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RESEARCH NOTIFICATION

1. MMBB – Musical Battery and invitation to participate in research

We ask you to participate in ‘MMBB – Musical Battery’, which investigates people’s musical abilities and preferences. This research notification describes the study and related participation. The attachment provides information on the processing of your personal data.

You are eligible to participate in this study, as long as you have normal or corrected-to-normal hearing, and can operate a smartphone.

In this study you will be asked to tap along to a beat, move to music, listen to music, answer questionnaires about music behaviour/experience, and sing into the microphone. You can complete all tasks in either Finnish or English.

2. **Voluntariness**

Participation in this study is voluntary. You can refuse to participate in the study, stop participating or cancel your previously given consent, without stating any reason for this and at any time during the study. This will have no negative consequences to you.

If you stop participating in the study or if you cancel your consent, the personal data, samples and other information collected on you up to that point will be used as part of the research material as far as it is necessary in order to ensure relevant research outcomes.

3. **Progress of the study**

This study contains six separate tasks. You can complete them in any order you wish. In total, it should take about 1.5 hours to complete all the tasks.

4. **Possible benefits from the study**

Participation in this study should be fun! You will get to explore and reflect upon the way you relate to music, and you can challenge yourself on various skills such as musical memory, rhythmic ability, and singing.

5. Possible risks, harm, and inconvenience caused by the study as well as preparing for these

We recommend completing this study in a quiet space with enough room to move around. Please do make sure to avoid any obstacles as you complete the movement tasks in the study. Otherwise, taking part in this study is only as risky as using any other app on your phone.

7. Informing about research results and research outcomes

The study will yield scientific publications, theses, and conference presentations.

Published output from the study can be made available to research subjects upon request.

The published research will present results in aggregate so no individual participant should be identifiable. Full data sets may be made available to other researchers in the interest of open science and transparency, however this would not include any identifiable information.

You can also opt to be contacted in the future regarding the results of this study and about future studies.

If you have participated in other research at the CoE MMBB then your results may be matched to other studies within the centre, which will contribute to gaining greater insights into musical abilities and preferences.

8. Insurance coverage for research subjects

The University of Jyväskylä has insurances for its activities and research subjects.

In the case of research conducted remotely, the insurance of the University of Jyväskylä compensates only for damage that is directly related to the assigned research task and that has occurred during the actual guided research task. The insurance does not cover accidents that occur during breaks.

The insurances of the University of Jyväskylä are not valid in the case of research conducted remotely if a research subject's home municipality is not in Finland.

The set of insurance includes a malpractice insurance, an operational liability insurance, and an optional insurance against accidents. During the research activities, the subjects are covered by the insurance for accidents, damages and injuries inflicted by an external cause. The accident insurance is valid during measurements and on trips integrally connected to them.

9. Contact person for further information

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