



TERMS OF SERVICE - METAHUB

I – THE PARTIES

CONTRACTING PARTY: the beneficiary student, contracting party, who registers for the yearly subscription of the MetaHub and submits due payment, henceforth simply called **STUDENT**.

CONTRACTED PARTY: META-ANALYSIS ACADEMY, a private legal entity duly incorporated and existing under the laws of the Oriental Republic of Uruguay, registered with the Unified Tax Registry (RUT) under No. 220577180018, with registered office at Rua Noruega, 8171, Mônaco District, Maldonado, Uruguay.

The above-identified parties have, between themselves, consent to this Agreement for the purchase and sale of MetaHub, digital training program in research and publications for students who completed registration in The Meta-Analysis Academy, which will be governed by the following clauses and by Uruguayan civil law:

II – CLAUSES AND CONDITIONS

CLAUSE NUMBER ONE - OBJECT

1.1. The object of this Agreement is to formalize the subscription of the STUDENT to the program "MetaHub".

1.2. The program consists of an annual follow-up for students who have completed the Meta-Analysis Academy.

1.3. Subscription to MetaHub includes:

- a) Access to recorded lectures from the Meta-Analysis Academy.
- b) Programming of live activities every month, such as tutoring sessions, classes on advanced topics in meta-analysis, live abstract and poster corrections/reviews.
- c) Opportunity to apply for the Expert program, as long as such program is in effect.
- d) Correction of manuscripts written by the student, by the CONTRACTED PARTY MetaWriter team, as long as such program is in effect.
- e) Access to the CONTRACTED PARTY exclusive community via WhatsApp, to clarify doubts, participate in discussions, form groups, and receive monthly schedules, among other benefits.
- f) ICU for Abstracts/Posters: Monthly live meeting for corrections of abstracts to submit to scientific meetings.
- g) Additional exclusive meetings for the MetaHub community.



1.4. The CONTRACTED PARTY reserves the right to modify dates and schedules, if necessary, for better management of activities or in case of overlapping activities.

1.5. The CONTRACTED PARTY does not provide recordings of tutoring sessions and/or any additional content provided by teachers or monitors throughout the course, according the Uruguayan law.

1.6. It is the sole responsibility of the student to follow the schedule of activities in MetaHub. The CONTRACTED PARTY, in this sense, is not responsible for any unforeseen events that may result in non-compliance with the advised schedule.

CLAUSE NUMBER TWO - AMOUNT, PAYMENT, AND PENALTIES

2.1. Enrollment in MetaHub is exclusive for students who have already completed the Meta-Analysis Academy. In the event that the STUDENT enrolls in MetaHub while being in default with The Meta-Analysis Academy, or without having participated in The Meta-Analysis Academy, the CONTRACTED PARTY will convert the full amount paid for MetaHub registration towards enrollment in The Meta-Analysis Academy. In such cases, the CONTRACTED PARTY reserves the right to charge the full amount for registration in The Meta-Analysis Academy. The STUDENT will not be entitled to any refund should they choose to cancel their MetaHub enrollment instead of completing the outstanding payment for The Meta-Analysis Academy.

2.2. The full cost of tuition for the yearly subscription is \$720 (seven hundred and twenty U.S. dollars).

2.2.1 If the STUDENT elects to pay the tuition in installments, the STUDENT remains fully responsible for payment of the total tuition amount. Installment payments constitute a payment convenience only and do not create a right to cancel, suspend, or terminate the financial obligation once enrollment is completed.

2.2.2 At its sole discretion, the CONTRACTOR may offer certain students a discounted tuition rate, subject to specific eligibility criteria. Any discount that is validly applied at the time of the STUDENT's registration, and for which the STUDENT is eligible, is final and guaranteed for that STUDENT and will not be revoked, increased, or modified after registration is completed. Discounts are limited in time, availability, and eligibility.

2.2.3 Discounts applied in error, through misuse, or without meeting the stated eligibility requirements (including, but not limited to, discounts reserved for former students) are not valid and do not constitute a guaranteed tuition rate. In such cases, the CONTRACTOR reserves the right to correct the tuition amount prior to or after registration.

