

## Terms & Agreements

**This is a draft! We will review these terms and agreements in the future before asking anyone to agree to them.**

Hello Collaborator,

Thank you for your interest in submitting data to extend and improve the SynapseNet models for the analysis of synapses in electron microscopy. Your data submission will be used in order to train future versions of the model. In addition, you can choose whether you want to make your data publicly available, make it publicly available in the future, or submit it only for the purpose of retraining without publishing it. With your data upload, you and your affiliates agree to:

- I give permission that my data will be used to retrain SynapseNet models.
- I give permission that information about my data (the type of microscopy data, the type of data annotation) will be published.
- In addition, I choose that my data will (or will not) be made publicly available according to the following options:
  - My data may be published at any point under a CC0 license.
  - My data may currently not be published, but I will agree to it being published in the future (under CC0).
  - My data may not be made publicly available, you may only use it for model retraining and may only report general statistics about the data (see second point).
- If I choose to publish this data according to the first option, I understand that anyone will be able to access it subject to a CC0 license, meaning they can download, share, and use the data without restriction.
- It is my responsibility to ensure that I have permissions to share this data. I ensure that I will only upload data where this applies, and that I will not upload any other data unrelated to my submission.
- It is my responsibility to ensure that this data is not identifiable. In particular, I commit that I will remove any direct personal identifiers that relate to any personal health information present in the data uploaded, and that the SynapseNet team may further contact me if it believes more work is needed to de-identify it.