

**Abbo, G. A., et al. (2025): "Can you be my mum?": Manipulating Social Robots in the Large Language Models Era**

This article raises ethical and psychological questions about the potential for strong emotional bonds with advanced social robots, which directly relates to the NSIR's core dimensions:

- **Anthropomorphic Connection/Kinship:** The scale items that assess feelings of connection and kinship (e.g., "The robot is more like me than anyone else I know") can measure the strength of the potentially problematic bonds the article describes (p. 1).
- **Safety:** The article's focus on potential manipulation or over-dependency underscores the need to measure **safety** and ensure the interaction remains healthy and appropriate, which is a dimension included in the NSIR scale (p. 1).

The scale thus offers a measurement tool to assess the user's experience within the innovative (Andriella) and ethically complex (Abbo) scenarios described in these articles.