Web Survey Text

Instructions

<!-- welcome screen (leave blank to skip screen) -->
<item id="welcomeHead">Welcome!</item>
<item id="welcomeText">Please click on the continue-button.</item>

<!-- user login, only displayed if access is restricted (see config-file) -->
<item id="loginHead">User code</item>
<item id="loginText">Please enter your user code. Please note, that in this demo any user code will be accepted.{br}{br}{i}Tip: This is an optional step and you can deactivate it in your own survey.{i}</item>
<item id="loginFormHeader">User code</item>
<item id="loginNoInput">Please insert your user code.</item>
<item id="loginInvalidInput">User code invalid</item>
<item id="loginNoConnection">Connection to server failed. Please try again.</item>

<!-- introduction (leave blank to skip popup) -->
<item id="introHead">Introduction</item>
<item id="introText">We want to understand what 'democracy' means to people who work in partnerships and networks.{br}{br}All the information you give will be anonymous, and your answers will be combined with those of other people undertaking this survey.{br}{br}Please maximize your browser window and click on the continue-button to start the survey.</item>

<!-- step1: rough sorting into three piles (leave blank to skip popup)-->
<item id="step1Head">Step 1 of 4</item>
<item id="step1Text">We will present you with 36 randomly numbered statements. Please read each carefully and then drag it into the 'disagree' box, the 'neutral' box, or the 'agree' box.{br}{br}You can put as many statements in each pile as you want. You can also move statements between piles.{br}{br}Then click CONTINUE.{br}{br}Please DO NOT use your web browser return button, as you will lose your work and be taken back to the start.{br}{br}To read the instructions again, just click on the HELP button at any time.</item>

<!-- step2: sorting (leave blank to skip popup) -->
<item id="step2Head">Step 2 of 4</item>
<item id="step2Text">Ok. Next you need to review your AGREE pile and drag the statements you most agree with into the green section of the pyramid grid. If you like, you can use the scroll bar to refresh your memory to help you sort them into order of preference.{br}{br}Once you have arranged all the Agree statements, read through your DISAGREE statements and do the same in red coloured section of the pyramid grid.{br}{br}Finally, read through your NEUTRAL cards and arrange them in the remaining open boxes of the score sheet.{br}{br}It is never too late to change your mind. Shuffle the cards around until you are happy with your selection.</item>

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<!-- step4: comments on best/worst rated statements, only displayed if showStep4==
true (see config-file; leave blank to skip popup) -->
  <item id="step4Head">Step 3 of 4</item>
  <item id="step4Text">Please tell us why you selected the following as the
statements you most strongly agreed/disagreed with.</item>

  <!-- step5: dditional questions, only displayed if showStep5== true (see config-file;
leave blank to skip popup)-->
  <item id="step5Head">Step 4 of 4</item>
  <item id="step5Text">Almost done.{br}{br}Finally please could you answer the
following questions regarding your background}</item>

  <!-- data transfer, only displayed if submitUrl is not blank (see config-file) -->
  <item id="transferHead">Submit Data</item>
  <item id="transferText">You've finished the survey. Please submit your data
now.</item>
  <item id="transferFailed">Data submission failed. Please try again or mail your
results via email/post.</item>
  <item id="transferOk">Thank you for unsing FlashQ. We would appreciate if you
could send us feedback about this application (bugs, ideas, suggestion,
etc.).{br}{br}Christian Hackert{br}{a href="http://www.hackert.biz/flashq"
target="_blank"}{u}www.hackert.biz/flashq{/u}{/a}.{br}{br}You can now close
your browser window.</item>

  <!-- send data via mail, only displayed if submitUrl is blank (see config-file) -->
  <item id="mailHead">Submit Data</item>
  <item id="mailText">You can either submit your data either via email or post. In the
former case you'll need an email client like Outlook, in the latter a printer.</item>

  <!-- e-mail-body -->
  <item id="mailBody">Thank you for participating in our survey. Please do not
modify the following text:</item>

  <!-- print out -->
  <item id="printoutText">Professor Chris Skelcher{br}{br}School of Public
Policy{br}{br}Birmingham{br}{br}B15 2TT{br}{br}England{br}{br}Please send
this printout to address mentioned above. Thanks for you help.</item>

</language>
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Statements for sorting

