

Computer Vision Research Laboratory (CVRL): 'Ear study' participation opportunity

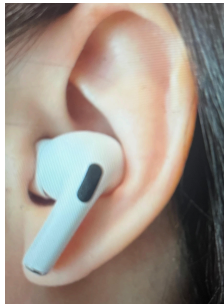
Hello! You are invited to participate in this research study.

Notre Dame students, staff, and faculty, who are between the ages of 18 and 65, are eligible to participate.

Participation involves using a web application on your laptop/ desktop system (using Chrome) to capture a series of face images and videos in two sessions separated by at least 24 hours. The process can take up to 20 minutes. Participants must be on campus or connected with VPN to access the server.

Participants must wear in-ear earphones during the entire acquisition session.

Please make sure the ear can be seen clearly, as shown below.



Participants will receive two \$10 gift cards after completing two sessions that should be at least 24 hours apart. **We are unable to provide the incentives to participants not wearing in-ear earphones during the sessions.**

The collected and anonymized data might be shared (under a restrictive data sharing license) with other research groups studying this subject matter, so that they can build upon our work.

If you would like to participate, please do the following.

1. Make sure you are wearing in-ear earphones. Wired in-ear earphones are also okay.
2. Check that your computer's webcam works.
2. Go to a place with good lighting.
3. Go to this URL: <https://cvrl-flynn-ws1.cse.nd.edu:9717/> .

Please write to Jayeeta Dhar at jdhar@nd.edu (subject: Ear study)

- a. if you have any questions regarding participation in this study,
- b. if you wish to revoke your consent to this study (this has to be done within one week of your date of participation),
- c. for participation incentive, if it is not processed within three weeks after the second acquisition.

Thank you!

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