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APPENDIX A: QUESTIONNAIRE



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An invitation to participant in a survey on “Cloud-Based E-Learning Users' Information Privacy Concerns”

Dear Valued Respondent,

I am a PHD student of Faculty of Science & Technology, Islamic Science University of Malaysia (USIM), Nilai, Negeri Sembilan.

For your information, using cloud-based e-learning on universities has many benefits such as reducing IT complexity and cost, accessing the file storages, databases, educational resources, research applications and tools anywhere, anytime on demand. However, as more and more information of education institutions is dispersed in many locations even across the national borders. Concerns are beginning to grow about the privacy. Privacy is one of the main issues that delay the adoption of cloud computing technologies.

Therefore, my study intends to identify respondents' perception about factors that influence the privacy of cloud-based e-learning in Malaysian public universities. The findings from this study shall benefit to reduce the drawbacks of cloud computing and to express cloud-based e-learning adoption. The finding will also act as a guideline for cloud-based e-learning system adopting in education institutions. This research will encourage public universities in Malaysia to implement cloud-based e-learning system in order to minimize most of their IT issues. .

I would be very grateful if you could spare a few minutes of your valuable time to fill in the questionnaire since successful completion of this study is largely dependent upon obtaining an adequate and representative sample. Please be assured that any information provided in the survey will be strictly confidential and used for research purposes only.

If you have any inquiries, please do not hesitate to contact myself or my supervisor for further clarification.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR PRECIOUS TIME AND CO-OPERATION

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Consent Form

Study Title: Privacy in Cloud-based E-learning
 Researcher: Maher Abdulla Almahdi Alghali

I have read the information contained in the letter/memo about the above titled study, which describes what I will be asked to do if I wants to participate in the study; and,

- OR-
- Yes – I would like to participate in the study
 - No – I do not want to participate in the study.

Name _____ Date _____

Signature _____

Institution Name _____

This questionnaire attempts to identify factors that influence the privacy of cloud-based e-learning in Malaysian public universities.

Instructions: Please answer all questions below:

1	Gender	<input type="radio"/> Male <input type="radio"/> Female
2	Qualification	<input type="radio"/> Bachelor <input type="radio"/> Master <input type="radio"/> PHD
4	Job title	<input type="radio"/> Staff <input type="radio"/> Lecture

I am interested in your opinion and perception on the privacy of cloud-based e-learning. Your participation in this study is appreciated.

Circle the Most Suitable Number to Your Opinion from the Following Scale												
1 – Strongly disagree	2 – Disagree	3 – Somewhat disagree	4 – Neither agree or disagree	5 – Somewhat agree	6 – Agree	7 – Strongly agree						
6	Data Collection (Malhotra et al., 2004)											
DC1	It will bother me if cloud-based e-learning system of my university asks me for personal information.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DC2	If cloud-based e-learning system asks me for personal information, I will think twice before providing it.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DC3	It will bother me to give personal information so many times to cloud-based e-learning system.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
7	Control (Malhotra et al., 2004)											
CO1	User cloud-based e-learning privacy is really a matter of users' right to exercise control and autonomy over decisions about how their information is collected, used, and shared.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CO2	I believe that controlling of personal information lies at the main of my privacy.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CO3	I believe that cloud computing privacy is invaded when control is lost or unwillingly reduced as a result of a marketing transaction.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	Awareness (Malhotra et al., 2004)											
AW1	My university should disclose the way the data are collected, processed, and used on the cloud-based e-learning system.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AW2	A good user cloud-based e-learning privacy policy should have clear and conspicuous disclosure.					1	2	3	4	5	6	7

