

## Exempt Information Sheet

You are being invited to participate in a research study titled Processes of Person Perception. This study is being done by Dr. Chujun Lin from UC San Diego. You were selected to participate in this study because you are i) aged 18 and older, ii) with normal or corrected-to-normal vision and hearing, iii) fluent in the language used in our study stimuli, and iv) with at least high school education.

The purpose of this research study is to understand how people think about each other such as inferring each other's personalities and characteristics. Your participation in this research will take approximately 25 minutes. If you agree to take part in this study, you will be asked to complete an online survey. This survey will present you information about other people through images. It will then ask you to make judgments about these people by rating them on different characteristics. There are minimal risks associated with this research that are no more than those that would occur in any everyday internet use.

Your participation in this study is completely voluntary and you can withdraw at any time. Choosing not to participate or withdrawing will result in no penalty or loss of benefits to which you are entitled. You are free to skip any question that you choose.

If you have questions about this project or if you have a research-related problem, you may contact the researcher(s), Chujun Lin at [chl211@ucsd.edu](mailto:chl211@ucsd.edu) or 858-534-3001. If you have any questions concerning your rights as a research subject, you may contact the UC San Diego Office of IRB Administration at [irb@ucsd.edu](mailto:irb@ucsd.edu) or 858-246-4777.

By participating in this research you are indicating that you are at least 18 years old, have read this consent form, and agree to participate in this research study. Please keep this consent form for your records.