

2012 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation License Agreement

In the remainder of this document the term **User** refers to _____ of _____ and the term **User's Research Group** refers to _____.

User agrees, on behalf of User's Research Group, to receive media (CD-ROM, DVD, hard drive, web download, etc.) containing speech and/or text data from the Linguistic Data Consortium (LDC) named below under "Corpora/Data Received" and to use the material received under this agreement (the "Data") only for purposes of the 2012 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation. User and User's Research Group may include limited excerpts from the Data in articles, reports and other documents describing the results of work performed in the 2012 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation. User further agrees not to otherwise publish, retransmit, disclose, display, copy, reproduce or redistribute the Data to others outside of User's Research Group.

If User is a member of the LDC, User may retain the Data. If User is not a member of the LDC, User shall return the Data to the LDC as follows: (1) If User fails to register for the 2012 NIST Speaker Recognition evaluation, User agrees to delete the Data from any computer or media onto which it has been copied and to return all media to the LDC **on or before August 1st, 2012**; (2) If User fails to submit evaluation results by the date established for such results in the 2012 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation, User agrees to delete the Data from any computer or media onto which it has been copied and to return all media to the LDC **on or before November 1st, 2012**; and (3) If User fulfills all requirements of the 2012 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation, User agrees to delete the Data from any computer or media onto which it has been copied and to return all media to the LDC **on or before March 1st, 2013**.

All Data is provided "as is" and neither the Linguistic Data Consortium nor the University of Pennsylvania warrants the accuracy, completeness, currentness, merchantability or fitness for a particular purpose of the Data. In no event will the Linguistic Data Consortium or the University of Pennsylvania be liable for any loss or injury caused in whole or in part by its negligence or contingencies beyond its control in procuring, compiling, interpreting, editing, writing, reporting or delivering the Data, or for any errors, omissions or inaccuracies in the Data, regardless of how caused. In no event will the Linguistic Data Consortium or the University of Pennsylvania be liable to User, User's Research Group, or to any other individual or organization for any decision made or action taken in reliance upon any part of the Data or for any consequential, direct, special or similar damages, even if advised of the possibility of such damages.

User shall send a signed copy of this agreement by facsimile to the LDC, Attention: Ilya Ahtaridis, fax number 215-573-2175.

Corpora/Data Received:

- LDC2009E100 1996-2008 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation Data Collection
Description: All data from SREs from 1996 through 2008

- LDC2012E09 2010 NIST Speaker Recognition Evaluation and Follow-up Data
Description: Evaluation data from the SRE08 Follow-up; Evaluation data from SRE10; Evaluation data from SRE10 sampled at 16-KHz

Organization: _____

Name: _____

Title: _____

Signature: _____

Date: _____

For LDC:

Christopher Cieri
Executive Director