AW3	It is very important that I am aware and knowledgeable about how my personal information will be used on the cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
9	Access (Smith et al., 1996)							
AC1	My university should provide the users with access to all personal information on cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AC2	Cloud-based e-learning system of my university should comply with all user requests (Add, Modify, and Delete).	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AC3	My university should ensure that all of users' information has been deleted in the cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
10	Compliance (New Development)							
CM1	There are clear privacy compliance requirements govern the personal information in cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CM2	There are clear applicable laws, regulations, standards, and contractual commitments that govern personal information in cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
CM3	The existing privacy compliance requirements in my university impacted by the move to the cloud.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
11	Storage (New Development)							
ST1	I am concerned about where is the data of cloud-based e-learning system of my university stored in the cloud.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
ST2	I am concerned if the data of cloud-based e-learning system of my university transferred to another cloud centre in another country.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
ST3	I am concerned if the data of cloud-based e-learning system transferred without the knowledge of my universities.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
ST4	I am concerned if the data of cloud-based e-learning system of my university commingled with data from other organizations that use the same cloud services provider.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
12	Retention (New Development)							
RE1	It will be important to me how long cloud-based e-learning system data retained on the cloud is.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
RE2	It is very important to me which retention policy governs personal information in the cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
RE3	It will be important to me who own the data, my university or the cloud services providers.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
13	Destruction (New Development)							
DES1	I am concerned if the cloud services providers destroy my university data at the end of the retention period.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DES2	I am concerned that how my university ensures that its data is destroyed by the cloud service providers at the right point and is not available to other cloud users.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DES3	I am concerned that how my university know that the cloud service providers didn't retain additional copies.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
DES4	I am concerned of that the destruction completely erases the data.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
14	Audit and monitoring (New Development)							
AM1	It is very important to me if there are different levels of requirements for different sets of users in cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AM2	It is very important to me what specific regulatory requirements are applicable in cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AM3	It is very important to me how can my university monitor its cloud-based e-learning system and provide assurance to the users that privacy requirements are met.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
AM4	It is very important to me if my university audits for compliance with privacy and security policies and procedures.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
15	Privacy breaches (New Development)							
PB1	It is very important to me how privacy breaches have occurred in cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PB2	It is very important to me how to ensure that the cloud service provider notifies me or my university when a breach occurs.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7

PB3	It is very important to me who is responsible for managing the breach notification.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
16	Privacy Concerns (Smith et al., 1996)							
PC1	I am concerned that the information I submit to cloud based e-learning system of my university could be misused.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PC2	I am concerned that others can find private information about me from cloud based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PC3	I am concerned about providing personal information to cloud based e-learning system, because of what others might do with it.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
PC4	I am concerned about providing personal information to cloud based e-learning system, because it could be used in a way that I did not foresee.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
17	Risk Beliefs (New Development)							
RB1	There would be too much uncertainty associated with giving (the information) to cloud-based e-learning system of my university.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
RB2	There would be high potential for loss associated with giving (the information) to cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
RB3	In general, it would be risky to give (the information) to cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
RB4	Providing cloud-based e-learning system with (the information) would involve many unexpected problems.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
18	Trusting Beliefs (Malhotra, Kim et al. 2004)							
TB1	Cloud services provider would be trustworthy in handling the information on cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TB2	My university would tell the truth and fulfil promises related to (the information) provided by me.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TB3	I trust that Cloud services provider would keep my best interests in mind when dealing with (the information) on cloud-based e-learning system.	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TB4	Cloud services provider is in general predictable and consistent regarding the usage of (the information).	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
TB5	Cloud services provider is always honest with me when it comes to using (the information) on cloud-based e-learning system.	2	3	4	5	6	7	

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

APPENDIX B:
RESULTES OF ANALYSIS

TABLE B.1 Descriptive Statistics

Items	N	Minimum	Maximum	Mean	Std. Deviation
DC1	216	4	7	6.32	.686
DC2	216	4	7	6.19	.711
DC3	216	4	7	6.25	.661
CO1	216	3	7	5.79	.867
CO2	216	3	7	5.76	.876
CO3	216	3	7	5.83	.905
AW1	216	3	7	5.84	.923
AW2	216	3	7	5.81	.928
AW3	216	3	7	5.90	.933
AC1	216	3	7	5.93	.879
AC2	216	3	7	5.90	.873
AC3	216	3	7	5.97	.854
CM1	216	4	7	6.10	.878
CM2	216	4	7	6.12	.838
CM3	216	4	7	6.10	.821
ST1	216	4	7	5.95	.836
ST2	216	4	7	5.91	.776
ST3	216	4	7	6.06	.784
ST4	216	4	7	6.00	.849
RE1	216	3	7	6.01	.900
RE2	216	3	7	5.93	.894
RE3	216	3	7	5.97	.945
DES1	216	4	7	5.69	.809
DES2	216	4	7	5.69	.801
DES3	216	4	7	5.57	.912
DES4	216	4	7	5.74	.782
AM1	216	3	7	6.12	.851
AM2	216	3	7	6.19	.904
AM3	216	3	7	6.00	.928
AM4	216	3	7	6.06	.943

