Attachment: Recruitment Materials

The following document contains the full text that will be posted on the Prolific (www.prolific.com) online research platform to recruit participants for this study.

Prolific Study Title:

Chat with an Al Companion and Share Your Feedback

Prolific Study Description:

In this academic research study, you will have a brief, friendly chat with a companion Al named "Kagami" and then answer some survey questions about your experience.

What you will do:

1. Complete a short background survey (2-3 minutes).

2. Have a 10-minute, text-based conversation with the Al.

3. Complete a final survey about your perceptions (3-5 minutes).

The conversation will be about general, everyday topics. There are no right or wrong answers; we are simply interested in your experience. You are required to use a desktop or laptop computer.

Payment:

• Reward: \$3.50

• Estimated Completion Time: 15-20 minutes

• Estimated Hourly Rate: \$10.50 / hour

Eligibility Criteria (To be used for Prolific Pre-screening):

• Age: 18+ years

Location: Residing in the United States

• Language: Fluent in English

 Previous Participation: Have not participated in pilot testing for this specific "Kagami" study.