



Data protection information for the ‘Global survey on the use of genetic methods by water utilities and government agencies for microbiological water quality testing’

Protecting and securing data are important matters for all three organising institutions: the Austrian Interuniversity Cooperation Centre for Water & Health, the Global Water Pathogen Project, and the IWA Health-Related Water Microbiology Specialist Group. As a member of the Austrian Interuniversity Cooperation Centre for Water & Health, the TU Wien is in charge of data collection and processing.

Personal data are processed in strict compliance with the principles and requirements laid down in GPDR¹ and DSG². TU Wien only processes those data required for the purposes intended and at all times endeavours to ensure the security and accuracy of the data.

¹ General Data Protection Regulation

² Austrian Data Protection Act (Datenschutzgesetz)

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Purpose of data processing

The following data about the institution is processed during this data processing, for the purpose of survey data analysis:

- Name of the institution in the country's language (required)
- Name of the institution in English (optional)



- Department within the organisation (optional)
- Region or state (optional)
- Country (required)

The data is collected directly from you. Legal basis: Consent

The following personal data is processed during this data processing, for the purpose of distributing relevant information after the survey closes:

- Name of the contact person (optional)
- Position of the contact person (optional)
- Email address of the contact person (optional)

The data is collected directly from you. Legal Basis: public interest

Legal basis of the data processing

This use of personal data is based § 2d Abs. 3 Forschungsorganisationsgesetz (consent) and Art. 6 para 1 lit. e GDPR (performance of a task in the public interest) in conjunction with § 3 Austrian Universities Act 2002 and regarding photos / videos and information about events on the basis of Article 6 par 1 (a) GDPR (consent).

Categories of recipients of personal data

No data will be transferred to third parties.

Duration of data storage

Data will be stored for 5 years after completion of the survey (planned date of survey closure: 31st March 2024).

Your rights in connection with personal data

As the **data subject** affected by the processing of these data, you have the following rights vis-à-vis TU Wien:

- the right to information;
- the right to rectification;
- the right to erasure;
- the right to restriction of processing of your data;
- the right to data portability;
- the right to object

The following rights do not apply insofar as the achievement of purposes pursuant to Art. 89(1) GDPR is likely to be rendered impossible or seriously impaired thereby:

- Right of access of the data subject (Art. 15 GDPR),
- Right to rectification (Art. 16 GDPR),
- Right to erasure or right to be forgotten (Art. 17 GDPR),





- Right to restriction of processing (Art. 18 GDPR),
- Right to data portability (Art. 20 DSGVO), and
- Right to object (Art. 21 DSGVO).

Right to revocation under Article 7 GDPR

Every data subject has the right to withdraw their consent(s) in writing at any time by sending an e-mail to water.survey@hrwm.eu. The withdrawal of consent shall not affect the lawfulness of processing based on consent before its withdrawal.

Right to complain

If you believe that the processing of your data violates data protection law or that your data protection rights have otherwise been violated in any way, you may lodge a complaint with the Austrian data protection authority (<https://www.dsb.gv.at/>).

31/10/2023

