

# Continuous Inclusion of Other in the Self

## Online appendix: survey questions

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We ask the following questions in the survey. We include each question as written followed immediately by the answer type in italics and where appropriate the options from which subjects selected.

1. What is your sex? *Multiple choice*
  - Male
  - Female
2. What is your date of birth? *Calendar date entry*
  - Date
3. What is your marital status? *Multiple choice*
  - Now married
  - Widowed
  - Divorced
  - Separated
  - Never married
4. Have you had any children? *Multiple choice*
  - Yes (*Selecting this answer led to parts a and b below*)
  - No
  - a) How many children have you had? Please count all that were born alive at any time (including any you had from a previous relationship).

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*Numerical entry*

- Number

b) How old were you when your first child was born? *Numerical entry*

- Number

5. What language do you normally speak at home? *Multiple choice*

- English
- Spanish
- Chinese (including Mandarin and Cantonese)
- Tagalog (including Filipino)
- Vietnamese
- Arabic
- French
- Korean
- Russian
- German
- Other

– *Please enter the language:*

6. What is the ZIP code in which you reside? Please only enter the first 5 numbers. *Numerical entry restricted to existing zip codes*

- Number

7. Are you of Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin? *Multiple choice*

- Yes (*Selecting this answer led to part a below*)
- No

a) If yes, which one? *Multiple choice*

- Mexican, Mexican American, Chicano
- Puerto Rican
- Cuban
- Another Hispanic, Latino, or Spanish origin

– *Please enter your origin (for example, Argentinean, Colombian, Dominican, Nicaraguan, Salvadoran, Spaniard, and so on):*

8. What race do you consider yourself? *Multiple choice*

- White
- Black or African American
- American Indian or Alaska Native

- Asian Indian
- Chinese
- Filipino
- Other Asian (including Cambodian, Laotian etc.)
  - *Please enter your race (for example, Hmong, Laotian, Thai, Pakistani, Cambodian, and so on):*
- Japanese
- Korean
- Vietnamese
- Native Hawaiian
- Guamanian or Chamorro
- Samoan
- Other Pacific Islander:
  - *Please enter your race (for example, Fijian, Tongan, and so on):*
- Other (including Two or more races such as Biracial, Multiracial, etc.)
  - *Please enter your race:*

9. Do you belong to a religious denomination? *Multiple choice*

- Yes (*Selecting this answer led to part a below*)
- No

a) Which religious denomination do you belong to? *Multiple choice*

- Roman Catholic
- Protestant
- Mormon
- Orthodox (Russian/Greek/etc.)
- Jew
- Muslim
- Hindu
- Buddhist
- Other denomination

– *Please enter your religious denomination:*

10. Where did you grow up? *Multiple choice*

- In the the United States (*Selecting this answer led to part a below*)
- In another country (*Selecting this answer led to part b below*)

a) Please select the State or Territory in which you grew up: *Dropdown list*

*of states and territories*

- State or Territory

b) Please select the country in which you grew up: *Dropdown list of countries*

- Country

11. Are you a citizen of the United States? *Multiple choice*

- Yes (*Selecting this answer led to part a below*)
- No

a) Were you: *Multiple choice*

- Born in the United States
- Born in American Samoa, Guam, the Northern Mariana Islands, Puerto Rico, or the Virgin Islands
- Born abroad of United States citizen parent or parents
- United States citizen by naturalization

12. Which best describes the building where you live? *Multiple choice*

- A mobile home
- A one-family house detached from any other house
- A one-family house attached to one or more houses
- A building with less than 5 apartments
- A building with 5 or more apartments
- A dormitory or hall of residence
- Boat, RV, van etc.
- Other

– *Please enter the type of building you live in:*

13. Do you happen to have in your home any guns or revolvers? *Multiple choice*

- Yes
- No

14. Which of the categories comes closest to the type of place you were living in when you were 16 years old? *Multiple choice*

- In open country but not on a farm
- On a farm
- In a small city or town (under 50,000)
- In a medium-size city (50,000–250,000)
- In a suburb near a large city
- In a large city (over 250,000)

15. What is the highest degree or level of school you have COMPLETED?  
If currently enrolled, mark the previous grade or highest degree received.

