## CLARION STUDENTS' ASSOCIATION TRAVEL WAIVER AND RELEASE

All student/guest participants shall read and sign this document before being permitted to participate in the trip.

## **Trip Information**

Organization Name	Destination	
Departure Date:	Return Date:	

## I hereby agree to the following:

- 1. I shall indemnify the Clarion Students; Association ("CSA"), the sponsoring student organization ("sponsor"), Clarion University (the "University") and hold harmless, its officers, agents, and employees from all liability, losses, costs, claims, damages, and expenses, including attorney's fees, arising or claimed to have risen out of personal injuries or death, or property damage or loss, sustained by me as a result of participating in this trip, however caused, including, without limitation, claimed negligence on the part of CSA or University employees, sponsors, other participants, or third parties. In addition, I shall indemnify CSA, sponsor, and the University, their agents and employees from all liability, losses, costs, claims, damages, and expenses, including attorney's fees, relating to claims or injury arising from my own negligence or intentional acts during my participation this trip and I hereby RELEASE and forever DISCHARGE the CSA, University, sponsors and their agents and employees from all such liability, loss, cost, claims damages, or expenses.
- 2. I understand that the trip leaders and/or the assigned staff members are acting in their respective capacities as agents of CSA, the sponsor, and/or the University, not individually, and herby waive any and all claims I may have or purport to have against, CSA, the sponsors, the University or against them individually for losses occasioned by any changes in travel plans, or for the failure of any of the companies providing transportation, hotel, food, tour services, or other goods or services, as applies to the nature of the off-campus trip, to provide such services on a timely basis or for the failure to provide them at all.
- 3. The CSA, sponsors, and/or the University have the right to make cancellations, changes, or substitutions in courses, the agenda, or program, assigned staff members/trip leaders, travel arrangements, or arrangements for other services, in the event of causes beyond its reasonable control, significantly changed conditions, or changes in the interests of the group

- 4. It is my responsibility to obtain and keep in force adequate health insurance while traveling. I understand and agree I am financially responsible for my own medical expenses and that any advance medical payment made by the University through the trip director or a staff member on my behalf shall be reimbursed to the University Immediately.
- 5. I am solely responsible for obtaining and keeping safe my personal possessions, documents, money, travel tickets (as needed), and other property. I hereby WAIVE and RELEASE the CSA, sponsors and/or the University, the trip director, and the assigned staff members from any and all claims for expenses or losses of any nature and amount due to my failure to do so.
- 6. In the event of illness or injury, I hereby authorize the trip director or any assigned staff member to obtain emergency or other medical treatment as he or she deems necessary, including the administration of anesthetics or other medications and surgery, and I hereby assume both any physical risk associated with and responsibility for the cost of such treatment.
- I hereby authorize disclosure by the University to my parents/guardians
  of any relevant information regarding my participation in the trip. I waive
  my rights as defined by the Family Right to Education Privacy Act
  (FERPA).
- 8. I understand and agree that while on the trip, I remain subject to the University's rules, regulations, and policies. I agree to adhere to such rules, regulations, and policies strictly during my anticipated participation in the trip and I understand that condition of my participation on this trip the expectation that I will return to campus with the group.
- 9. All students must travel with the organization. This includes traveling to the destination site and returning to Clarion University departure campus. Students who choose not to travel with the organization must provide the CSA and Sponsor a written permission that is from the parent/legal guardian (an email from the parent/legal guardian is acceptable) prior to the travel date and approved by the organization President and CSA.

I have read and understand this document, and agree that it will legally bind me, my heirs, and my estate.

	Student/Guest Printed Name	Student/Guest Signature	Emergency Contact Name	Emergency Contact Phone No.
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Please provide any additional information which should be disclosed to the trip director or staff member on the reverse side of this form.