PB1	216	4	7	6.13	.725
PB2	216	4	7	6.11	.717
PB3	216	4	7	6.17	.682
PC1	216	3	7	5.73	1.022
PC2	216	3	7	5.72	.997
PC3	216	3	7	5.70	.982
PC4	216	3	7	5.71	.985
RB1	216	3	7	6.03	.964
RB2	216	3	7	5.79	.970
RB3	216	3	7	5.78	.985
RB4	216	3	7	5.79	.968
TB1	216	1	4	2.17	.873
TB2	216	1	4	2.12	.889
TB3	216	1	4	2.17	.901
TB4	216	1	4	2.15	.943
TB5	216	1	4	2.16	.877

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TABLE B.2: Normality Test

Variable	min	max	skew	c.r.	kurtosis	c.r.
TB5	4.000	7.000	-.427	-2.560	-.465	-1.395
TB3	4.000	7.000	-.421	-2.527	-.559	-1.677
TB2	4.000	7.000	-.607	-3.641	-.246	-.739
TB1	4.000	7.000	-.553	-3.317	-.255	-.764
RB4	3.000	7.000	-.775	-4.652	.168	.504
RB3	3.000	7.000	-.694	-4.165	-.031	-.092
RB2	3.000	7.000	-.760	-4.561	.137	.412
RB1	3.000	7.000	-.898	-5.390	.193	.578
PC4	3.000	7.000	-.561	-3.368	-.337	-1.010
PC3	3.000	7.000	-.550	-3.301	-.340	-1.020
PC2	3.000	7.000	-.569	-3.414	-.379	-1.136
PC1	3.000	7.000	-.520	-3.122	-.521	-1.564
PB3	4.000	7.000	-.485	-2.910	.179	.536
PB2	4.000	7.000	-.311	-1.864	.527	-1.581
PB1	4.000	7.000	-.429	-2.572	-.306	-.919
AM4	3.000	7.000	-.563	-3.379	-.673	-2.019
AM3	3.000	7.000	-.535	-3.209	-.534	-1.603
AM2	3.000	7.000	-.959	-5.755	.257	.770
AM1	3.000	7.000	-.695	-4.169	-.019	-.057
DES4	4.000	7.000	.331	-1.987	-.192	-.575
DES2	4.000	7.000	-.322	-1.934	-.277	-.830
DES1	4.000	7.000	-.216	-1.295	-.405	-1.216
RE3	3.000	7.000	-.708	-4.248	-.060	-.180
RE2	3.000	7.000	-.646	-3.876	.130	.390
RE1	3.000	7.000	-.787	-4.720	.329	.986
CM3	4.000	7.000	-.838	-5.026	.428	1.283
CM2	4.000	7.000	-.847	-5.085	.305	.915
CM1	4.000	7.000	-.736	-4.416	-.192	-.576
ST4	4.000	7.000	-.677	-4.060	-.003	-.009
ST3	4.000	7.000	-.454	-2.721	-.363	-1.089
ST2	4.000	7.000	-.627	-3.761	.344	1.031
ST1	4.000	7.000	-.621	-3.727	-.015	-.045
AC3	3.000	7.000	-.702	-4.212	.690	2.070
AC2	3.000	7.000	-.643	-3.860	.660	1.980
AC1	3.000	7.000	-.690	-4.139	.688	2.065
AW3	3.000	7.000	-.668	-4.011	-.027	-.080

AW2	3.000	7.000	-.490	-2.940	-.249	-.748
AW1	3.000	7.000	-.562	-3.374	-.131	-.393
CO3	3.000	7.000	-.497	-2.984	.039	.117
CO2	3.000	7.000	-.439	-2.635	.154	.463
CO1	3.000	7.000	-.530	-3.177	.331	.992
Multivariate					200.697	24.837

