

# Data Protection Information according to article 13 GDPR for the study of the project "Learning with PLANT"

Protecting and securing data are matters of importance for TU Wien. The processing of personal data occurs under the strictest compliance with the principles and requirements of GDPR<sup>1</sup> and the Austrian DSG<sup>2</sup> and FOG<sup>3</sup>. TU Wien only processes such data as is required to achieve the purposes sought and at all times endeavours to guarantee the security and the accuracy of the data.

The "Learning with PLANT" project pursues the overarching goal of evaluating the use of a personal teaching assistant. That is why we at TU Wien, Institute for Management Sciences (IMW), in collaboration with Mercedes-Benz AG, are developing a web app (PLANT). PLANT will support students in digital form both substantively and administratively with its learning project by providing highly personalised support to the concomitant learning experience. In connection with participation in the test phase, the effectiveness and acceptance of the web app will be tested.

### **Data controller:**

Rectorate of TU Wien Karlsplatz 13 1040 Vienna

# **Data Protection Officer:**

Mag. Christina Thirsfeld TU Wien Karlsplatz 13/018, 1040 Vienna datenschutz@tuwien.ac.at

# The following data categories are processed in the course of this data processing:

- Contact data: email address and telephone number
- Socio-demographic information (age, gender, education)
- Previous experience with as well as impressions of intelligent systems (AI and robotics)
- Responses to questions on the individual style of learning
- User behaviour for the PLANT web app (length and intensity of use),
- Responses to questions on acceptance when using intelligent systems,
- Interview-transcripts (how comfortable with the course of the test, general mood)

# The data is collected directly from the participants by means of questionnaires and focus group interviews.

## Purpose of the data processing:

The processing of this data occurs on the basis of participation in the PLANT project for **purposes of scientific research**. In detail, the data processing proceeds as follows:

- The data is collected,
- and stored disidentified with the exception of the contact data,
- and evaluated in aggregated (summarised) disidentified form for research purposes.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>General Data Protection Regulation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup>Data Protection Act (Datenschutzgesetz)

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup>Research Organisation Act





In the course of evaluation, no conclusions are possible when traced back to individual persons. Contact data is not linked with any other data collected. The participants' contact data is erased after collection and fulfilment of its purpose (after completed tabulation of reimbursements for expenses).

Beyond that, TU Wien reserves the right to store and use the disidentified data for additional research purposes for an additional ten years.

#### Data recipients:

The project partner Mercedes-Benz AG of Stuttgart gets the data in disidentified and aggregated (summarised) form. For that reasons, no conclusions are possible when traced back to individual persons. The data is not transmitted to any other institutions, States, third States or international organisations.

All evaluations and presentations of results that are published occur in disidentified and aggregated (summarised) form. They therefore do not allow for any conclusions traced back to individual persons.

#### Legal basis for the data processing:

The processing and use of your personal data occur on the basis of article 6 sec 1 (a) GDPR (consent) and is restricted to the data cited above.

#### **Duration of storage / erasure deadline:**

The disidentified data is stored for ten years for research purposes.

#### Notification of right to appeal:

In connection with the processing of your personal data, participants are entitled to

- Information
- Rectification
- Erasure
- Restriction of processing
- Data portability, and
- Revocation

#### The right to

- information,
- rectification, and
- restriction of processing

may be restricted where by exercising such rights the achievement of the research purpose will probably be rendered impossible or seriously impaired (article 89 sec 2 GDPR).

If participants believe that the processing of their data violates data protection law or their data protection law claims in some other way, then they may appeal to the competent regulatory authority: Austrian Data Protection Authority (DSB), Barichgasse 40-42, 1030 Vienna.

#### **Contact:**

Should there be any additional questions or concerns on processing of personal data, then the following contact persons are available:

## Specialist interlocutor at TU Wien:

Project Assistant Dr Setareh Zafari Institute for Management Sciences, Research Section for Labour Science and Organisation, Theresianumgasse 27, 1040 Vienna, Austria Tel: +43 (1) 58801 - 330 75 Setareh.Zafari@tuwien.ac.at





General information on data protection can be found at the Austrian Data Protection Authority under <u>https://www.dsb.gv.at/</u>.

Data protection information can be found under <u>https://www.tuwien.at/tu-wien/organisation/zentrale-services/datenschutz-und-dokumentenmanagement/datenschutz</u>.

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# Data Protection Law Consent Declaration according to article 6 sec 1 (a) GDPR for the study on the project "Learning with PLANT"

(name of participant) consent to having the

Technical University of Vienna (hereinafter "TU Wien") process the following data

- Contact data: email address and telephone number
- Socio-demographic information (age, gender, education)
- Previous experience with and impressions of intelligent systems (AI and robotics),
- Responses to question on learning style
- Usage behaviour for the web app (PLANT) (duration and intensity of use)
- Responses to questions on acceptance when using intelligent systems,
- Interview transcripts (how comfortable in the course of testing, general mood)

for the purpose of the study "Learning with PLANT."

The data will be stored up through 1 March 2030. However, there is the possibility of declaring revocation so that the data is erased before that.

I hereby declare that I have been advised of the information rights (right to information, rectification, erasure, etc.) under articles 12–21 GDPR and have taken note of them.

I hereby declare that this consent declaration is being made on a voluntary basis. I have also been informed that I may revoke my consent at any time with effect for the future without entailing any disadvantages.

I may send my declaration of revocation

- by post to Project Assistant Dr. Setareh Zafari, Theresianumgasse 27, 1040 Vienna, Austria
- by email to: <u>setareh.zafari@tuwien.ac.at</u>

In case of revocation, TU Wien will upon receipt of my declaration of revocation erase any data stored by TU Wien and by any eventual contract processors. By revocation, the legality of any processing up to that point will not be affected.

I have the possibility of downloading, printing out and storing the data protection information and my data protection law consent declaration.

(Place, date)

(Signature of the participant / legal guardian)