Introduction

In this task, you will answer some questions about a dataset. This task is part of a research project. We are interested in what you think without the help of external resources. You will be compensated $1.00 for your participation.

Microsoft Research Project Participation Consent Form

INTRODUCTION

Thank you for taking the time to consider volunteering in a Microsoft Corporation research project. This form explains what would happen if you join this research project. Please read it carefully and take as much time as you need. Email the study team to ask about anything that is not clear.

Participation in this study is voluntary and you may withdraw at any time.

TITLE OF RESEARCH PROJECT

Understanding Data Pipelines

Principal Investigator: Dan Goldstein

PURPOSE

The purpose of this project is to study how people perceive data.

PROCEDURES

During this project, you will read some information about worker salaries and you will be shown some related graphs. Then you will be asked a few questions about worker salaries.

Microsoft may document and collect information about your participation by recording your answers to multiple choice and free response questions.

Approximately 100 participants will be involved in this study.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

Aside from your Mechanical Turk ID, no personal information will be collected during this study. Your Mechanical Turk ID will not be shared outside of Microsoft Research and the confines of this study without your permission, and will be promptly deleted after compensation has been successfully provided (30 days or less). De-identified data may be used for future research or given to another investigator for future use without additional consent.

- Microsoft Research is ultimately responsible for determining the purposes and uses of data collected through this study.

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BENEFITS AND RISKS

Benefits: There are no direct benefits to you that might reasonably be expected as a result of being in this study. The research team expects to learn about human decision making from the results of this research, as well as any public benefit that may come from these research results being shared with the greater scientific community.

Risks: If you are unable to submit a HIT due to technical difficulties on your end there is a risk of loss of payment. To mitigate participants can reach out to the research team for input on resolving any difficulties encountered.

PAYMENT FOR PARTICIPATION

You will receive $1.00 after completing the entire study.

Your data and/or samples may be used to make new products, tests or findings. These may have value and may be developed and owned by Microsoft and/or others. If this happens, there are no plans to pay you.

CONTACT INFORMATION

Should you have any questions concerning this project, or if you are injured as a result of being in this study, please contact us at dgg@microsoft.com

Should you have any questions about your rights as a research subject, please contact Microsoft Research Ethics Program Feedback at MSRStudyfeedback@microsoft.com.

CONSENT

By clicking "I agree" below, you confirm that the study was explained to you, you had a chance to ask questions before beginning the study, and all your questions were answered satisfactorily. By clicking "I agree" below, you voluntarily consent to participate, and you do not give up any legal rights you have as a study participant.

You will be provided a link to download this form. On behalf of Microsoft, we thank you for your contribution and look forward to your research session.

If you consent to participate, click "Continue" below. If you don't, return the HIT.

☐ I agree to this consent form

Continue