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## Bias Bounty 2 – Counterterrorism Humane Intelligence x Revontulet

### Objective

Your task is to build an unsupervised model that can identify extremist content from the unlabelled sample image dataset provided. This competition launches on Thursday September 26<sup>th</sup> at 9 AM ET, and closes on Thursday November 7<sup>th</sup>, 2024 at 11:59 PM ET. We will be accepting submissions as of October 28th at 9 AM ET.

Note: to access the data for this challenge, all participants must be 18+ and fill out this waiver form.

#### Instructions

- 1. Model Development:
  - a. Using the **training data** provided, develop an **unsupervised model to classify images** as hate or non-hate.
  - b. Use the test data provided to validate your model
  - c. Your model should output binary predictions:
    - i. 1 for hate
    - ii. 0 for non-hate
  - d. Intermediate requirements
    - i. Build an unsupervised machine learning model that groups unlabeled images into **2 clusters** to identify whether an image contains extremist content or not
  - e. Advanced requirements
    - i. **Building on top of the intermediate challenge**, create adversarial examples using the **test dataset** to test the robustness of your unsupervised model.
    - ii. Explore different methods for generating adversarial examples with the provided image dataset that could potentially trick the model
    - iii. Use your trained model to make predictions on the perturbed images
- 2. Starter Code to generate unique image identifiers:

import os

def generate\_image\_ids(image\_folder):
image\_ids = []
for image\_file in os.listdir(image\_folder):
 # Get the file name without the extension
 image\_id = os.path.splitext(image\_file)[0]
 image\_ids.append(image\_id)

# Create a list of image IDs return image\_ids

if \_\_\_\_\_name\_\_\_ == '\_\_\_\_main\_\_\_':

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image\_folder = 'path/to/image/folder' # Update with your image folder path image\_ids = generate\_image\_ids(image\_folder) #print(image\_ids) # This will print the list of image IDs

### 3. Project Files:

- a. Predictions CSV:
  - i. Your model should output a CSV file with predictions on the  $\ensuremath{\textit{test}}\xspace$  dataset
  - ii. The first column in the CSV: "image\_id" is the name of the image file, and the second column: "prediction\_label" is your model's classification of that image
    - 1. code for creating image\_ids is below
- b. Model File:
  - i. Submit the trained model file. This file should be in a "**.pkl" format** *only*, using the **Python Scikit-learn** library
- c. Inference Script in a ".py" format only:
  - i. Provide a script that can:
    - 1. Load the model file
    - 2. Load the sample dataset
    - 3. Generate predictions on the sample dataset
    - 4. Save predictions in the required CSV format
  - ii. Ensure your script is **executable** and includes any **dependencies** and/or **instructions** needed to run it

#### d. Advanced-only

- i. Submit folder with perturbed images in ".jpg" format only
- ii. Submit an additional CSV file, with the predictions for the perturbed adversarial examples

#### 4. Submission:

- a. Upload your project to GitHub as a private repo, excluding the sample dataset
  - i. add @NicoleScientist as a collaborator to your private repo
  - ii. Due to the sensitivity of the data, participants are not permitted to upload the image data to GitHub
    - **1.** for advanced submissions only: upload your perturbed image dataset to your private repo
- b. We will begin accepting submissions on October 28th at 9 AM ET here.
  - i. We are only accepting 1 submission per participant, please ensure you have all the **required files, and are happy with your solution**

## **Grading Outline**

- 1. We will run your unsupervised model against our **holdout dataset (labelled), to compare** your model's predictions with the ground truth labels
- 2. Your submission **score will be based on accuracy** –calculated as the number of correct predictions divided by the total number of images

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- 3. Since your unsupervised model may flip the binary labels, we will evaluate predictions assuming both possible label mappings (i.e., 1 = hate then 1 =non-hate).
  - a. The higher score will be recorded