TABLE B.3: Reliability

	Scale Mean if Item Deleted	Scale Variance if Item Deleted	Corrected Item-Total Correlation	Cronbach's Alpha if Item Deleted
<i>Data collection: Cronbach's alpha = .633</i>				
DC1	12.43	1.344	.397	.598
DC2	12.57	1.177	.496	.456
DC3	12.51	1.339	.438	.542
<i>Control: Cronbach's alpha = .953</i>				
CO1	11.60	2.977	.898	.934
CO2	11.63	2.961	.891	.939
CO3	11.56	2.816	.916	.921
<i>Awareness: Cronbach's alpha = .959</i>				
AW1	11.71	3.275	.907	.943
AW2	11.74	3.198	.934	.923
AW3	11.65	3.271	.895	.952
<i>Access: Cronbach's alpha = .930</i>				
AC1	11.87	2.666	.879	.881
AC2	11.90	2.771	.835	.917
AC3	11.83	2.784	.858	.898
<i>Compliance: Cronbach's alpha = .934</i>				
CM1	12.22	2.608	.814	.945
CM2	12.20	2.560	.905	.871
CM3	12.22	2.667	.875	.895
<i>Storage: Cronbach's alpha = .892</i>				
ST1	17.97	4.404	.818	.840
ST3	18.00	4.493	.874	.821
ST2	17.86	5.268	.581	.924
ST4	17.92	4.417	.795	.849
<i>Retention: Cronbach's alpha = .957</i>				
RE1	11.90	3.186	.907	.938
RE2	11.98	3.181	.918	.930
RE3	11.94	3.043	.902	.942
<i>Destruction: Cronbach's alpha = .867</i>				
DES1	17.01	4.316	.852	.776
DES2	17.00	4.326	.860	.773
DES3	17.12	5.195	.434	.949
DES4	16.95	4.565	.794	.801
<i>Audit and monitoring: Cronbach's alpha = .869</i>				
AM1	18.26	5.563	.788	.808

AM2	18.19	5.292	.802	.799
AM3	18.38	5.242	.788	.805
AM4	18.32	6.090	.531	.908
<i>Privacy breaches: Cronbach's alpha =.922</i>				
PB1	12.27	1.809	.806	.917
PB2	12.30	1.765	.855	.877
PB3	12.24	1.839	.867	.869
<i>Privacy Concern: Cronbach's alpha =.992</i>				
PC1	17.13	8.622	.974	.990
PC2	17.14	8.725	.983	.988
PC3	17.16	8.822	.981	.988
PC4	17.15	8.824	.976	.990
<i>Risk Beliefs: Cronbach's alpha =.920</i>				
RB1	17.36	8.046	.588	.969
RB2	17.60	6.715	.903	.866
RB3	17.61	6.686	.890	.870
RB4	17.60	6.716	.904	.865
<i>Trusting Beliefs: Cronbach's alpha =.921</i>				
TB1	23.40	9.637	.901	.882
TB2	23.35	9.597	.889	.884
TB3	23.41	9.545	.885	.885
TB4	23.38	11.168	.512	.959
TB5	23.40	9.943	.827	.897

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TABLE B.4: Communalities

Communalities		
	Initial	Extraction
CO1	1.000	.892
CO2	1.000	.896
CO3	1.000	.918
AW1	1.000	.907
AW2	1.000	.930
AW3	1.000	.882
AC1	1.000	.896
AC2	1.000	.869
AC3	1.000	.893
CM1	1.000	.855
CM2	1.000	.921
CM3	1.000	.902
ST1	1.000	.840
ST2	1.000	.892
ST3	1.000	.575
ST4	1.000	.817
RE1	1.000	.902
RE2	1.000	.914
RE3	1.000	.911
DES1	1.000	.880
DES2	1.000	.882
DES3	1.000	.478
DES4	1.000	.827
AM1	1.000	.820
AM2	1.000	.832
AM3	1.000	.844
AM4	1.000	.632
PB1	1.000	.837
PB2	1.000	.886
PB3	1.000	.880
PC1	1.000	.822
PC2	1.000	.820
PC3	1.000	.812
PC4	1.000	.804

RB1	1.000	.580
RB2	1.000	.895
RB3	1.000	.881
RB4	1.000	.898
TB1	1.000	.895
TB2	1.000	.886
TB3	1.000	.879
TB4	1.000	.477
TB5	1.000	.824
Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.		

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TABLE B.5: Total Variance Explained

Component	Initial Eigenvalues			Extraction Sums of Squared Loadings		
	Total	% of Variance	Cumulative %	Total	% of Variance	Cumulative %
1	16.692	40.713	40.713	16.692	40.713	40.713
2	2.881	7.028	47.741	2.881	7.028	47.741
3	2.500	6.099	53.840	2.500	6.099	53.840
4	2.216	5.405	59.245	2.216	5.405	59.245
5	1.968	4.801	64.046	1.968	4.801	64.046
6	1.940	4.731	68.777	1.940	4.731	68.777
7	1.702	4.152	72.928	1.702	4.152	72.928
8	1.621	3.953	76.881	1.621	3.953	76.881
9	1.309	3.193	80.074	1.309	3.193	80.074
10	1.234	3.010	83.084	1.234	3.010	83.084
11	1.127	2.748	85.831	1.127	2.748	85.831
12	1.029	2.511	84.353	1.020	2.511	86.353
13	.708	1.726	89.838			
14	.566	1.380	91.218			
15	.446	1.088	92.307			
16	.303	.740	93.047			
17	.292	.712	93.759			
18	.235	.574	94.333			
19	.209	.509	94.842			
20	.197	.482	95.323			
21	.181	.440	95.764			
22	.169	.411	96.175			
23	.160	.390	96.565			
24	.148	.360	96.925			
25	.141	.345	97.270			
26	.135	.328	97.598			
27	.115	.279	97.877			
28	.112	.273	98.150			
29	.101	.247	98.397			
30	.092	.224	98.621			
31	.085	.208	98.829			
32	.075	.183	99.011			

