**GPA Global Privacy and Data Protection Awards 2022**

**Entry Form**

To submit an entry to the GPA Global Privacy and Data Protection Awards please complete and email this form to [secretariat@globalprivacyassembly.org](mailto:secretariat@globalprivacyassembly.org) **no later** **than 17 June 2022.**

Note: GPA member authorities can submit as many entries as they wish, but a separate form should be used for each different entry, submitted by the deadline above.

Languages: The GPA documentation Rule 6.2[[1]](#footnote-2) applies.

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| 1. **CONTACT DETAILS FOR THIS ENTRY** | | |
| Privacy/Data Protection Authority: | Personal Data Protection Authority - KVKK | |
| Person completing this form: | Kumru DÖNE |  |
|  | *First name* | *Last name* |
| Job title: | Personal Data Protection Expert | |
| Email address: | [kumru.done@kvkk.gov.tr](mailto:kumru.done@kvkk.gov.tr) | |

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| 1. **ELIGIBILITY** | |
| By submitting this entry, I confirm that (*please tick all boxes to confirm)*: | |
|  | The Authority is a member of the Global Privacy Assembly |
|  | The initiative described in this entry was undertaken since January 2020. |
|  | I am aware that the information in the entry (other than the contact details in 1(a) above) will be publicised by the GPA Secretariat. |

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| 1. **CATEGORIES** | |
| Please indicate which category you wish to enter.  *Please tick* ***one;*** *please use a separate form for each category you wish to enter:* | |
|  | Education and Public Awareness |
|  | Accountability |
|  | Dispute Resolution and Enforcement |
|  | Innovation |
|  | People’s Choice |
| 1. **DESCRIPTION OF THE INITIATIVE** | |

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| 1. **Please provide a brief summary of the initiative** *(no more than 75 words)* |
| The personal data protection volunteer project is an effort to increase the awareness of personal data and privacy in the society through university students. |

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| 1. **Please provide a full description of the initiative** *(no more than 350 words)* |
| The personal data protection volunteer project has been implemented in March 2022. The goal of the project; raising awareness of data protection among university youth, disseminating this awareness first in themselves and in their universities, and then in their relatives and surroundings, and in this context, various seminars and activities are carried out in accordance with the authority identity. The project has been carried out with engineering and law faculty students in 2 cities so far. Thus, 86 students from 15 universities were trained as personal data protection volunteers. The project is currently ongoing.  The project has been completed in 5th of July 2022. The level of awareness on personal data protection has been increased among students and personal data protection clubs are established in the participant universities. |

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| 1. **Please explain why you think the initiative deserves to be recognised by an award***(no more than 200 words)* |
| Our country is a country that prides itself on having a young population and there are 8 million university students in our country. Considering the number of university students, it can be seen that training a university student as a personal data protection volunteer will create a great potential in the field of personal data in our country. In addition, considering that young people adapt very well to rapidly developing technology, it will be better understood why young people were chosen as the subject of the project. Since educating a university student also means educating the university student's environment and family, awareness on this issue has been rapidly spread. |

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| 1. **Please include a photograph or image, if you wish***(This will be published with your entry on the GPA website. The image can be pasted into the box below, be sent as an attachment or a link may be provided)* |
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| 1. **Please provide the most relevant link on the authority’s website to the initiative*,* if applicable** *(The website content does not need to be in English)* |
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| 1. **Please provide any other relevant links that help explain the initiative or its impact or success***(e.g. links to news reports or articles):* |
| <http://eme.eng.ankara.edu.tr/2022/02/21/universite-gencligi-arasinda-veri-koruma-gonullusu-projesi/> (project participation announcement from a university)  <https://muhyeni.karabuk.edu.tr/icerikGoster.aspx?K=D&id=5634&BA=elektrikelektronik> (project participation announcement from a university)  [KİŞİSEL VERİLERİ KORUMA KURUMU | KVKK | Üniversite Öğrencileri Arasında Kişisel Verileri Koruma Gönüllüsü Yetiştirme Projesi’nin İkinci Aşaması Gerçekleştirildi](https://kvkk.gov.tr/Icerik/7391/Universite-Ogrencileri-Arasinda-Kisisel-Verileri-Koruma-Gonullusu-Yetistirme-Projesi-nin-Ikinci-Asamasi-Gerceklestirildi) |

1. [GPA Rules and Procedures](https://globalprivacyassembly.org/wp-content/uploads/2020/10/GPA-Rules-and-Procedures-October-2020.pdf), Rule 6.2 ‘Assembly documents’:

   Without prejudice to section 4.2, Assembly documents, including accreditation and observer applications may be submitted in English or in another language. In the latter case, the documents shall be accompanied by an English version. Members with the ability and the resources to do so are encouraged to translate proposed resolutions and other Assembly documents such as the Assembly Rules and Procedures. [↑](#footnote-ref-2)