**Ava** Assistive technologies



#### 1. Description?

- Ava is a speech to text app that functions as a last-minute interpreter. Using Ava, you can read speech. You can use Ava in several ways.
  - □ To subtitle the television or radio;
  - For group conversations (also in combination with a Bluetooth table microphone);
  - □ For subtitles during, for example, a lecture.

#### 2. For whom and why?

The app is designed for hearing impaired or deaf persons. The app is useful, because hearing impaired or deaf and hearing people can communicate with each other in a simple way. This is often difficult because hearing people don't know sign language and don't know how to communicate well with people with hearing disabilities. The app was founded on the idea that there might be situations where there's no writing or sign language interpreter available. With Ava you have a last-minute interpreter in your pocket.

#### 3. How does it work?

- Ava is the first artificial intelligence-based live subtitle application and service for hearing impaired persons. During each conversation, Ava gets to know the voice better and improves the intelligence of the system. The system improves with use, making it an increasingly better resource.
  - Group chat | A group chat is created during group conversations via a live ID that everyone is connected to.



- Follow conversation | Every person can respond through the microphone of their mobile or the keyboard. The hearing impaired or deaf person can easily follow the conversation, because he or she can read everyone's reactions.
- Subtitling | You can also use the live ID to subtitle theaters, cinemas, congresses or church services.

## 4. Pricing

- □ Ava offers various payment options:
  - □ **Free** | AVA subtitles 5h/month for free. You can save and share transcripts.
  - Premium subscription | The app can unlimitedly subtitle conversations and the subtitles can be translated into sixteen different languages.
  - Pro / Campus / Welcome / Event subscription | Concerning security and privacy, these subscriptions are tailored to be used by companies and contain useful extras such as the use of the web application (so that Ava can be used on the laptop / computer), a dictionary which makes Ava learn faster and a translation option.

#### 5. Language

□ Ava is available in multiple languages, including English.

## 6. Type and platform

 Ava is an application, available on smartphones and tablets that run on Android and iOS.

# 7. More information?

□ Here you can watch a video of Ava.

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