

CLEAR 2006 Evaluation Participation Agreement

This registration form **must** be filled out in its entirety and returned to the address below **by the registration deadline of January 15, 2006** in order for your organization to participate in the 2006 CLEAR evaluations. Your signature on this form indicates your organization's explicit agreement to the terms of this document.

Please fill out this form completely to indicate your intended commitments for the 2006 CLEAR evaluation tasks. Please note that submission of this form constitutes your intention to participate in these tasks. Tasks which are undersubscribed may not be supported, so please mark all tasks you think you are very likely to participate in. If you are contractually required to participate in some of these tasks by your funding program, you must still sign up for them here. Signing up for a particular task will entitle you to any existing training data for that task. Note that you must sign this form to receive the training/development data for these evaluations.

Please return this completed form to:

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or

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The following are the terms of participation in the CLEAR Evaluation:

- On receiving the evaluation data, your organization will process the entire test set for each evaluation task you have registered for in accordance with the CLEAR Evaluation Plan. You agree to submit your system output for these tasks for scoring/analysis per the evaluation plan for each task.
- The evaluation source data and ancillary annotations are not to be examined until such time that all CLEAR evaluations have been completed. As some of this data is also being used for the 2006 Rich Transcription evaluation, organizations also participating in that evaluation must not examine this data until they have also completed that evaluation.
- Your organization agrees to be represented at the CLEAR workshop to be held April 6-7 in Southampton, UK, and to openly discuss all aspects of the system(s) you used to implement the evaluation(s). Participants must write a system description document that will be included in the workshop materials and prepare and deliver a system description presentation at that workshop.
- The training, development, and evaluation data provided by CLEAR for these evaluations is protected and cannot be redistributed without the express permission of the data providers/sponsors for each evaluation task.

The following are the terms for publication of CLEAR evaluation results:

- Your organization agrees that the sponsoring organizations (U.S. Government and European Commission and their designates) will be permitted to publish your results without anonymity or further permission in the CLEAR Proceedings, CLEAR Website, and relevant publications that the sponsoring organizations choose.
- Your organization understands that results for each evaluation task you participate in are only to be discussed within the group of registered participants for that task and with representatives of supporting programs/sponsors.
- Your organization agrees to not publicly compare its results with the results of other participants, such as stating your systems rank or score difference in a particular evaluation task. Your organization is free to do what you wish with your own results, but you may neither redistribute nor publish another organization's results without that site's explicit permission. However, organizations are encouraged to reference the CLEAR website and official CLEAR evaluation publications in their publications.
- This agreement does not supersede any contractual agreement that a site may have with its sponsors or their affiliates regarding publication review.

The CLEAR Organizing Committee serves to coordinate these evaluations. These tests are designed for local implementation by each participant. As such, this evaluation is based on an honor system. Organizations that are found to have manually or artificially generated results for these evaluations may be barred from future participation in any CLEAR-affiliated evaluations.

The reported results are not to be construed, or represented, as endorsement of any participant's system, or as official findings on the part of NIST, the U.S. Government or the European Commission.

Organization(s): _____

CLEAR 2006 Evaluation Tasks (put an "X" next to tasks you wish to sign up for)

- 3D Single Person Tracking Seminar Meeting Video¹
- 3D Single Person Tracking Seminar Meeting Audio¹
- 3D Single Person Tracking Seminar Meeting Audio/Video¹

- 3D Multi Person Tracking *Interactive* Seminar Meeting Video¹
- 3D Multi Person Tracking *Interactive* Seminar Meeting Audio¹
- 3D Multi Person Tracking *Interactive* Seminar Meeting Audio/Video¹

- 2D Multiple Person Tracking Multi-site Conference Meeting Video²
- 2D Multiple Person Tracking Surveillance Video Dry Run ²
- 2D Multiple Person Tracking UAV Video²

- Person ID Seminar Meeting Video¹
- Person ID Seminar Meeting Audio¹
- Person ID Seminar Meeting Audio/Video¹

- 2D Face Tracking Multi-site Conference Meeting Video²
- 2D Face Tracking Seminar Data¹
- 2D Face Tracking Multi-site Interactive Seminar Meeting Video¹

- Head Pose Estimation Studio Video¹
- Head Pose Estimation Seminar Meeting Video¹

- Vehicle Tracking Surveillance Video Dry Run ²

- Acoustic Event Detection Seminar Meeting Audio¹
- Environment Classification Seminar Meeting Audio¹

All participants in CHIL-sponsored tasks will also have to sign and submit the "CHIL Language and Audiovisual Resources Evaluation - End-User Agreement"

Some tasks may require the submission of additional user agreements for the particular dataset being used.

Please fill out the following information and initial on the lines at the bottom of each page.

Contact Information (print clearly)

Name (Last, First): _____

Phone: _____

Email: _____

¹ CHIL-sponsored task (CHIL End-User agreement required)

² VACE-sponsored task

Address (for distribution of the evaluation data):

Signature: _____

Date: _____

(By signing and submitting this form, you are registering your site as a participant in the 2006 CLEAR evaluation, and acknowledge that you have read and will abide by the rules specified in this document and the protocols specified in the official evaluation plan(s) for the task(s) you registered for.)

