerning you or request their erasure before their anonymization. You also have the right of opposition, the right of rectification and the right

to limit the processing of your data. In accordance with the Data Protection Act of January 6, 1978 (Law No. 78-17), amended in June 2018 for the European legal framework (GDPR-No. 2016/679), you have a right of access, transparency, rectification, limitation and erasure of information concerning you, which you can exercise by contacting us at morgan-colleen.moyer@u-paris.fr. You will receive an answer as soon as possible, and no later than one month from receipt of your request.

In case of difficulty(ies), you can also contact the Data Protection Officer of the Université Paris Cité at dpo@u-paris.fr. If you believe, after contacting us, that your "Data Protection" rights have not been respected, you can file a complaint with the CNIL (www.cnil.fr).

As part of this study, the following information is collected and analyzed:

- Gender
- Age
- Level of education
- Prolific ID
- IP Address
- Type of computer used
- Type of browser used

These data are processed by the head of the study, Morgan Moyer, and the Principal Investigator, Ira Noveck. Personal data will not be transferred outside the European Union.

To guarantee the security and confidentiality of your data, the collection of and access to personal data are exclusively limited to the research team and none of the personal data will be published or made public. Only data that does not identify you will be published in the form of a thesis manuscript and/or an article in a scientific journal, to improve research knowledge, and will be made available online according to Open Science practices. Finally, research results could also be disseminated at professional and scientific conferences.

We thank you for your participation.

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