

Privacy Notice for Research Data

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2. Parties involved in research conducted as a collaboration project and division of responsibilities

Finland Futures Research Centre (University of Turku) is responsible for the following activities: data collection, data management and analysis, the processing of personal information.

3. Research project leader or responsible group

University Teacher Hanna Heino from Finland Futures Research Centre acts as the project leader together with the research group.

4. Contact information of the Data Protection Officer

Contact information of the Data Protection Officer at the University of Turku: dpo@utu.fi

5. Persons conducting research

Researchers Hanna Heino, Kaisa-Maria Suomalainen, and Anniina Salomäki have a right to process personal data over the course of the research process. Other research data can be processed by other researchers outside this group.

6. Contact person in matters related to the research registry

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7. Name of the research registry

Young people's futures images enriching economic discourse

8. Purpose of processing personal data

Personal data is gathered and processed to gather young people's views about the future of Finnish national economy. Research data consists of written contributions that are produced by research participants. Futures images are constructed based on the collected data, and they will be used to convey young people's views to public discourse.

The goal of the project is to enable the participation of young people in the public economic discourse.

The project runs from June 2025 to December 2025.

9. Legal basis for processing personal data

The EU General Data Protection Regulation, Article 6 Section 1:

☐ consent of the data subject

10. What categories of personal data the research data includes

Direct identifying data is not collected from research participants. Instead, they will be asked to share their level of educational attainment, current employment status (student, student in higher education, employed, unemployed, other), age, place of residence, nationality and gender.

Research data and background information will be analyzed and reported without direct identifying details. Individual respondents cannot be identified from research data.

Research participants are asked to provide their e-mail and phone number in case they choose to enter the raffle. This information is not included in the research data, and will be handled separately.

11. Which sources the personal data is collected from

The data will be collected with a Webropol-survey tool, where research participants submit their written contributions and their background information. Participation is voluntary, and research subjects choose what kind of information they share in their written contributions.

12. Transfers or disclosures of data outside the research group

Personal data is not transferred or disclosed outside the research group.

13. Transfers or disclosures of data outside the EU or the European Economic Area

Personal data is not transferred outside the EU or EEA.

14. Automated decision-making

The processing of personal data does not include automatic decision-making or profiling.

15. Principles of safeguarding personal data

The data processed in the information systems is safeguarded with the following measures:

☒ account credentials ☒ password ☐ registering usage ☐ access control

☐ other measure, what:

16. Processing of personal data after the research has ended

☒ The research register is disposed of

Research register will be maintained until June 2026, after which it will be destroyed.

☐ The research register is archived ☐ without identifiers ☐ with identifiers

Research Data will be stored in the Finland Futures Research Centre's SeaFile system by the end of 2030

17. Rights of the data subjects and possible limitations to them

The data subject has a right to cancel the consent they have given if the processing of personal data is based on consent.

The data subject has the right to lodge a complaint with the supervisory authority if the data subject considers that the processing of personal data related to him/her has violated the information security legislation currently valid.

The rights of the data subject under the GDPR can be deviated from in scientific research with the following safety measures:

- The processing of personal data is based on the research plan.
- The research has an appointed person or a group responsible for it.
- The personal data is used and disclosed only for historic or scientific research purposes or other comparable purposes, and other actions are also implemented in a manner ensuring that data identifying a certain person is not disclosed to outsiders.

The data subject has the right to inspect their registered data (Article 15).

The data subject has the right to rectification of their data.

The data subject has the right to erasure of their data (Article 17). The right to erasure of data is not applied in scientific or historical research purposes in so far as the right to erasure is likely to render impossible or seriously impair the achievement of the objectives of that processing.

The data subject has a right to restrict the processing of data (Article 18).

The data subject has a right to object the processing of data (Article 21).

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