

GDPR Privacy Notice

The Research Corporation of the University of Hawai'i ("RCUH") is committed to safeguarding the privacy of personal data. This GDPR Privacy Notice explains how RCUH processes your personal data and your rights regarding your personal data under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

Applicability

This GDPR Privacy Notice applies to all data subjects, defined in GDPR as identifiable natural persons, whose personal data is collected by RCUH while the data subject is located in the European Union (EU). The 27 member countries of the EU include Austria, Belgium, Bulgaria, Croatia, Republic of Cyprus, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Hungary, Ireland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Malta, Netherlands, Poland, Portugal, Romania, Slovakia, Slovenia, Spain, and Sweden. If you were located in any of these EU countries AT THE TIME you provided RCUH with your personal data, this GDPR Privacy Notice will apply to you.

Lawful Basis for Collecting and Processing Personal Data

RCUH will only collect, process, use, and maintain the personal data collected (1) with your consent, (2) for the performance of a contract to which you are or will be a party, (3) for compliance with legal obligations, (4) for the protection of vital interests including health and safety, (5) for the performance of a task carried out in the public interest, or (6) for the legitimate interests of RCUH that do not outweigh your fundamental rights and freedoms.

Sharing Personal Data

RCUH may share your personal data with third parties under a memorandum of agreement where the sharing of such personal data is in compliance with GDPR and other applicable laws, necessary or desirable for the foregoing purposes and bases, and is safeguarded and protected in a commercially reasonable manner.

Retention Period of Personal Data

Your personal data will be retained for no longer than is necessary in accordance with applicable federal and state laws and RCUH policies.

Your Rights as a Data Subject

For personal data that is subject to regulation under GDPR, you have the following rights:

- Right of Access – the right to request a copy of your personal data.
- Right of Rectification – the right to correct your personal data that is inaccurate.
- Right of Erasure (“Right to be Forgotten”) – the right, in certain circumstances, for your personal data to be erased from RCUH records.
- Right to Restrict Processing – the right, when certain conditions apply to you, to restrict the processing of your personal data.
- Right to Data Portability – the right to have your personal data transferred to another organization or entity.
- Right to Object – the right to object to certain types of processing such as direct marketing or research purposes not in the public interest.
- Right to Object to Automated Processing – the right to object to a decision based solely on automated processing or profiling.
- Right to Review – the right to obtain a reason should RCUH refuse your requests under any of the above rights, including the right to file a complaint as set forth below.

Please note that the above rights are not absolute, and RCUH may be entitled to refuse requests where exceptions or special circumstances apply. RCUH may also request the provision of additional information necessary to confirm the identity of the data subject making any such request. Should RCUH determine that you are not entitled to exercise any rights, RCUH will provide you with the reason(s) for denial.

Complaints

Any complaints about your personal data should be sent to the Executive Director of RCUH who has been designated as the Data Protection Officer for the purposes of GDPR:

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