Submission Instructions for the Task 2. Consumer Health Search

General Submission Instructions

Specify your **team name** as your **submission title**. If the same team submits to more than one task, please use **the same team name in all your submissions.**

Please prepare a **separate submission for each task** you wish to participate and specify this task as your **submission topic**.

When preparing your **submission ZIP file**, please follow the task specific instructions given on the CLEF eHealth 2020 website carefully. In particular, please, follow the format specified in the task-specific webpages.

For each submission, prepare a ZIP file with
• **a team description** (plain text file with a brief team description),
• **a solution/run description** (plain text file with a brief description of each system included in the submission),
• **system output files** (e.g., predictions or IR system runs)**.** In Task 1, for example, this means files with your predictions for the test set (up to 5 are allowed).

Please do NOT update your submission after your task-specific submission deadline unless the organisers have emailed you a request to do this (e.g., a minor problem in a submission format).

Spoken Queries Using Audio Files

Please follow the submission format for the AdHocIR task below but include your outputs from automated speech recognition in your submission ZIP file. Please remember to describe both your method for automated speech recognition and possible text processing prior to the IR step as well (briefly in the a solution/run description file).

Please remember to choose this submission topic on EasyChair at https://easychair.org/conferences/?conf=clefehealth2020runs. The submissions are due by 3 May 2020 at 23:55 (GMT).

Spoken Queries Using Transcriptions

Please follow the submission format for the AdHocIR task below but enter in your submission descriptions details about your usage of the transcriptions (e.g., which version of the provided transcriptions and their possible text processing prior to the IR step).

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Ad Hoc IR

Submission format: The format for the submission of runs should follow the standard TREC run format. Fields in the run result file should be separated using a space as the delimiter between columns. The width of the columns in the format is not important, but it is

important to include all columns and have some amount of white space between the columns. Each run should contain the following fields:

`qid Q0 docno rank score tag`

where:

- `qid` is the query number (or query id)
- `Q0` is the literal Q0
- `docno` is the id of a document returned by your system for qid
- `rank` (1-999) is the rank of this response for this qid
- score is a system-generated indication of the quality of the response: please ensure documents are listed in decreasing score value. Ties in score will be treated as per trec_eval convention.
- `tag` is the identifier for the system, also called the run id.

Example run:
```
151001 Q0 3a6ac7fc-b2ea-4631-9438-f58ba0dfef41 1 1.73315273652 mySystem
151001 Q0 bc3b9dda-18d2-4ad5-9a37-26cbc10a3f7f 2 1.72581054377 mySystem
151001 Q0 fc3aa605-1103-494e-be6d-bd5331e7612a 3 1.72522727817 mySystem
151001 Q0 fefda1a5-39b6-486b-b88f-0e534da574d3 4 1.72522727817 mySystem
151001 Q0 341f81da-2f47-42c8-a37c-2df312fe165c 5 1.71374426875 mySystem
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Numbers of submissions per team: Up to 4 submissions for each team are allowed. Note we may not be able to pool all the submissions for a team for relevance assessments.

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