NIST FACE RECOGNITION RESEARCH

We are seeking volunteers who are willing to participate in a research study involving face recognition. At this time, we are recruiting face specialists **only** (for example, facial examiners or reviewers).

The purpose of this study is to measure facial recognition accuracy under different viewing conditions. In the experiment, you will see pictures of faces or parts of faces on a computer screen and make identity judgments about them. The results of this experiment will provide insight into how people recognize and identify faces, and the decisions made by facial forensic examiners.

The study procedures may seem unusual to you. It is designed to test specific research questions and is not intended to replicate existing or real-world working conditions.

During your experiment participation, your data is assigned a study identification number. This identifier is never attached to your name. This means your data is de-identified. De-identified results may be made public and we may publish what we learn from this study.

Your participation will last approximately 30 minutes. Your participation is voluntary. You will be allowed to stop the experiment at any time. There is no compensation for participation.

To be eligible you must:

1. Be at least 18 years of age
2. Be a fluent English speaker
3. Have normal or corrected-to-normal vision
4. Be able to use a computer keyboard and mouse

If you are interested, a session will be scheduled for you to participate between the dates of DATES.

An information sheet with detailed Informed Consent information FILL FROM BELOW.

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If have any questions or are interested in participating, please contact Dr. Carina Hahn at [carina.hahn@nist.gov](mailto:carina.hahn@nist.gov)**.**

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