2.3. The CONTRACTED PARTY may, on its own initiative, provide discounts to the full tuition of MetaHub.

2.4. Any tuition discount or other benefit in registration granted by the CONTRACTED PARTY does not, in any way, change any other term in this agreement.



2.5. The payment of the registration tuition will occur through Hotmart or Stripe, in the forms and conditions offered on these platforms. Payment of the registration tuition shall be made exclusively through third-party payment processors, in the forms, terms, and conditions made available by such platforms.

2.6. The CONTRACTED PARTY is not responsible for any fraud, loss, or any other payment-related problem that it did not cause, in reference to the payment of tuition to be done through Hotmart or Stripe. The CONTRACTOR is not responsible for any fraud, unauthorized transactions, technical failures, delays, chargebacks, or other payment-related issues arising from or related to the use of third-party payment processors.

2.7. The CONTRACTED PARTY may immediately terminate this Agreement, regardless of prior notice, in the event of non-compliance, by the STUDENT, with any provision set forth in this Agreement. In these cases, the CONTRACTED PARTY shall be entitled to charge the full amount of the tuition and no amount will be refunded to the STUDENT.

2.8. Similarly, the CONTRACTED PARTY may immediately terminate this agreement, regardless of notice or notification, in case of plagiarism or any other conduct by the STUDENT considered unethical in the academic environment and/or professional scientific research. In these cases, the CONTRACTED PARTY shall have the right to collect the full amount of the tuition and no amount will be refunded to the student.

2.9. Similarly, the CONTRACTED PARTY may immediately terminate this agreement, regardless of notice or notification, in case of indiscipline in the virtual classroom or breach of moral/respectful standards in the communication with other students and/or course leadership. In these cases, the CONTRACTED PARTY shall have the right to collect the full amount of the tuition and no amount will be refunded to the STUDENT.

2.10. The CONTRACTED PARTY may immediately terminate the student's access to the MetaHub when the STUDENT does not pay the tuition installments as agreed at the time of registration. The STUDENT will remain liable for these payments.

2.11. The non-attendance of the STUDENT to the course activities, the non-use of the available resources, and non-access to the MetaHub Portal available for the STUDENT do not exempt the STUDENT from payments and the fulfillment of his contractual obligations. In these cases, the STUDENT will not be entitled to any type of reimbursement by the CONTRACTED PARTY.

CLAUSE NUMBER THREE - MEDIA PLATFORMS

3.1. The MetaHub program will be available for the student on the Student Portal through the platform Cademi. The duration of access will be for 12 months from the onset of the purchase. Access to the student portal will take place through access to the following web address: <https://team.metaanalysis.academy/>.



3.2. Live course activities will take place through Zoom. Recordings of monthly classes will be available on the Student Portal within 72 (seventy-two) hours after the live session.

3.3. It is the sole responsibility of the STUDENT to test access to these platforms once access is granted to the course activities. The CONTRACTED PARTY is not responsible for technical problems in the electronic device used by the STUDENT that may result in inability to access course material, such as poor internet connection or incorrect login/password information.

3.4. The STUDENT must have or create an account on Zoom with the same email address used in registration for the MetaHub, under penalty of removal of the user with an incorrect email from the virtual classroom during live sessions.

3.5. It is the responsibility of the STUDENT to join the Bulletin Board available on the Student Portal. This is a WhatsApp group, where messages are sent exclusively by course administrators. Important announcements will be communicated through this platform.

3.6. The STUDENT is responsible for regularly reviewing all announcements, notices, and communications posted on the Bulletin Board. Failure to do so may result in the STUDENT missing important deadlines or other relevant information, which may adversely affect the STUDENT's participation or performance in the MetaHub.

CLAUSE NUMBER FOUR - CANCELLATIONS

4.1. This contract will be valid for 12 (twelve) months, counted from the date of initial payment by the STUDENT on the platform indicated by the CONTRACTED PARTY.

