[RECRUITMENT INITIAL EMAIL]

NAME

ADDRESS

Dear [FIRST NAME] [LAST NAME],

You are invited to participate in an important survey about ethical issues involving how the United States Department of Defense (DoD) uses Artificial Intelligence (AI). This study is being conducted by the RAND Corporation,\* a non-partisan, non-profit research organization with the mission of improving public policy. The study is funded by the DoD’s Joint Artificial Intelligence Center (JAIC). It will ultimately produce a public report detailing how people in the United States view the potential ethical implications of the Department of Defense adopting AI.

The survey takes only 15 minutes to complete. This is your chance to inform important U.S. government policy decisions regarding the use of AI by the Defense Department.

The survey can be accessed at the following link: **URL**

Your password is: **PASSWORD**

The survey is voluntary. We will not reveal your name and your answers will remain confidential. RAND will combine your survey answers with other people who take the survey and only report summary results. Because this study is funded by the Defense Department, it will also have access to the survey responses and any other research findings created by the study.

If you have questions about this research, please contact (STUDY EMAIL ADDRESS).

Thank you very much for your help with this important survey!

Sincerely,

[sig]

James Ryseff

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* You can learn more about the RAND Corporation at <https://www.rand.org>.
* If you have questions about your rights as a research participant or need to report a research-related injury or concern, you can contact RAND's Human Subjects Protection Committee toll-free at (866) 697-5620 or by emailing hspcinfo@rand.org.

[REMINDER EMAIL]

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Dear [FIRST NAME] [LAST NAME],

**We still need your help**. We recently emailed you an invitation to complete the RAND\* Ethics of Artificial Intelligence (AI) in National Security survey. To date, we have not received your completed survey. We are hoping you will participate in this study by completing the survey before [DATE].

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