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**STUDENT VOLUNTEER RELEASE AND  
INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT**

My name is \_\_\_\_\_ and I am currently a student employee working for the \_\_\_\_\_ (the "University") in the \_\_\_\_\_ (department/student organization student) as a \_\_\_\_\_ (employed position) for a maximum of 20 hours per week. I understand that according to University policy, I may not work more than 20 hours per week as a student employee except for break periods, which includes the time between academic semesters, summers, and holidays.

I certify that I am offering my services to \_\_\_\_\_ (volunteer organization) strictly on a volunteer basis because I wish to make further contributions to the University's community, and I recognize that having the opportunity to contribute to other organizations will be beneficial to my overall college experience. I will complete a Volunteer Position and Responsibilities Form in addition to this agreement.

I certify that I have read and understand the University rules, policies, and procedures, and that I agree to comply with all of the rules, policies, and procedures in addition to all applicable state and federal laws.

I understand that I will not receive any pay, benefits, or other employment rights or privileges in any capacity for my volunteer services. I also understand that I am not eligible for workers compensation benefits if I am injured or become ill as a result of my volunteer work, and I am not eligible for unemployment benefits at the completion of my volunteer assignment. I further understand that my position as a volunteer may be terminated at any time with or without cause.

I understand and agree that all property, materials, and other information received and/or created by me as a result of any volunteer services provided on behalf of or to the University, are the property of the University and shall be submitted and/or returned to the University immediately upon request or upon the termination of my volunteer position. I further acknowledge and agree that my likeness and or image alone or with others may be used and/published for the use and benefit of the University without any additional required consent from me or any additional obligation on behalf of the University. This includes all images in print, electronic, or video form, which may be used for educational, public relations, marketing, advertisement, or other promotional purposes.

In consideration for my participation as a volunteer, I hereby agree to indemnify, release, and hold harmless the University of Houston System, its officers, employees, and agents from any liability for any loss, expenses, or damage to me or any of my property that may occur as a result of my participation as a volunteer.

I declare that I have not been promised any form of compensation for my volunteer position, and that I have no expectation of receiving any payment for my volunteer services. I have not been persuaded or coerced into working as a volunteer, and I have not made this decision under duress or through any undue influence from any fellow student, staff, faculty, or other University employee.

**Form No.: OGC-S-2019-17**

*This form is only for use by students participating in a University Sponsored or Affiliated Organization. Student volunteers submitting this form must also submit the Volunteer Application and the Volunteer Position and Responsibilities forms.*

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*Volunteer's Name (please print)*

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*Volunteer's Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*University Sponsored Organization*

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*Volunteer Position*

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*CEO of the University Sponsored Organization Signature*

\_\_\_\_\_  
*Date*

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*Advisor of the University Sponsored Organization Signature*

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*Date*

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*Head of Student Affairs or Designee Signature*

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*Date*

***Note: Modification of this Form requires approval of OGC***