*Multiple choice*

- No schooling completed
- Nursery or preschool through grade 12
  - Nursery school
  - Kindergarten
  - Grade 1 through 11
- \* *Specify the highest grade completed:*
- 12th grade – no diploma
- High school graduate
  - Regular high school diploma
  - GED or alternative credential
- College or some college (*Selecting this answer led to part a below*)
  - Some college credit, but less than 1 year of college credit
  - 1 or more years of college credit, no degree
  - Associate’s degree (for example: AA, AS)
  - Bachelor’s degree (for example: BA, BS)
- Postgraduate education (*Selecting this answer led to part b below*)
  - Master’s degree (for example: MA, MS, MEng, MEd, MSW, MBA)
  - Professional degree beyond a bachelor’s degree (for example: MD, DDS, DVM, LLB, JD)
  - Doctorate Degree (for example: PhD, EdD)

a) What has been your main area of study? (For example a major like chemical engineering, elementary education, nursing, or organizational psychology): *Free text response*

- Main area of study

b) What has been your main area of study? (For example a major like chemical engineering, elementary education, nursing, or organizational psychology): *Free text response*

- Main area of study

16. What were you doing for the majority of last week? *Multiple choice*

- Working full time (*Selecting this answer led to parts a, b, and c below*)
- Working part time (*Selecting this answer led to parts a, b, and c below*)

- Studying
  - Keeping house
- a) What do you do for work? Please write your profession: *Free text response*
- Profession
- b) What category best describes your employer? *Multiple choice*
- Government or public institution
  - Private business or industry
  - Private non-profit organization
  - I am self employed
- c) Are the tasks you do at work mostly manual or mostly intellectual? Please select the number where 1 means “mostly manual tasks” and 10 means “mostly intellectual tasks”: *Multiple choice*
- Ranging from 1 to 10
17. At any time during the last ten years, have you been unemployed and looking for work for as long as a month? *Multiple choice*
- Yes
  - No
18. Do you belong to a labor union? *Multiple choice*
- Yes
  - No
19. To the best of your knowledge, in which of these groups did your total household income from all sources (before taxes) fall last year? (If you are a student who is supported financially by your family, please include their income in your calculation of household income.): *Multiple choice*
- Under \$1,000
  - \$1,000 to \$2,999
  - \$3,000 to \$3,999
  - \$4,000 to \$4,999
  - \$5,000 to \$5,999
  - \$6,000 to \$6,999
  - \$7,000 to \$7,999
  - \$8,000 to \$9,999
  - \$10,000 to \$12,499
  - \$12,500 to \$14,999

- \$15,000 to \$17,499
  - \$17,500 to \$19,999
  - \$20,000 to \$22,499
  - \$22,500 to \$24,999
  - \$25,000 to \$29,999
  - \$30,000 to \$34,999
  - \$35,000 to \$39,999
  - \$40,000 to \$49,999
  - \$50,000 to \$59,999
  - \$60,000 to \$74,999
  - \$75,000 to \$89,999
  - \$90,000 to \$109,999
  - \$110,000 to \$129,999
  - \$130,000 to \$149,999
  - \$150,000 or over
20. Imagine an income scale from 1 to 10 where 1 indicates the lowest income group in America and 10 indicates the highest income group. Counting all wages, salaries, pensions and other incomes that come in, please specify what income group your household is in: *Multiple choice*
- Ranging from 1 to 10
21. Thinking about the time when you were 16 years old, compared with families in general then, where would you say your family income was? *Multiple choice*
- Far below average
  - Below average
  - Average
  - Above average
  - Far above average
22. Compared to your parents when they were the age you are now, do you think your own standard of living now is: *Multiple choice*
- Much better
  - Somewhat better
  - About the same
  - Somewhat worse
  - Much worse

23. If you were asked to use one of four names for your social class, which would you say you belong in? *Multiple choice*
- the Lower Class
  - the Working Class
  - the Middle Class
  - the Upper Class
24. How satisfied are you with the present financial situation of you and your family? *Multiple choice*
- Pretty well satisfied with my present financial situation
  - More or less satisfied with my present financial situation
  - Not satisfied at all with my present financial situation
25. How important is it for you to live in a country that is governed democratically? Please indicate the importance on a scale where 1 means it is “not at all important” and 10 means “absolutely important”. *Multiple choice*
- Ranging from 1 to 10
26. How proud are you to live in the United States? *Multiple choice*
- Very proud
  - Quite proud
  - Not very proud
  - Not at all proud
27. Generally speaking, do you usually think of yourself as a Democrat, a Republican, an Independent, or what? *Multiple choice*
- Democrat
  - Republican
  - Independent
  - Other party
    - *What other political party do you identify with:*
  - No preference
28. We hear a lot of talk these days about liberals and conservatives. Here is a seven-point scale on which the political views that people might hold are arranged from extremely liberal to extremely conservative. Where would you place YOURSELF on this scale? *Multiple choice*
- Extremely liberal
  - Liberal