4.1.1. The period mentioned above constitutes a contractual option granted by the CONTRACTOR, in accordance with the principles of good faith and consumer protection set forth in Uruguayan Law No. 17.250/2000 (Ley de Relaciones de Consumo), and does not represent a mandatory legal right after the formalization of the agreement.

4.2. The STUDENT will have a period of 7 (seven) calendar days, counted from the date of initial payment, to request full reimbursement of the tuition.

4.3. After the deadline set forth in item 4.1, the CONTRACTED PARTY will no longer be obliged to return any amount already paid or transfer the STUDENT to future classes or make classes available beyond the period set forth in the schedule.

4.4. In cases where the STUDENT chooses installment payments, the cancellation period is counted from the initial installment only. Therefore, the STUDENT cannot cancel future installment payments once the 7-day period after the initial installment has expired.

4.5. The cancellation and refund request must be made through Hotmart in the following web address: <https://refund.hotmart.com/>.

CLAUSE NUMBER FIVE - STUDENT OBLIGATIONS



5.1. The STUDENT agrees to:

- a) Keep registration data up to date, especially e-mail and cell phone number.
- b) Submit only truthful information to the CONTRACTED PARTY.
- c) Not reproduce, in any form, audios, videos, classes, handouts, and course materials, under penalty of civil and criminal liability, before the CONTRACTED PARTY or third parties, under the terms of the law.
- d) Ensure the confidentiality of password and login, not allowing username and password x to be shared with third parties.
- e) Not to violate the privacy of other users or use names, e-mails, and numbers of other course participants for any purpose.
- f) Not to send messages that are obscene or, in any way, contrary to ethical standards and respectful behavior.
- g) Possess equipment and software that allow participation in the course and that comply with the minimum requirements pre-established by the CONTRACTED PARTY, specifically: a computer with high-speed internet access and access to web browsers and the digital platforms of the training program.

CLAUSE NUMBER SIX - CONTRACTED PARTY OBLIGATIONS

6.1. The CONTRACTED PARTY agrees to:

- a) Manage the course administratively and coordinate the academic content, ensuring quality and the best methods for didactics, with theory and practice; and
- b) Adopt changes to the course, schedule, and media platforms whenever needed to improve the mission of MetaHub.

CLAUSE NUMBER SEVEN – NON-COMPETE

7.1. The STUDENT also agrees not to compete, directly or indirectly, with the CONTRACTED PARTY. The STUDENT, from this date onward, will be prohibited from engaging, directly or indirectly, for whatsoever reason, in any activities related to or competitive with those developed by the CONTRACTED PARTY, for the duration of this Agreement and an additional period of 24 (twenty-four) months after its termination, under penalty of a fine of \$50,000 (fifty thousand) U.S. dollars, without prejudice to damages and losses.

7.2. The CONTRACTED PARTY also agrees not to persuade or attempt to persuade any client or potential client of the CONTRACTED PARTY to stop doing business with the CONTRACTED PARTY, or to reduce business transactions conducted with the CONTRACTED PARTY, and not to persuade or attempt to persuade any collaborator, individual employed, director, or service provider of the CONTRACTED



PARTY to leave the CONTRACTED PARTY to provide services to another entity other than the CONTRACTED PARTY, for the duration of this Agreement and an additional period of 24 (twenty-four) months after its termination, under penalty of a fine of \$50,000 (fifty thousand) U.S. dollars, without prejudice to damages and losses.

7.3. The STUDENT expressly declares to be aware of and consents to the content of this Agreement in general and this clause in particular, in the sense that he/she acknowledges that the knowledge shared and provided by the CONTRACTED PARTY cannot be used by the STUDENT for their commercial benefit, meaning that the STUDENT cannot engage in commercial activities involving a similar, related, or identical object to the ones offered by the CONTRACTED PARTY, specifically the Meta-Analysis Academy and MetaHub.

7.4. Violation of any of the items below shall result in the immediate termination of the student's access to any and all services contracted with the CONTRACTED PARTY, even those unrelated to this Agreement, as well as the payment of the fine mentioned above for violation of this clause, without prejudice to losses and damages.

