By signing below you are accepting admission to the University of Texas at Austin Archaeological Field School in Belize (hereafter “program”) directed by Dr. Fred Valdez, Jr. (hereafter “instructor”). You (hereafter “participant”) agree to be bound by the following terms and conditions.

- The participant acknowledges that the safety of all participants in the program is of the utmost concern and will conduct herself/himself accordingly.
- The instructor is under no obligation to provide any services beyond those stipulated in published program documents regarding the field school.
- The instructor is entitled to vary itineraries and to substitute services as seen fit without recourse of liability.
- The participant agrees to follow the instructions of the instructor or his nominated representative at all times.
- The participant agrees that the instructor may suspend or terminate the involvement of the participant in the program in his absolute discretion, without liability whatsoever arising. The participant agrees to be bound by the laws of the United States of America, Belize and Guatemala whilst in the countries of program participation.
- The participant agrees that drunkenness and/or intoxication during the program is not permitted and is grounds for suspension or expulsion from the program, a failing grade, and immediate return to point of embarkation at the participant’s expense.
- The participant agrees not to bring illegal drugs into the United States of America, Belize or Guatemala, nor to be under the influence of such drugs throughout the program. The participant further agrees that she/he will not bring illegal drugs into the program camp, consume, buy, borrow, or otherwise acquire any illegal drugs throughout the course of the program. Possession of marijuana and other illegal drugs may result in severe criminal penalties in Belize, the United States of America, Guatemala and/or the country of the participant’s citizenship.
- Instructor is under no obligation to neither provide any itemization of costs nor provide any explanation of how fees paid by the participant are applied.
- The participant agrees to be bound by the terms of The University of Texas at Austin regulations including the current Undergraduate Calendar, and agrees to familiarize herself/himself with University regulations.
- The participant agrees that all participants are entitled to an environment that affords respect and dignity to those in attendance, and is free from threats to personal safety, discrimination, harassment, intimidation, and behavior that is destructive, disruptive, disorderly, and offensive. The instructor may enforce standards of decorum and has the authority to ensure that health, safety, respect, and dignity standards are observed.
- All cultural materials, biological materials, including the smallest pottery sherds and lithic debris are the property of the Government of Belize. Participants may NOT export or retain any cultural, biological, or geological material, no matter how small or seemingly insignificant.

I have read this document in its entirety, have fully informed myself of its contents, and am signing of my own free will. I declare that I am 18 years of age or older and legally competent to sign this document.

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Signature of Applicant:                  Signature of Witness:

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Print Name                                  Printed Name of Witness

Date: ________________________________