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<statements version="1.0" htmlParse="false">
  <statement id="1">Decision making takes place in closed networks that are not
accountable to elected politicians.</statement>
  <statement id="2">Networks help people to become involved in influencing how
services are delivered.</statement>
  <statement id="3">People should be able to find out about networks and make a
contribution to decisions.</statement>
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<statement id="4">Networks allow managers to get things done.</statement>
  <statement id="5">Politicians turn to networks when traditional forms of government are ineffective .</statement>
  <statement id="6">The value of networks is that we cut through the usual red tape.</statement>
  <statement id="7">Networks should include people who deliver public programmes as well as those who benefit from them .</statement>
  <statement id="8">In networks, accountability involves reporting to people who are not my managers.</statement>
  <statement id="9">Networks are creating direct democratic involvement by people outside political parties and government.</statement>
  <statement id="10">Representative democracy should be the main way of making public policy decisions.</statement>
  <statement id="11">Networks pose a fundamental threat to local government.</statement>
  <statement id="12">Networks can help new forms of democracy to develop.</statement>
  <statement id="13">The public are concerned with what networks achieve, not how they make decisions.</statement>
<statement id="14">Networks deal with managerial, not political issues .</statement>
  <statement id="15">Most of the decisions made by networks will involve only a few people and take place behind close doors.</statement>
  <statement id="16">Networks give community leaders more power and make it difficult for ordinary people to get involved.</statement>
  <statement id="17">Democracy in networks has to be created on a day to day basis.</statement>
  <statement id="18">Conflict is inevitable in networks .</statement>
  <statement id="19">Networks should have a flexible approach to problem solving.</statement>
  <statement id="20">Networks need to contain strong members who can challenge things which with they don't agree .</statement>
  <statement id="21">Networks have a very clear view of what they are expected to achieve .</statement>
  <statement id="22">Networks can be democratic without involving elected politicians .</statement>
  <statement id="23">If networks can't improve the level of debate between their members, they will lose legitimacy with citizens.</statement>
  <statement id="24">Everyone in a network should be able to have their say in whatever way they think is best.</statement>
  <statement id="25">The value of networks is that citizens and managers get to talk face to face .</statement>
<statement id="26">Special steps need to be taken to include disadvantaged groups in networks .</statement>
  <statement id="27">The politicians' role is to bring the ideas of people into networks.</statement>
  <statement id="28">Networks should be free to implement overall political goals in the way they think is best.</statement>

<statement id="29">Politicians are committed to the wider public interest.</statement>
<statement id="30">Building trust is the key to a successful network .</statement>
<statement id="31">Networks have legitimacy when they are controlled by elected politicians.</statement>
<statement id="32">Instead of treating networks as undemocratic, we should try to improve their functioning .</statement>
<statement id="33">Government controls networks to make sure that what they do fits with their policy.</statement>
<statement id="34">In networks people can influence elected politicians and make a difference to their community.</statement>
<statement id="35">It is inevitable that networks will exclude some people .</statement>
<statement id="36">Networks help to open up policy making to groups who would otherwise not have a voice.</statement>

Addional Information

<label>Age*</label>
<note>Please enter your year of birth (YYYY, eg. 1980).</note>
<input type="text" required="true" maxlength="4" restricted="0-9" />
<label>Gender*</label>
<note>Please select your gender.</note>
<input type="radio" required="true">female;male</input>
<label>City*</label>
<note>Where are you based?</note>
<input type="radio" required="true">UK;Denmark;Netherlands</input>
<label>Policy Area.</label>
<note>How would you define your area of policy or speciality.</note>
<input type="textarea" required="false" maxlength="40" />
<label>Influences.</label>
<note>By sorting the cards you have expressed preferences about democracy in networks. Reflecting on this, please tell us what factors you think influenced your preferences? (perhaps previous experience, education, professional identity, morals/religion, politics, heritage, social status, age, something else???).</note>
<input type="textarea" required="false" />
<label>Working in Networks.</label>
<note>On average, how many hours a week would you say you spend working in particular networks or on network related activity? (e.g. 4 hours).</note>
<input type="text" required="false" maxlength="3" restricted="0-9" />
<label>Any further comments</label>
<input type="textarea" required="false" />
<note bg="false">All fields marked with an * are mandatory.</note>
  </item>
- <!--
 URL for data transmission via POST/GET (leave blank if not required)
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<item id="submitUrl">exe.php?do=save</item>
- <!--
 request mode (post|get)
  -->

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<item id="submitUrlMethod">post</item>
- <!--
 data transmission via email, user must have an e-mail programm like
  Outlook (leave blank if not required)
  -->
<item id="submitMail">stephen.jeffares@uwe.ac.uk</item>
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