

Activities Acknowledgement & Release Form

Read this form carefully before signing

Student Name _____

Academic Year _____

INHERENT RISKS

The individual (and individual's undersigned Legal Guardian) acknowledges that certain risks are inherent in participating in off campus trip(s) and/or program(s). These include, but are not limited to, the risks of personal injury, illness or death, property damage, property loss or theft arising out of accidents, epidemics and disease, risks of travel, negligent acts or omissions of the participant or of others, including Clarkson College and its agents, civil disturbances or disorders, etc. The individual expressly and voluntarily assumes all such risks.

RELEASE

The individual (and the individual's undersigned Legal Guardian) hereby release, waive and forever discharge, Clarkson College, and each of its affiliates, successors, directors, employees, agents and representatives ("Released Parties") of being liable from any personal injury, illness or death, property damage, property loss or theft arising out of any accidents, negligent acts or omissions of the participant or of others, including Released Parties, civil disturbances or disorders, or any other occurrences, occurring while the participant is participating in the Clarkson College event(s). The individual (and the individual's undersigned Legal Guardian) further agrees not to sue any of the Released Parties as a result of any such occurrence.

PARTICIPANT'S OBLIGATIONS

The participant agrees to be responsible at all times for his/her own safety and security, as well as that of his/her property, while traveling or participating in any trip(s) and/or program(s). The participant agrees to immediately report any conditions or situations which he/she deems unsafe or dangerous, and to cease his/her participation in the trip(s) and/or program(s), and all activities attendant or incidental to such participation, until satisfied that such dangers have been eliminated.

TITLE IX COMPLIANCE STATEMENT

Clarkson College is subject to the provisions of Public Law No. 92-318, Title IX of the Educational Amendments of 1972, and the regulations promulgated thereunder (34 CFR Subtitle A, Part 106), which prohibits discrimination on the basis of sex in any education program or activity receiving federal financial assistance. The College will not tolerate sexual misconduct in any form, including sexual assault or abuse, sexual harassment, stalking, dating violence, domestic violence and any other forms of unwelcome conduct of a sexual nature, all of which may be forms of sexual discrimination in the educational programs or activities that it operates. For more information, please access the College's Title IX Sexual Misconduct policy, Equal Opportunity/Non-Discrimination policy, and College Code of Conduct policy located on the College's website.

AUTHORIZATION

The individual (and the individual's undersigned Legal Guardian) also authorize Clarkson College, or any of its representatives and/or agents, to take whatever action they believe necessary to protect the health and safety of the above individual. This may include the engagement, at the individual's or the undersigned's expense, of any and all medical expenses. The individual (and the individual's undersigned Legal Guardian) also understand that the school and/or its agents and representatives may, whenever necessary, restrict the individual's activities, or in serious cases of breach of discipline, send the individual home before the completion of the activity and/or program at the individual's or the undersigned's expense. This particularly applies to the participant's behavior in hotels/motels. It is understood and agreed that the school's rules will be applied at all times throughout the trip(s) and/or program(s).

INDEMNIFICATION

The individual (and the individual's Legal Guardian) hereby agree to indemnify and to hold harmless Released Parties, and each of them, from any loss or liability asserted or arising from or as a result of (1) any claim made against any of the Released Parties by others as a result of the acts or omissions of the individual while participating in the trip and/or program; and (2) any claims made by the individual against

any of the Released Parties (including claims alleging negligence on the part of the Released Parties or any of them) as a result of acts or omissions occurring while the individual is traveling and/or otherwise participating in the program(s), as a result of acts or omissions occurring in connection with the planning, execution, sponsorship, or support of the trip(s) and/or program(s), and the individual's participation therein.

Date

Participant's Signature

Printed Name

If the participant is under the age of nineteen (19), the participant's Legal Guardian must indicate their permission by signing below.

Date

Legal Guardian Signature

Printed Name