CLAUSE NUMBER EIGHT – LIABILITY EXCLUSIONS

8.1. In the event of fortuitous events, force majeure, or unforeseen circumstances with the instructor, online classes may be rescheduled or recorded, without any cost to the CONTRACTED PARTY. In such cases, the CONTRACTED PARTY will inform the STUDENT as far in advance as possible of changes in schedule.

8.2. Under no circumstances shall these situations be deemed sufficient to constitute a contractual breach on the part of the STUDENT or be grounds for the termination of this Agreement.

8.3. The CONTRACTED PARTY shall not be held responsible for power outages, lack of time, medical duties, personal issues, commitments, device or internet problems, or any other situation of force majeure or unforeseen circumstances that may prevent the STUDENT from attending classes. Therefore, under no circumstances or justifications is the CONTRACTED PARTY obligated to provide classes beyond the period specified in the schedule.

CLAUSE NUMBER NINE - PERSONAL DATA

9.1. The CONTRACTOR agrees to act in strict accordance to Uruguayan law on the protection of personal data and the determinations of regulatory/supervising bodies on the matter.

9.2. When handling personal data, the CONTRACTED PARTY shall:

(a) treat the personal data in its possession (name, telephone, and e-mail) for the ultimate purpose of guaranteeing the correct execution of this Agreement and its obligations; and



(b) guarantee confidentiality in handling of personal data in its possession, which will be shared with employees and third parties only for the purpose of the correct execution of this Agreement and its obligations.

9.3. The STUDENT is aware that the student's personal data (name, telephone, and e-mail) will be shared with the network of employees and sub-contractors of the MetaHub, such as marketing, administrative, and legal teams. In addition, personal data may be shared with governmental and regulatory bodies upon legal request. Finally, the STUDENT may also receive invitations to participate in future editions of the MetaHub or training programs.

CLAUSE NUMBER TEN - INTELLECTUAL PROPERTY

10.1. The STUDENT acknowledges that all intellectual property used and developed in this contract, including platforms, software, codes, ideas, research projects, class content, and teaching methods, without restriction, are under the exclusive ownership of the CONTRACTED PARTY. All information on the course is protected by confidentiality and copyright laws.

10.2. The STUDENT acknowledges that only the CONTRACTED PARTY has the capacity to license or sell the content and methods of the MetaHub.

10.3. The STUDENT agrees to pay a fine of USD \$50.000,00 (fifty thousand U.S. dollars) to the CONTRACTOR in the event of the sale, sharing, or improper broadcasting of any of the contents of the Meta-Analysis Academy or its teaching method, in addition to civil or criminal charges that may also occur.

10.4. The CONTRACTED PARTY declares and acknowledges that it does not own any copyright and/or intellectual property rights over scientific content produced by the STUDENT during this Agreement, which shall be the sole and exclusive ownership, with all the inherent rights and obligations, of its authors/owners.

10.5. This clause will last for the entire term of the Agreement and will remain valid indefinitely after its termination, regardless of the cause for termination.

CLAUSE NUMBER ELEVEN - CONFIDENTIALITY

11.1. The PARTIES agree that the provisions of this Agreement and all information related thereto are strictly confidential, and each party undertakes, on its own behalf and on behalf of its professionals, including administrators, employees, representatives, agents, and any subcontractors and/or service providers, to maintain and ensure that all those involved in the performance of this Agreement maintain the strictest and absolute confidentiality regarding any information exchanged by any means, including oral, written, electronic, magnetic, or computerized.

11.2. The STUDENT expressly declares and acknowledges that all knowledge shared and provided by the CONTRACTED PARTY during the MetaHub Program or Meta-Analysis Academy constitutes privileged and confidential information, which may only be used by the STUDENT for their professional and/or



academic benefit, without, however, being used for commercial purposes, as per the Non-Compete Clause above.

11.3. The duty of confidentiality assumed shall endure throughout the term of the Contract and shall survive indefinitely after its termination, regardless of the cause of termination of the Contract.