- Slightly liberal
- Moderate; middle of the road
- Slightly conservative
- Conservative
- Extremely conservative

29. The table below lists some institutions in this country. As far as the people running these institutions are concerned, would you say you currently have a great deal of confidence, only some confidence, or hardly any confidence at all in them?

a) Executive Branch of the Federal Government *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
- Only some confidence
- A great deal of confidence

b) Congress *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
- Only some confidence
- A great deal of confidence

c) The Supreme Court *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
- Only some confidence
- A great deal of confidence

d) The Military *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
- Only some confidence
- A great deal of confidence

e) The Police *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
- Only some confidence
- A great deal of confidence

f) Banks and Financial Institutions *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
- Only some confidence
- A great deal of confidence

g) Organized Labor (or Unions) *Multiple choice*

- Hardly any confidence at all
  - Only some confidence
  - A great deal of confidence
- h) Public Education *Multiple choice*
- Hardly any confidence at all
  - Only some confidence
  - A great deal of confidence
- i) The Press *Multiple choice*
- Hardly any confidence at all
  - Only some confidence
  - A great deal of confidence
30. We are faced with many problems in this country. For those listed in the table below, do you think that we are spending too much, too little, or about the right amount on them?
- a) Improving the conditions of African Americans *Multiple choice*
- Spending too much
  - Spending the right amount
  - Spending too little
- b) Improving the conditions of those living in Foreign Countries *Multiple choice*
- Spending too much
  - Spending the right amount
  - Spending too little
- c) Improving and protecting the Environment *Multiple choice*
- Spending too much
  - Spending the right amount
  - Spending too little
31. On a seven-point scale, where 1 means very important and 7 means not important at all, how important do you think it is for the government in Washington to reduce the differences in income between the rich and the poor? *Multiple choice*
- Ranging from 1 to 7
32. Do you consider the amount of federal income tax we pay as too high, about right, or too low? *Multiple choice*

- The federal income tax I pay is too high
  - The federal income tax I pay is about right
  - The federal income tax I pay is too low
33. Do you favor or oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder?  
*Multiple choice*
- I favor the death penalty for persons convicted of murder
  - I oppose the death penalty for persons convicted of murder
34. Are you for preferential hiring and promotion of African Americans or are you against it? Common considerations when evaluating this policy include the past discrimination of African Americans as well as the discriminatory impact of this policy on others. *Multiple choice*
- Strongly opposed to giving preference to African Americans in hiring and promotion
  - Somewhat opposed to giving preference to African Americans in hiring and promotion
  - Somewhat in favor of giving preference to African Americans in hiring and promotion
  - Strongly in favor of giving preference to African Americans in hiring and promotion
35. In your opinion, if two consensual adults have sexual relations before marriage, do you think it is: *Multiple choice*
- Always wrong
  - Almost always wrong
  - Wrong only sometimes
  - Not wrong at all
36. Similarly, if two consensual adults of the same sex have sexual relations, do you think it is: *Multiple choice*
- Always wrong
  - Almost always wrong
  - Wrong only sometimes
  - Not wrong at all
37. Do you think it should be possible for a pregnant woman to obtain a legal abortion if the woman wants one for any reason? *Multiple choice*
- Yes, it should be possible

- No, it should not be possible
38. Would you say that most of the time people try to be helpful, or that they are mostly just looking out for themselves? *Multiple choice*
- Most of the time people try to be helpful
  - People are mostly just looking out for themselves
39. Do you think most people would try to take advantage of you if they got a chance, or would they try to be fair? *Multiple choice*
- Most people would try to take advantage of you if they got a chance
  - Most people would try to be fair
40. Generally speaking, would you say that most people can be trusted or that you can not be too careful in dealing with people? *Multiple choice*
- Most people can be trusted
  - You cannot be too careful in dealing with people