CORNELL UNIVERSITY

INTERNSHIP ASSUMPTION of RISK and RELEASE AGREEMENT

In consideration of an internship opportunity in college/unit at Cornell University and the valuable experience I hope to gain, I hereby make the following agreement:

1. I agree, on behalf of myself, my heirs, executors, and representatives, to release, indemnify, and hold harmless Cornell University, and its trustees, officers, agents and employees from any and all liability, damage, claim of any nature whatsoever arising out of or in any way related to my participation in this internship, except in the event of gross negligence directly attributed to Cornell University. I understand that Cornell University does not provide any accident or medical insurance and that I am required to provide my own accident and medical insurance. I hereby agree that I am financially responsible for all such expenses.
2. I understand that I am subject to all Cornell University policies, departmental guidelines, and standards of conduct, as well as the laws of the United States, the laws of New York State, and the laws of local governments. I understand that Cornell University will have the right to terminate my internship immediately and without notice if I violate any of the above, or if my behavior is detrimental to the University or its members, in the University’s sole and absolute discretion.
3. I have been informed about the dangers and risks inherent in my participation in this internship and agree to exercise caution in the performance of internship activities. I further agree to immediately cease any activity that I perceive to be unsafe and to inform my supervisor of my safety concern. I also acknowledge that not every risk can be foreseen, and that this does not in any way limit the enforceability of this Release Agreement.
4. I agree that Cornell University is not responsible for me during my free times or during times when I am not under its supervision.
5. I agree that I am not an employee of Cornell University, and that this internship in no way creates an offer of an expectation of future employment with Cornell University. I also understand that time spent during the internship will not be counted towards credited service if I do obtain employment from Cornell University in the future. In the event that I receive financial support from Cornell for this internship, this is not salary or wages related to the duties of the internship.
6. I state that I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this Assumption of Risk and Release Agreement, that the terms herein are contractual, and that I have signed this documents as my own free act. I understand that as an adult, I am responsible for my own conduct and safety. I have read and understand the terms of this Assumption of Risk and Release Agreement and agree to all of its terms and conditions.
7. I understand and agree that the terms and conditions in this Agreement shall supersede those of any other agreement related to this internship in the event of any conflict between them.

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