11.4. Improper sharing of information obtained by virtue of this Agreement shall result in the payment of a non-compensatory fine \$50,000 (fifty thousand) U.S. dollars, attributable to the STUDENT, without prejudice to losses and damages and immediate interruption of access to all service platforms of the CONTRACTED PARTY, even those unrelated to this Agreement.

CLAUSE NUMBER TWELVE - CONSENT FOR USE OF PERSONAL DATA, USE OF IMAGE AND VOICE

12.1. The STUDENT authorizes the CONTRACTED PARTY, in compliance with Uruguayan Law, to process the personal data listed as follows, for an indefinite period, for the purposes of institutional promotion and advertisement: name, last name, profile in social networks, image, and voice (photo and video).

12.2. The STUDENT authorizes the CONTRACTED PARTY to use the student's image, name, and voice, free of charge or for consideration, for an indefinite period, for the purposes of institutional and advertising dissemination of the CONTRACTED PARTY, including commercially, in any media and communication vehicles, internal and external, in Brazil or abroad ("Disclosure").

12.3. As a result of the provisions of item 12.2. above, the CONTRACTED PARTY may, by way of example, capture, record, produce, store, adapt, reproduce, edit, publish, promote, disclose, distribute, transmit, compile, or use in any way the student's image, name, and voice.

12.4. The authorizations provided for in the above items are valid and are assigned through this instrument, all rights arising for the use, disclosure, publicity, display, reproduction, marketing, transfer, distribution of the STUDENT's image, name and voice, in any medium or support, tangible or intangible, physical or electronic, such as, among others, in the Internet and intranet, on websites or social networks, television (external and internal), cinema, radio, newspaper, magazine, brochures, bulletins, catalogs, posters, posters, advertising materials, "Billboards" and "bus doors", murals, announcements, presentations, training, e-mails, among other forms of internal and external disclosure, as long as they are related to the CONTRACTED PARTY and also, in any image, audio or video format, in the number of copies, impressions, number of broadcasts, transmissions, retransmissions, editions, reissues and placements that the CONTRACTED PARTY considers convenient.

12.5. The STUDENT exempts the CONTRACTED PARTY from any liability arising from the use of the STUDENT's image, name, and voice by third parties without authorization to do so, including through its reproduction and / or dissemination on Internet sites, such as "YouTube", "Facebook", "Instagram", or even on websites, social networks, and virtual communities of this nature.

12.6 The STUDENT declares that the information provided by the STUDENT is true, assuming full and exclusive responsibility for the content of the data and information provided, that the STUDENT has full



civil capacity and has not assumed prior commitment to this that prevents the STUDENT from freely consenting to the provisions herein.

12.7 The STUDENT acknowledges and agrees that, if the STUDENT does not wish to have their image, voice, or audiovisual participation used for the purposes described in this Section, the STUDENT must refrain from activating the camera and/or microphone during live lectures, recordings, or other audiovisual activities. The activation of the camera and/or microphone by the STUDENT shall be deemed express consent to the use of the STUDENT's image and/or voice as described herein.

CLAUSE NUMBER THIRTEEN – TERMINATION

13.1. Regardless of the validity of this Agreement, the obligations related to Confidentiality and Intellectual Property shall remain valid and in force between the Parties, within the periods set forth therein, including the penalties provided for in case of violation.

CLAUSE NUMBER FOURTEEN - GENERAL PROVISIONS

14.1. It is expressly forbidden for the STUDENT to use the CONTRACTED PARTY's brand, including its corporate name and the name of Professor Rhanderson Cardoso, MD, for any purpose outside this Agreement.

14.2. The Parties expressly acknowledge that this instrument constitutes an enforceable title pursuant to the applicable Uruguayan procedural legislation, as it contains liquid, due, and certain obligations, and may be judicially enforced in accordance with the General Code of Procedure (Código General del Proceso), hereby waiving any claim or allegation to the contrary.

CLAUSE NUMBER FIFTEEN - JURISDICTION

15.1. All disputes shall be resolved under Uruguayan law, and the parties elect the courts of Maldonado, Republic of Uruguay, waiving any other, however privileged it may be.

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