



GLOBAL HAPPINESS RESEARCH

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Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)

The "Global Happiness Research (GHR)", a survey-based study being conducted on six continents (Asia, Australia, Africa, Europe, North and South Americas), will explore the significant predictors of happiness globally. As an important implication of this research, we expect that people can control the potential predictors of happiness in their favor to create and increase happiness. This research will provide a substantial contribution to the field of positive psychology and applied spiritual science (for the better/happier humanity and the world) because the ultimate goal of each of human being is to acquire and increase happiness.

This Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) is an agreement document between Dr. Bidya Raj Subedi, Director, GHR and **Mr./Ms.**, Research Coordinator (RC) for **Country's name/Continent's name**. The job responsibilities and other requirements/conditions given below will be effective after the agreement signatures between Dr. Subedi and **Mr./Ms.** who will be working for this project until the completion of survey and data delivery.

I. Responsibilities of the Research Coordinator (RC)

1. Conduct paper-based or online surveys for approximately 100 people in **country's name**. The surveys should be representative of diverse population (age above 18 and below 80; both genders; diverse socio-economic population).
2. If the survey is paper version, the RC will enter the survey data in Excel spreadsheet (provided by Dr. Subedi), and if the survey is online, the RC will import the data in spreadsheet. The RC will verify the correctness and validity of the survey data.
3. Provide the final data to the GHR Director Dr. Subedi.

II. Position, Payments and Disclosure

1. This position will be "Research Coordinator (RC)" for the assigned country. This position will be a contract-based position.
2. The RC will be paid USD 3 (equivalent to local currency at the exchange rate of the time of payment) per survey. The payment will be provided after the completion of surveys.
3. The RC will **not** be involved in the exchange of data, materials, disclosure of any other confidential information related to the "Global Happiness Research."

III. Timeline

The survey should be finished within 2 months from the date of start.

IV. Termination of the Position and Future Opportunity

After completing the representative surveys in selected in the assigned country, this position will be terminated formally.

V. What are the Benefits of this Position?

1. The credit will be given to the RC for the survey (with the list of cities/country surveyed) in the final report and in relevant documents/publications, website etc.
2. After completing the task of assigned survey, the RC will receive the "Certificate of Completion" and letter of recommendation (if necessary) to support his/her professional growth or academic advancement.

VI. What is Beyond the Scope of RC's Position?

1. The RC cannot claim the *copyright* for the data, reports, and any other published works related to this study/project.
2. The RC cannot claim any award or prize offered for this work.
3. The RC cannot claim the authority for this project except for stated in this MOU.

We both agree the terms and conditions mentioned in this MOU, which will be effective after signing by both parties.

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