Exploring the lives of Second-Generation survivors and refugees of the Holocaust

This survey explores the lives of Second-Generation individuals with either one or both parents were victims of persecution by National Socialism (1933 - 1945) - Second Generation (2G). Your parent may have been a child at the time, sometimes identified as Generation 1.5. If your grandparents also escaped you would also be Third Generation (3G).

Questions explore both your life and those of previous generations covering a long time-scale. It is inevitable that you may not know answers to some questions, whilst others rely on memory and information passed on by those who are no longer able to tell their own story.

Personal Data

You can either answer these questions anonymously or give your permission to have your personal data collected at the end of the survey.

Your data will be stored electronically within this system meeting the requirements of GDPR. This software does not access or record your unique web address (IP). We will take all reasonable measures to ensure that data remain confidential.

The data that we collect from you may be transferred to, stored and/ or processed at a destination outside the UK and the European Economic Area. By submitting your personal data, you agree to this transfer, storing or processing. The intention is to make the anonymised data available to researcher organisations and individual researchers.

However, once the data is downloaded it may be stored on local computers that are less secure and may be shared between researchers. Please be aware that there is always a small risk that data may be hacked when sharing personal data. Responses will be anonymised at the earliest opportunity.

It is hoped that the data collected would be passed to a national organisation e.g. xxxx and become available to future researchers. It may be used in academic publications, conference presentations, reports or national press. We would like to use the data in future studies, and to share data with other researchers (e.g. in online databases). Data will have identifying information removed before it is shared with other researchers or results are made public.

Some questions ask for detailed responses. Please remember that your unique experience might make you identifiable, particularly if the number of responses is low.

Please only give information you are comfortable sharing.

Please note that participation is voluntary. If you do decide to take part, you may withdraw at any point for any reason before submitting your answers by closing the browser.

You can ask to have your responses deleted from the database at any stage: contact <u>2gensurvey@gmail.com</u>

If you have a concern about any aspect of this research, contact 2gensurvey@gmail.com

These questions ask about the extent you are happy to share personal information. Please only give information you are happy sharing. You can ask to have your responses deleted from the database at any stage.

The questions impact on highly personal topics and hope not to cause offence. Given that there is a spectrum of beliefs and attitudes they seek to tease out difficult experiences and past trauma.

All questions are optional, some include a 'Prefer not to say' option and "Do not know" option. Please omit any question that is either irrelevant or might cause distress. (It would be helpful if you could comment on this at the end of the survey.)