33	.074	.180	99.191		
34	.067	.164	99.354		
35	.061	.150	99.504		
36	.053	.128	99.632		
37	.050	.123	99.755		
38	.041	.100	99.856		
39	.030	.074	99.930		
40	.018	.044	99.974		
41	.011	.026	100.000		
Extraction Method: Principal Component Analysis.					

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TABLE B.6: Rotated Component Matrix

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
TB1	.807											
TB3	.798											
TB5	.788											
TB2	.767											
RB3		.828										
RB2		.824										
RB4		.806										
RB1		.671										
ST2			.891									
ST1			.884									
ST4			.854									
ST3			.732									
AM2				.870								
AM3				.832								
AM1				.767								
AM4				.668								
CO1					.876							
CO2					.855							
CO3					.848							
AW3						.860						
AW2						.855						
AW1						.841						
RE2							.842					
RE1							.840					
RE3							.827					
AC1								.899				
AC3								.876				
AC2								.859				
PB3									.883			
PB2									.880			
PB1									.859			
CM2										.915		
CM1										.899		
CM3										.873		
DES2											.857	

TABLE B.7: Factor loading and R²

Items	Factor loading	R2
CO1	0.923	0.852
CO2	0.917	0.841
CO3	0.96	0.922
AW1	0.936	0.876
AW2	0.971	0.944
AW3	0.917	0.84
AC1	0.929	0.863
AC2	0.875	0.766
AC3	0.909	0.826
ST1	0.89	0.793
ST2	0.958	0.917
ST3	0.608	0.37
ST4	0.841	0.708
CM1	0.837	0.701
CM2	0.958	0.918
CM3	0.936	0.876
RE1	0.936	0.875
RE2	0.949	0.901
RE3	0.933	0.871
DES1	0.962	0.925
DES2	0.932	0.869
DES4	0.894	0.799
AM1	0.896	0.803
AM2	0.867	0.752
AM3	0.866	0.749
AM4	0.554	0.307
PB1	0.842	0.71
PB2	0.916	0.84
PB3	0.925	0.856
PC1	0.98	0.96
PC2	0.988	0.977
PC3	0.984	0.969
PC4	0.983	0.967
RB1	0.6	0.36
RB2	0.954	0.91
RB3	0.942	0.887

RB4	0.969	0.938
TB1	0.937	0.879
TB2	0.922	0.85
TB3	0.943	0.888
TB5	0.895	0.802

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TABLE B.8: The Factor Loadings, (AVE), and (CR)

NO	Paragraph		Items	Factor loading	AVE (above 0.5)	CR (above 0.6)
1.	Control	CO	CO1	0.923	0.871	0.953
			CO2	0.917		
			CO3	0.96		
2.	Awareness	AW	AW1	0.936	0.887	0.959
			AW2	0.971		
			AW3	0.917		
3.	Access	AC	AC1	0.929	0.818	0.931
			AC2	0.875		
			AC3	0.909		
4.	Compliance	CM	CM1	0.837	0.831	0.937
			CM2	0.958		
			CM3	0.936		
5.	Storage	ST	ST1	0.896	0.807	0.926
			ST2	0.952		
			ST4	0.843		
6.	Retention	RE	RE1	0.935	0.882	0.957
			RE2	0.949		
			RE3	0.933		
7.	Destruction	DES	DES1	0.962	0.864	0.950
			DES2	0.932		
			DES4	0.894		
8.	Audit and monitoring	AM	AM1	0.903	0.767	0.908
			AM2	0.862		
			AM3	0.862		
9.	Privacy breaches	PB	PB1	0.842	0.801	0.923
			PB2	0.916		
			PB3	0.925		
10.	Privacy Concern	PC	PC1	0.98	0.968	0.992
			PC2	0.988		
			PC3	0.984		
			PC4	0.983		
11.	Risk Beliefs	RB	RB2	0.953	0.912	0.969
			RB3	0.941		
			RB4	0.97		
12.	Trusting Beliefs	TB	TB1	0.937	0.855	0.959
			TB2	0.922		
			TB3	0.943		
			TB5	0.895		

