**FORM 2**

**Statement acknowledging the ethical implications of research projects involving human interactions and social interventions.**

**I,**

The undersigned, principal investigator of the project **\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ,**

The undersigned, doctoral student submitting the thesis \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_ ,

**state that:**

The project DOES involve observation of humans.

The project DOES involve social interventions.

**Name and surname(s):**

**Department / Unit:**

**Postal address:**

**Telephone:**

**Email address:**

**Signature and date:**

***If applicable:***

**Name and surname(s) of the thesis supervisor:**

**Department / Unit:**

**Postal address:**

**Telephone:**

**Email address:**

**Signature and date:**

**Documents to be submitted:**

* + - 1. A brief scientific and ethical rationale for the research project, including a description of the anticipated impact on participating individuals and groups and of the benefits and risks that are broadly expected as a result of the research.
      2. A description of the methodology and techniques that will be used.

1. Information that the participating volunteer or group will receive during the research. You must submit the model of the project information document, the consent form that will be used, and the procedure for obtaining consent.

*A model informed consent form is provided on the CBUB web page:*

[*www.ub.edu/recerca/comissiobioetica.htm*](http://www.ub.edu/recerca/comissiobioetica.htm)

1. A description of how the personal data obtained during the project will be managed after the project’s completion (anonymization, encryption, conservation, destruction, return to research participants, etc.).
2. Statement of compliance, signed by the principal investigator of the project and/or by the doctoral thesis supervisor, indicating that the confidentiality of any personal data that may be obtained in the project shall be scrupulously respected in any academic use or public dissemination of the data. Any project results that may affect or be of interest to participating individuals or groups must be communicated to them.
3. Statement of compliance indicating that no use will be made of personal data obtained in the project for the purposes of other studies. In the latter case, researchers must first obtain written approval from the Ethics Committee.
4. Statement of compliance by the principal investigator of the project and/or the doctoral thesis supervisor indicating the intention to adhere to the Notifications of the Ethics Committee on student participation in research projects (*only in the applicable cases*) and on potential ethical issues in scientific publications. These notifications can be found on the Ethics Committee's web page: [www.ub.edu/recerca/comissiobioetica.htm](http://www.ub.edu/recerca/comissiobioetica.htm)

* Details of any monetary or other compensation anticipated in the project either for the principal investigator (or research team) or for the participating individuals or groups. If no payments are envisaged, please indicate here.
* Details of insurance coverage for volunteers, if applicable.

1. Any other relevant information.

**This statement must be attached to the research project application submitted to the Research Management office.**