**University of Notre Dame Biometrics Database Release Agreement**
**Notre Dame LivDet-Iris 2023 Dataset (ND LivDet-Iris-2023)**
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**Introduction**
The goal of our biometrics research is to develop new techniques, technology, and algorithms for the automatic recognition of humans. Datasets that we have collected are meant to aid research efforts in the general area of developing, testing and evaluating human recognition algorithms. The University of Notre Dame du Lac (henceforth, "UND") owns copyright of the collection of biometric images and serves as the source for the UND Biometrics Database. This dataset contains images of live (authentic) irises and images of irises synthetically-generated by deep learning-based generative adversarial networks. The primary goal of creating and sharing this dataset is to allow researchers to participate in LivDet-Iris 2023 competition by delivering to the organizers the presentation attack detection scores associated with these images. After the LivDet-Iris 2023 competition is concluded, this dataset may be a useful benchmark allowing to compare future solutions with those submitted to the competition.

**Release of the Database**
To advance the state-of-the-art in human recognition, to the extent permitted by law, the ND LivDet-Iris-2023 de-identified (no personal identifiers associated with images) image dataset will be made available to researchers on a case-by-case basis only. All requests for the ND LivDet-Iris-2023 database must be submitted in writing to the UND Principal Investigator **by the researcher's institution on behalf of the individual researcher or research unit** (henceforth the "Licensee"). To the extent permitted by law, to receive a copy of the ND LivDet-Iris-2023 database, the requestor must sign this document and agree to observe the restrictions listed below. In addition to other possible remedies, failure to observe these restrictions may result in revocation of permission to use the data as well as denial of access to additional databases distributed by UND. The database will be distributed over the Internet to licensees only. There will be no charge for data made available and downloaded via the Internet.

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6. Citation: All documents and papers that report on research that uses the ND LivDet-Iris-2023 dataset must acknowledge the use of the database by including the following citation: P. Tinsley, A. Czajka and P. J. Flynn, "Haven't I Seen You Before? Assessing Identity Leakage in Synthetic Irises," *IEEE International Joint Conference on Biometrics (IJCB)*, Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates, 2022, pp. 1-9, doi: 10.1109/IJCB54206.2022.10007948
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