

BRANDEIS UNIVERSITY
Master's Program in Coexistence and Conflict

RELEASE AND WAIVER

Print name: _____

This Release and Waiver is executed by the undersigned graduate student with respect to the Brandeis University Master's Program in Coexistence and Conflict.

I hereby acknowledge and understand that the program and destination I have selected in order to fulfill the Master's Field Project is not sponsored by Brandeis University or the Heller School for Social Policy and Management, and that Brandeis University neither accepts nor assumes responsibility for my welfare or for any injuries, claims, or losses arising from my participation in, or travel to and from, the Project.

I hereby knowingly and willingly consent to participate in the Project. If I am traveling abroad to pursue this field project, I acknowledge that an alternative course of field project in the United States is available to me, and I elect, nonetheless, to undertake the project abroad. I understand and acknowledge that there are inherent risks involved with studying and living abroad which are beyond the control of Brandeis University, and that Brandeis University cannot guarantee my safety or security. I understand that my choice of living accommodations, whether on-campus or off-campus and regardless of the use or non-use of assistance provided by Brandeis University, is neither actually nor intended to be under the auspices of Brandeis University.

I acknowledge that I am advised to monitor the United States Department of State website (<http://travel.state.gov>) for updates and information about travel to this particular destination and travel abroad generally.

In consideration of the Project being approved, I, the undersigned, do hereby agree to release and forever discharge Brandeis University, the Heller School for Social Policy and Management, the Master's Program in Coexistence and Conflict, and the Trustees, officers, employees, agents, and assigns ("Brandeis") of and from any and all loss or liability in connection with any personal injury, accident, damage, claims, costs, expenses, or other loss suffered or incurred by me during, arising out of, or in any way associated with my study and/or participation in the Project, including, but not limited to, travel to and from this destination and any and all other travel incident to my study and/or participation in the Project. I agree not to raise any claims or to institute any legal action or proceeding against Brandeis University for any cause of action that may result from, arise out of, or occur in connection with my participation in the Project or any travel related to the Project, including, but not limited to, any loss or liability resulting from, arising out of, or occurring in connection with the acts or omissions of Brandeis

University. In addition, I hereby agree to release, indemnify, and forever discharge Brandeis University of and from contribution or indemnification with respect to any claim made against me by any person or entity in connection therewith. I further agree to indemnify and hold Brandeis University harmless of and from any actions brought against it in connection with my acts or omissions.

I hereby acknowledge that I have read and understood the above statements, and I represent that I am of the specified legal age in my state of residence to bind myself to this Release. This Release and Waiver has been executed on behalf of myself, my heirs and assigns, and has been made with full knowledge of possible risks and hazards involved with travel and study abroad. This instrument has been executed in and shall be governed by the laws of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

Student Signature _____ Date _____

Witness Signature _____ Date _____

Witness Name Printed _____