TABLE B.9: Factor Correlation Matrix with Square Roots of AVE

	TB	RB	PC	PB	AM	DES	RE	CM	ST	AC	AW	CO
TB	0.924											
RB	0.648	0.955										
PC	0.725	0.654	0.984									
PB	0.454	0.383	0.464	0.895								
AM	0.458	0.412	0.548	0.318	0.876							
DES	0.522	0.469	0.609	0.318	0.428	0.930						
RE	0.512	0.471	0.615	0.415	0.466	0.562	0.939					
CM	0.436	0.325	0.432	0.31	0.291	0.277	0.275	0.912				
ST	0.359	0.337	0.449	0.192	0.253	0.273	0.294	0.097	0.898			
AC	0.396	0.389	0.496	0.132	0.38	0.36	0.486	0.166	0.175	0.905		
AW	0.494	0.467	0.618	0.362	0.422	0.515	0.431	0.292	0.348	0.291	0.942	
CO	0.488	0.445	0.615	0.256	0.296	0.421	0.376	0.336	0.356	0.406	0.512	0.934

APPENDIX C:
EXPERT REVIEW QUESTIONNAIRE



“INFORMATION PRIVACY FRAMEWORK FOR CLOUD BASED E-LEARNING USERS”
VALIDATION SURVEY

Dear Valued Respondent,

I am a PHD student in the Faculty of Science & Technology, Islamic Science University of Malaysia (USIM), Nilai, Negeri Sembilan.

The main aims of the research are to develop users' information privacy framework for cloud based e-learning to improve the privacy implementation of cloud based e-learning system. The findings from this research are expected to improve the information privacy protection of cloud based e-learning system. The finding will also act as a guideline for cloud based e-learning system adopting in education institutions.

This research requires a panel of experts to validate the sufficiency of the proposed research framework to ensure the information privacy of cloud based e-learning users. I would be very grateful if you could spare a few minutes of your valuable time to fill in the survey since successful completion of this study is largely dependent your cooperation.

If you have any inquiries, please do not hesitate to contact me or my supervisor for further clarification.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH FOR YOUR PRECIOUS TIME AND COOPERATION

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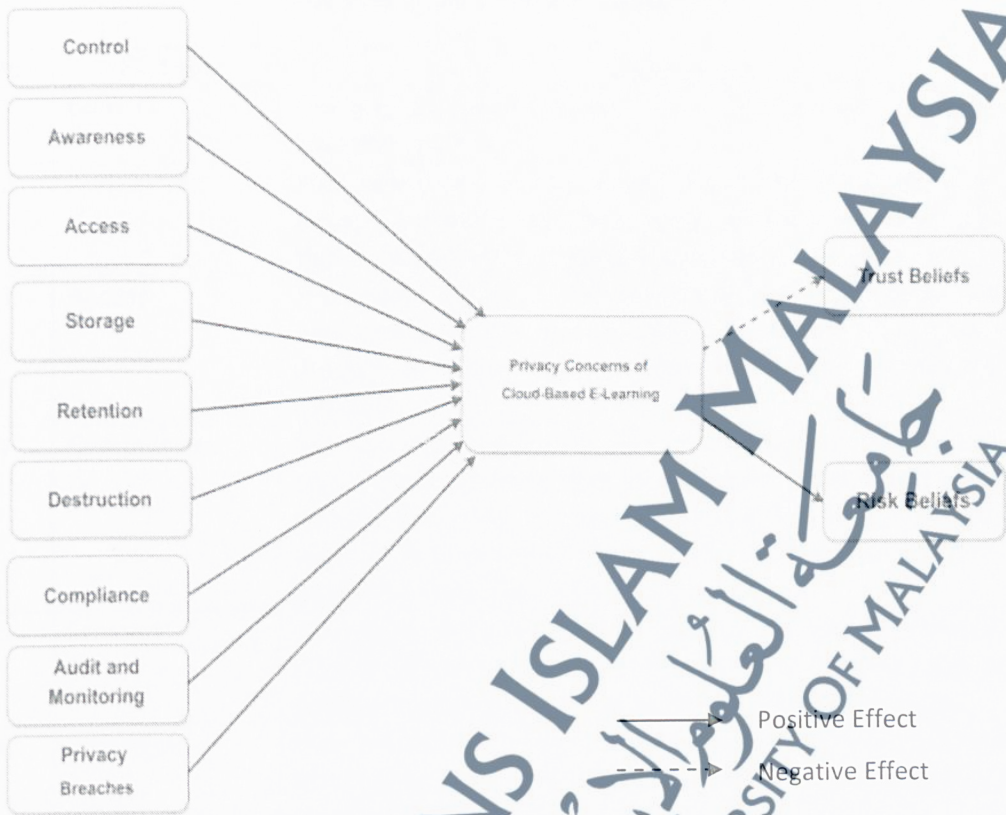
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INFORMATION PRIVACY FRAMEWORK FOR CLOUD BASED E-LEARNING USERS

