

# **Privacy Policy for Participation in the Survey**

## **Responsible Person:**

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## **Purpose of Data Collection:**

This survey is conducted as part of an academic course at the University of Münster . The collected data will be used exclusively for academic purposes and only within the context of this course.

## **Type of Data Collected:**

This survey collects only anonymized data, such as opinions, assessments, and, where applicable, general demographic information. No personal data that could directly identify you will be collected. In particular, neither your name, nor your email address, nor your IP address will be stored.

## **Legal Basis:**

The processing of data is based on your voluntary consent in accordance with Art. 6(1)(a) of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

## **Voluntariness:**

Participation in this survey is entirely voluntary. You may discontinue the survey at any time and without giving any reason, without any disadvantage to you. You may withdraw your consent at any time by contacting the responsible person mentioned above. The lawfulness of the data processing carried out prior to the withdrawal remains unaffected.

## **Anonymity and Confidentiality:**

All responses are collected and analyzed in a fully anonymized manner. It is not possible at any point to link responses to individual persons. Results will be presented exclusively in aggregated form and will not be shared with third parties.

**Storage and Deletion:**

The collected data will be stored on the servers of SoSci Survey and used exclusively for the purpose stated above. After the completion of the course on October 1, 2026, the raw data will be permanently deleted.

**Your Rights:**

Under the GDPR, you have the following rights: the right to access the processed data (Art. 15 GDPR), the right to rectification of inaccurate data (Art. 16 GDPR), the right to erasure of your data (Art. 17 GDPR), the right to restriction of processing (Art. 18 GDPR), and the right to lodge a complaint with a competent supervisory authority (Art. 77 GDPR).

**Consent Declaration:**

By participating in this survey, I confirm that I have read and understood this privacy policy. I voluntarily consent to the collection and processing of my anonymized data for the purposes stated above.