

Data underlying research paper “Exploring potential contributions of open data intermediaries” by Ashraf Shaharudin, Bastiaan van Loenen, and Marijn Janssen from Delft University of Technology (TU Delft), the Netherlands

This folder contains data underlying the research paper “Exploring potential contributions of open data intermediaries”. It consists of:

1. Tentative interview questions
2. Informed consent form template (verbal interview & written interview)
3. De-identified interview transcripts
4. Coding results

Note about the tentative interview questions:

The interviews were conducted between May and July 2023 based on the semi-structured approach. We customise the tentative interview questions accordingly for each interview and share them with the interviewees in advance (for the majority, at least three working days in advance). As semi-structured interviews, the ultimate interview questions may differ from the tentative questions based on the information provided by the interviewees and time constraints (refer to item #3).

Note about the informed consent form:

We sent the informed consent form to every interviewee in advance and requested them to return it to us before the interview.

Note about the de-identified interview transcripts (and coding results):

We removed personally identifiable information from the transcripts. A few interviewees may risk being identifiable if their organisation is known. Hence, we removed the identification of the organisation and country in all transcripts. Partially disclosing the organisation or country for some transcripts increases the risks of identifying the non-disclosed transcripts.

With verbal communication, some sentences may be less incomprehensible in writing, especially if English is the speaker’s second language. Thus, we did minimal edits when transcribing to improve the comprehensibility where necessary, but the main objective was to keep the transcript as close to verbatim as possible.

All interviewees whose interview transcripts are recorded in this document give permission for the anonymised transcript of their interview, with personally identifiable information redacted, to be shared in 4TU.ResearchData repository so it can be used for future research and learning.

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