The information privacy framework of cloud based e-learning users is constructed based on Internet Users Information Privacy Concerns framework (IUIPC) (Malhotra et al., 2004) and based on a broad literature review that has identified the information privacy issues of cloud computing. The literature identifies nine factors. These factors were clarified by exploratory factor analysis and measured again by confirmatory factor analysis to validate the framework. Structural equation modeling was used to test pathways between the factors. The analysis result shows the factors showed a high degree of the unidimensionality, convergent validity, discriminant validity, and reliability. The finding indicate that the factors Control, Awareness, Access, Storage, Retention, Destruction, Compliance, Audit and Monitoring, and Privacy Breaches have a positive effect on information privacy concerns of cloud based e-learning users. Besides, information privacy cloud based e-learning concern factor has a positive effect on risk beliefs and negative effect on trust belief. The results present a new contribution to the body of knowledge by validated and reliable cloud based e-learning users' information privacy framework to enhance the users' information privacy of cloud based e-learning users. The research framework as the following



Information Privacy Framework for Cloud Based E-Learning Users

The Framework Factors Explanation

No	Factors	Explanation
1	Control	The loss of control of the users' data in the cloud based e-learning system.
2	Awareness	The awareness of the users about the information privacy issues of cloud based e-learning system and their right how their information is collected, used and shared.
3	Access	The access rights of the users to access and comply with the user's request for add, modify and delete their data. Also, prevent the other from unauthorized access and misuse over the data.
4	Compliance	The list of applicable laws, regulations, standards and contractual commitments that govern cloud based e-learning system data. The privacy laws for different jurisdiction may vary so it is required what is the relevant jurisdiction that governs data in the cloud computing.
5	Storage	The physical location where the data is stored. Whether the data is stored locally or on foreign land. Storing data on the different location may lead to the unauthorized access.
6	Retention	How much time a user can have access to the cloud based e-learning system. How long the users' data will stored in cloud computing.
7	Destruction	The process of deleting of personal data at the end of the retention period and to ensure that the personal data is destroyed and is not available to another cloud user.
8	Audit and Monitoring	How users and institutions can monitor the cloud based e-learning system and get the assurance that privacy requirements are met.
9	Privacy Breaches	How the users know about breach has occurred and ensures that the cloud based e-learning system will notify the users when a breach occurs, and who is responsible for managing the process of notifying breaches.

THE GUIDE OF USING INFORMATION PRIVACY FRAMEWORK FOR CLOUD BASED E-LEARNING USERS

This document demonstrates the guide of using of cloud based e-learning users' information privacy framework to ensure users' information privacy of cloud based e-learning.

a) Control

- Ensure the users' right to exercise control and autonomy over decisions about how their information is collected, used, and shared.
- Maximize effectiveness of secure data transfers.
- Increase control over information disclosure.

b) Awareness

- Disclose the way the data are collected, processed, and used on the cloud based e-learning system.
- increase the clarity and conspicuous disclosure of privacy policy
- Increase the awareness of how the users' information is used on the cloud based e-learning system.
- Ensure the Cloud Service Providers' privacy policy and practices are effectively communicated and understood
- Increase awareness of data ownership.

c) Access

- Optimize access controls
- Minimize third party access to information
- Minimize unnecessary access to information
- Provide the users with access to all personal information on cloud based e-learning system.
- Comply with all user requests (Add, Modify, and Delete).

