

**SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY ASSUMPTION OF RISK AND RELEASE OF LIABILITY AGREEMENT**

**THIS IS A LEGALLY BINDING DOCUMENT**

1. I, \_\_\_\_\_, (the "Participant"), in consideration for allowing Participant to take part in \_\_\_\_\_, I hereby release, waive, discharge and hold harmless Saint Louis University, its trustees, officers, servants, agents, and employees (hereinafter referred to as Releasees) from any and all liability, claims, demands, actions and/or causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss, damage, or injury, including death, that may be sustained by Participant or to any property belonging to myself or Participant, whether caused by the negligence of Saint Louis University, its trustees, officers, servants, agents, and employees, or otherwise, while participating in \_\_\_\_\_ and related program activities, or while in, on, upon, or on route to or from the location(s) where such activities are being conducted. I further understand that by signing this document, I am waiving my right to pursue claims or actions that may accrue in the future, during my participation in \_\_\_\_\_.
2. I am fully aware of risks and hazards connected with the activity of \_\_\_\_\_, which I understand could lead to, among other things, loss or damage to property and/or loss, damage, injury or death to Participant. I further understand that participation in \_\_\_\_\_ is voluntary, and that my participation in the same includes risks of potential bodily harm to both myself and anyone else that I am responsible for. I expressly agree to ASSUME THE RISK of any injury or bodily harm sustained by me while engaging in \_\_\_\_\_. I hereby elect to voluntarily give my permission for Participant to take part in said activity knowing that the activity may be hazardous to Participant. I voluntarily assume full responsibility for any risks of loss, property damage or personal injury, including death, that may be sustained by Participation, or any loss or damage to property owned by me or in my control, because of Participant being engaged in such activity, whether caused by the negligence of Releasees or otherwise.
3. I further agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Releasees from any direct or indirect loss, liability, damage or costs, including court costs and attorneys' fees that they may incur due to Participant taking part in said activity.
4. It is my express intent that this Agreement shall bind the members of my family and spouse, if I am alive, and my heirs, assigns and personal representatives, if I am deceased, and shall be deemed as a release, waiver, discharge, and covenant not to sue the above-named Releasees. I hereby further agree that this Agreement shall be construed in accordance with the laws of the State of Missouri.
5. Public Relations are an important part of the SLU Programs. Photographs and video segments are used in various prints and electronic media to recognize members for their work and to let others know what is happening at SLU. Because many youths are involved in the University's programs, we cannot assure you that your child will not be photographed. We will ask the photographers to honor individual requests not to be photographed. Please visit with your children about your wishes and encourage them to let photographers know that they request not to be photographed.

IN SIGNING THIS RELEASE, I ACKNOWLEDGE AND REPRESENT THAT I have read the foregoing Agreement, understand all its provisions, and sign it voluntarily as my own free act and deed. I warrant that no oral representations, statements, or inducements, apart from the foregoing written agreement, have been made.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Full Name and Date of Birth of Participant

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

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Parent/Legal Guardian