

Eastern Illinois University
Office of Conference Services

WAIVER OF LIABILITY AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT

This is a legally-binding *Liability Release, Waiver, Discharge, and Covenant Not to Sue* made by me, _____ (hereinafter referred to as “Participant”) to THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF EASTERN ILLINOIS UNIVERSITY (hereinafter referred to as the “University”).

Participant, as a visitor of Eastern Illinois University and the Office of Conference Services at Eastern Illinois University, acknowledges that neither the University, nor any of its employees, is responsible for any cost, damage to personal property, loss of property, bodily injury, sickness, or accidental death as a result of participation in or attendance at any conference or activity at Eastern Illinois University, while on University property, including travel to and from the area the activity is conducted. Participant agrees to indemnify and hold harmless the University, its employees, and any persons associated with the Office of Conference Services, and agrees to take full responsibility for all risks and liability associated with this conference or activity.

In consideration of being allowed to participate in related events and activities being held at Eastern Illinois University, the participant acknowledges, appreciates, and agrees that participation includes possible exposure to and illness from infectious diseases including but not limited to MRSA, influenza, and COVID-19. While particular rules and personal discipline may reduce this risk, the risk of serious illness and death does exist; and participant knowingly and freely assume all such risks, both known and unknown, even if arising from the negligence of the University or others, and assume full responsibility for participant’s participation.

Participant understands that he/she must be accompanied by a staff chaperone in any residential, dining, athletic, or academic facility on the property of Eastern Illinois University. Participant has discussed all University policies with chaperones and staff involved with group and assumes complete risk of any activity done in violation of any policy or law during the duration of our conference or activity.

By signing below, participant acknowledges that he/she has read and understands the foregoing Waiver of Liability and Hold Harmless Agreement. This waiver must be turned in to the University staff during camp check-in.

Camp or Conference

Participant’s Printed Name

Participant’s Signature

Guardian’s Printed Name (if participant is under 18)

Guardian’s Signature (if participant is under 18)

Date