

ICO Trip Location: _____

STUDENT RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS

ICO Trips

I, the undersigned, hereby acknowledge that Grove City College, its employees, trustees, officers, agents and assigns, have offered me an opportunity for an off-campus program. I understand that this off-campus program is not required of me by Grove City College, that there are alternate on-campus programs which I could enjoy or for which I could meet all College requirements, but that I am interested in such off-campus program and I am voluntarily agreeing to participate in the off-campus program being offered by Grove City College.

By participating in the program away from the campus of Grove City College, I recognize and affirm that I am assuming a greater independence and a greater responsibility for my welfare. I acknowledge and confirm that Grove City College has not investigated the program from a safety standpoint and that I am VOLUNTARILY ASSUMING ANY AND ALL RISK to myself or to others as a result of my participation in the said program. I understand that Grove City College makes no representations or warranties to me regarding the safety of the program including, but not limited to, the following: travel arrangements, housing, lodging or other living conditions during the program; application of local laws; transportation to or from any and all activities conducted within or outside the program; related or unrelated social activities; the activities of the program itself; and I understand that Grove City College, its employees, trustees, agents or officers, including any faculty/staff members accompanying me on the trip, are not responsible to instruct me in any safety matters, nor are they responsible to provide for my safety or well-being and I VOLUNTARILY ASSUME ANY AND ALL RISK AND LIABILITY to myself related to my travel, stay and participation in the program or for any and all related or unrelated activities, social events or situations that may arise.

As a condition of participating in the program, I hereby RELEASE, WAIVE, DISCHARGE AND COVENANT NOT TO SUE Grove City College, its officers, trustees, employees and agents, including any faculty/staff members accompanying me on the trip, from any and all claims, demands, liabilities and causes of action whatsoever arising out of or related to any loss or damage to property, personal injury, death or breach of contract sustained by me or third parties arising out of any act or breaches of duty, negligent or otherwise, committed during my travel, stay and participation in the program or for any and all related or unrelated activities, social events or situations that may arise whether CAUSED BY THE NEGLIGENCE OF GROVE CITY COLLEGE, its officers, trustees, employees and agents, including any faculty/staff members accompanying me on the trip, or otherwise.

I also agree to assume all liability for and hereby agree to defend, INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Grove City College, its officers, trustees, employees and agents, including any faculty/staff members accompanying me on the trip, from and against any and all losses for injuries to and death of myself arising out of, incident to or in connection with all acts or breaches of duty, negligent or otherwise, committed during my travel to and from said program, my participation in the program or for any and all related or unrelated activities, social events or situations that may arise WHETHER SUCH ACTS OR BREACHES OF DUTY, NEGLIGENCE OR OTHERWISE, WERE CAUSED BY MYSELF OR BY GROVE CITY COLLEGE, ITS OFFICERS, TRUSTEES, EMPLOYEES AND AGENTS, INCLUDING ANY FACULTY/STAFF MEMBERS ACCOMPANYING ME ON THE TRIP, AS WELL AS TO INDEMNIFY AND HOLD HARMLESS Grove City College, its officers, trustees, employees and agents, including any faculty/staff members accompanying me on the trip, from any and all reasonably incurred attorneys' fees in the defense of any such action or the

enforcement of the provisions of this paragraph of the Release Agreement.

12/08

I further state that I am of lawful age and legally competent to sign this affirmation and release, that I understand the terms herein are contractual and not a mere recital, and that I have signed this document as my own free act. I acknowledge that no oral representations, statements or inducements apart from this written agreement have been made to me.

While the college provides supplemental insurance for those trips going abroad, I understand that I am solely responsible for securing primary health insurance coverage during the term of my participation in the program.

I understand that the College will not authorize medical, dental or surgical care or hospitalization for me.

Regardless of where the acts or breaches of duty may occur, or where the injury to myself or to others may occur, I hereby agree that this Release shall be governed and controlled and interpreted under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

I HAVE CAREFULLY READ THIS AGREEMENT AND FULLY UNDERSTAND ITS CONTENTS. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND AN INDEMNIFICATION AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT BETWEEN MYSELF AND GROVE CITY COLLEGE, ITS OFFICERS, TRUSTEES, EMPLOYEES AND AGENTS, INCLUDING ANY FACULTY/STAFF MEMBERS ACCOMPANYING ME ON THE TRIP.

It is my express intent that this RELEASE AND HOLD HARMLESS AGREEMENT shall bind myself, my personal representative, heirs and assigns.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, AND INTENDING TO BE LEGALLY BOUND, I execute this Release this _____ day of _____, 20__.

Witness:

Student:

(Signature)

(Signature)

(Printed name)

(Printed name)

Witness:

(Signature)

(Printed name)