- Ensure that all of users' information has been deleted in the cloud based e-learning system.

d) Storage

- Maximize effectiveness of secure data transfers to another cloud centre in another country.
- Disclose where is the data of cloud based e-learning system stored in the cloud.
- Notify the users when their data is transferred
- Minimize the commingle users' data with data from other organizations that use the same cloud services provider.

e) Retention

- Determine retention period.
- Optimize the retention policy that governs users' information in the cloud based e-learning system
- Ensure the ownership of the data.

f) Destruction

- Ensure the destroying of users' data at the end of the retention period.
- Ensure that its data is destroyed at the right point and is not available to other cloud users.
- Ensure the cloud service providers didn't retain additional copies.
- Ensure the destruction completely erases the data.

g) Compliance

- Ensure there are clear privacy compliance requirements govern the information in cloud based e-learning system.
- Ensure there are clear applicable laws, regulations, standards, and contractual commitments that govern information in cloud based e-learning system.
- Optimize the existing privacy compliance requirements to be suitable for by cloud computing environment.

h) **Audit and monitoring**

- Ensure the different levels of requirements for different sets of users in cloud based e-learning system of my university.
- Optimize the regulatory requirements are applicable in cloud based e-learning system of my university.
- Provide assurance to the users that privacy requirements are met.
- Optimize the audits for compliance with privacy and security policies and procedures.

i) **Privacy breaches**

- Ensure how privacy breaches have occurred in cloud based e-learning
- Ensure how the cloud service provider notifies users when a breach occurs.
- Determine who is responsible for managing the breach notification.



VALIDATION SURVEY

Name: _____

Institution name: _____

Duration of working in this area: _____ year/s

1 To what extent do you agree the framework factors define clearly?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

2 To what extent do you agree that the elements of the framework are sufficient to ensure the information privacy of cloud based e-learning?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

3 To what extent do you agree that the guidelines of the framework represent current information privacy issues of cloud based e-learning?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

4 To what extent do you agree that it is appropriate to include these factors in one framework?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

5 To what extent do you agree that the framework helps education institutions to increase the information privacy protection of cloud based e-learning users?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

6 To what extent do you agree that it is easy to understand the framework guidelines?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

7 To what extent do you agree that the framework usable in practice?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

8 To what extent do you agree that the given guidelines of the framework are significant and likely to apply to most educational institutions?

Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

Comments and suggestions

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

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APPENDIX D:

EXPERTS' RESPONSES

EXPERT 1

Name: Zahiruddin Fitri

Institution name: University of Malaya

Duration of working in this area: 3 years

VALIDATION SURVEY

1 To what extent do you agree the framework factors define clearly?

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the information privacy protection of cloud based e-learning users?

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Comments and suggestions

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

EXPERT 2

Name: Rosseni Din

Institution name: UKM

Duration of working in this area: 10+ years

VALIDATION SURVEY

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3 To what extent do you agree that the guidelines of the framework represent current information privacy issues of cloud based e-learning?

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4 To what extent do you agree that it is appropriate to include *these factors in one* framework?

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5 To what extent do you agree that the framework helps education institutions to increase the information privacy protection of cloud based e-learning users?

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Strongly agree Agree Neither agree nor disagree Disagree Strongly disagree

Comments and suggestions

It may or may not apply to most educational institution depending on confirmatory result of the study.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

EXPERT 3

Name: PROF MADYA DR. SYED NAJMUDDIN SYED HASSAN

Institution name: UNIVERSITI TEKNIKAL MALAYSIA MELAKA

Duration of working in this area: 3 year/s

VALIDATION SURVEY

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Comments and suggestions

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

EXPERT 4

Name: D'oria Islamiah Rosli

Institution name: Faculty Of Technical and Vocational Education, Universiti Tun Hussein Onn Malaysia.

Duration of working in this area: 218 days per year/s

VALIDATION SURVEY

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Comments and suggestions

Should consider also copyright issues. Ownership of the materials or resources available via cloud. Flexible rules or procedures for education purposes should not be jeopardize.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH

EXPERT 5

Name: Assoc. Prof. Dr. Noraida Haji Ali

Institution name: Universiti Malaysia Terengganu

Duration of working in this area: 15 year/s

VALIDATION SURVEY

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Comments and suggestions

Good research.

Suggestion for the guidance document, perhaps can state explanation for each factor before you list all the items.

Example:

This document demonstrates the guide of using of cloud based e-learning users' information privacy framework to ensure users' information privacy of cloud based e-learning.

1. Control

The loss of control of the users' data in the cloud based e-learning system. Following the list are

- Ensure the users' right to exercise control and autonomy over decisions about how their information is collected, used, and shared.
- Maximize effectiveness of secure data transfers.
- Increase control over information disclosure.

THANK YOU VERY MUCH