

CONSENT, RELEASE, AND WAIVER OF LIABILITY – FERMILAB PHOTOWALK 2025

I, _____, acknowledge that I voluntarily participate in the Fermilab Photowalk 2025 on the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory (Fermilab) site or virtually (the “activity”). I am participating in this activity on non-work time, and are aware that Fermi Forward Discovery Group, LLC, the U.S. Department of Energy, and any other entity associated with the Fermilab site do not provide accident, medical, workers' compensation, or other insurance to anyone participating in this activity.

I certify that there are no health-related reasons that would preclude participation in the activity.

If participating on the Fermilab site, I will comply with all rules, posted signage, and directions for Fermilab site access and for activity on the Fermilab site. I acknowledge that failure to do so may result in removal from and denial of access to the Fermilab site.

I understand that there are risks in participating in activity on the Fermilab site that may involve the potential for injury or property loss. The risks include, but are not limited to, bone and skeletal tissue damage, blood pressure and heart function abnormality, cardiac arrest, or even death, and other risks or hazards caused by the facilities or site conditions, condition of the participants, equipment, and actions of other people. I expressly and voluntarily assume all risks, dangers, and hazards that may occur in connection with my participation in this activity.

I consent to receive first aid or medical treatment that may be advisable in the event of an injury, accident, or illness while on the Fermilab site.

I voluntarily **WAIVE, RELEASE, AND DISCHARGE** from any and all liability for death, bodily injury, property damage or theft, or actions of any kind which may occur during my participation in activity, the following entities and persons: Fermi Forward Discovery Group, LLC, the University of Chicago, Universities Research Association, Inc., the United States Department of Energy, and their respective employees, agents, officers, directors, and activity sponsors or volunteers. This waiver and release applies to liability whether caused by the negligence or fault of the released entities/persons or otherwise. I agree to **INDEMNIFY, HOLD HARMLESS, AND PROMISE NOT TO SUE** the entities or persons identified above for any claims arising from participation by me in the activity.

I understand that photographs, videos, sound recordings, or names may be taken of activity participants. I consent, authorize, and agree that the United States Department of Energy and others acting on its behalf (including Fermi Forward Discovery Group, LLC as the current manager and operator of Fermilab, and any successor contractors) may use, distribute, edit, reproduce, and publish the names, likeness, recordings, words, and voices of me without any payment or additional consideration to me.

This Consent, Release, and Waiver of Liability shall be construed broadly to provide a release and waiver to the maximum extent permitted by applicable law. If any portion is determined to be invalid, the remaining portions shall not be affected.

I have read and understand this document and am aware that it includes a release and waiver of liability. I sign this document voluntarily and of my own free will.

I acknowledge that I have been informed of any potential radiation above background levels that I may be exposed to during this activity on the Fermilab site. I voluntarily accept this risk. This Consent, Release, and Waiver of Liability applies to potential radiation exposure.

Participant Name: _____

Date: _____