Plan Overview

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An Exploration into Life Satisfaction and Scale Use

Cyber Security Awareness

Can you confirm that you have completed the cyber security awareness course?

- Yes

Overview

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Project Details

Dissertation/ project title:

An Exploration into Life Satisfaction and Scale Use

Please summarise your research question in no more than three sentences:

This research seeks to understand the life satisfaction reporting function. Participants will interactively map out their own life satisfaction scale according to how they feel. Different scale use will be compared across different characteristics, such as demographics, personality and culture.

Data Collection

Will you be using any secondary data for this project? Please outline what kind of secondary data you will be using below:

N/A

Will you require access to any secure datasets i.e. datasets to which LSE Library does not have a subscription, which will need to be requested directly from the supplier:

- No

Will you require access to any internal LSE datasets for this project?

- No

Will you be collecting primary data from research participants?

- Yes

What research methods will you use for data collection (You can select as many as apply)

- Questionnaires/ surveys
- Interviews

Please can you describe how you plan on conducting data collection using these methods:

Surveys will be collected through both convenience sampling and snowballing, as well as online recruitment platforms through Prolific.
Interviews will be conduced using convenience sampling and snowballing.

Research Ethics

Please explain how you will collect informed consent:

Informed consent will be elicited using an online written consent form for the surveys, and via a written consent form for the interviews

Once you have collected proof of consent, you will need to store it safely. Please can you explain below how you plan to do this:

Online written consent will be stored safely on the LSE One Drive.
Written consent for the qualitative interviews will be scanned to one of the personal computers and then stored safely on the LSE One Drive. Physical Copies will then be destroyed.

Have you submitted a research ethics review for this project?

- Yes

If you are collecting primary data from research participants, you are required to anonymise the dataset so that individuals are not identifiable. How do you plan to do this?

Data will be anonymised in Qualtrics automatically, and results will be reported in a large enough aggregation so as to preserve the participant's identities.

Are there any circumstances where you will not anonymise research participants?

- No

Data Protection

Do you believe your research will require you to fill in a data protection impact assessment?

- No

Data Storage & Security

Are you the lone researcher on this project or do you have collaborators?

- I have collaborators

Could you outline how you plan to share data between members in your research team:

Data will be shared via a shared folder on the LSE One Drive Space between the 2 researchers

Will you require any additional research tools to complete your project?

- Yes

Please can you supply details/ links to any additional research tools you'll be using below:

We will be using Qualtrics to build the online survey and Prolific in order to distribute the survey to participants.

What hardware will you require to complete this project (you can select more than one option):

- Personal laptop/ desktop PC

Do all personal devices used on this project meet the LSE's minimum standards for device level security?

- Yes

Are all personal devices used on this project secured with passwords that meet the standard of the LSE password policy?

- Yes

Where will you store your dissertation/ research project while you are working on it:

- LSE OneDrive

Where will you store any primary data you collect during the research process:

- LSE OneDrive

Review

Does your DMP meet any of the following criteria:

- None of the above

If you have ticked option 5 'none of the above' your DMP does not require individual review by a Data Librarian. Please continue to refer to the plan throughout the research process, for any questions please get in touch with the datalibrary@lse.ac.uk

n/a