



# THE AI VIRTUAL COMMUNITY PLEDGE

## We Strive For

*The use of trustworthy and human-centric Artificial Intelligence for increased collaboration amongst EU Agencies and Member States, whilst seeking efficiency gains and demonstrating the overall added-value and contribution of EU Agencies and Member States to the EU AI Strategy.*

## Action Pledge

We \_\_\_\_\_ (community member) are committed to working towards the development and promotion of the AI Community, knowledge sharing to increase reuse and maturity, and collaboration across common AI initiatives and projects.

## We Commit

1. To understand, share, develop, and leverage AI capabilities.
2. To be open to inform or collaboration with any EU Agency and Member State that shares the same vision and strategic objectives.
3. To maintain a positive and cooperative working relationship viewing failure as a natural part of learning and experimenting in a trusted environment.
4. To execute the roles and responsibilities I am assigned to which can evolve over time and/or upon request.
5. To actively engage in the community by providing relevant content, participating in exchanges and promoting the reuse of existing resources.
6. To leverage the Virtual Community's community tool as the platform that supports meetings, interactions and the community feed.

## Roles and Responsibilities

- **Leaders:** members that oversee the community evolution by ensuring the implementation of the strategy and lead one or more use cases.
- **Contributors:** members that contribute and actively engage in community activities which typically includes one or more use cases.
- **Observers:** members interested in increasing their level of awareness in AI and support the overall community vision.
- **Facilitators:** individuals mandated by the community to

## We Affirm

- Meetings will be held on a regular basis, chaired by leading members and assisted by the facilitators. Active participation in these meetings is expected from all members.
- Each member is committed to ensuring that at least one representative will be attending the meetings.
- Meeting agendas and minutes will be prepared by the facilitators. It is expected from leaders and contributors to, on an ad-hoc basis, prepare and present their advancement and update the community.
- Beyond these meetings, day-to-day activities are expected to be driven by the leading agencies for the use cases and the overall development of the community.

## Confidentiality

- The Virtual AI Community will offer an environment where resources, data, code, and tools can be shared in total confidence. All community members are expected to respect the privacy and confidentiality of the information shared on the platform.
- The members of the community are expected to commit with to the applicable European regulations.

All of the above-mentioned guiding principles will be reviewed on a regular basis and can lead to the adaptation of this pledge.

*As of September 2020, the members of the community are listed below. They have all committed to the AI Virtual Community Pledge.*

