Liability Release, Waiver, Discharge and Covenant Not to Sue
ISPP 2022 Annual Scientific Meeting in Athens, Greece

This is a legally binding Release, Waiver, Discharge and Covenant Not to Sue (collectively, “Release”), made voluntarily by me, the undersigned Releasor, on my own behalf, and on behalf of my heirs, including spouse and domestic partner, executors, administrators, legal representatives and assigns (hereinafter collectively, “I” or “me”) to the International Society of Political Psychology (“ISPP”).

I am voluntarily participating in the ISPP 2022 Annual Conference (the “Conference”) in Athens, Greece with a full understanding of the risks involved, including those associated with the Covid-19 global pandemic, and that it is my responsibility to inform myself regarding timely and best practices in order to reduce my chance of exposure to, illness from, and retransmission of Covid-19 and related illnesses. I also assume and agree to accept any and all risks to my safety, health, security and property during the course of participating in the Conference and travel relating thereto. I am aware that it is my responsibility to stay abreast of travel requirements (e.g., vaccinations and associated documentation, visas, passports, etc.), any risks of travel to Athens or Greece, including risks associated with my safety, health and security. These risks include, but are not limited to, property damage and loss, death or injury resulting from accident, disease, terrorist acts, or otherwise.

I acknowledge that there are currently no Travel Warnings for Athens specifically, or Greece, posted by the United States Department of State, but that this situation can change at any time, and that it is my responsibility to check for current information from my country of origin and/or residence. I am aware that we are still in the midst of a global pandemic, and that I must abide by the rules and regulations set forth by the Grecian government for travel and gatherings of large groups, as well as any rules established by the meeting venue. I am aware that any Travel Warnings or Alerts will be available for me to read on the web site found at www.travel.state.gov, or comparable source in my country of origin and/or residence, and that in advance of the event, I may periodically check the State Department’s website or comparable source in my country of origin and/or residence to see if any Travel Warnings or Alerts for Athens or Greece have been issued. I am aware that I can check on multiple web sites for requirements for travel to Greece and return travel to my country of origin/residence. ISPP assumes no responsibility for informing me of any such Travel Warnings, Alerts, or requirements.

I acknowledge and agree that, notwithstanding any security or health arrangements that may be made by ISPP, ISPP does not guarantee and is not responsible for my personal health or safety, nor the safety of my property while participating in the Conference or any Conference-related activities, including, but not limited to, airline travel, ground transportation, meals, lodging, recreational activities, and tours arranged by me or others. I further acknowledge that ISPP is not responsible for furnishing Personal Protective Equipment (PPE), such as face masks, even if required by the Grecian government and/or the meeting venue.

In light of the above and in consideration of being permitted to participate in the Conference, I do, for myself and my heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives and assigns, release, waive, forever discharge, and covenant not to sue ISPP, its respective subsidiaries, affiliates, predecessors, successors and assigns, and all of its respective past, present, and future officers, directors, shareholders, employees, agents, volunteers, and contractors, and their respective heirs, executors, administrators, legal representatives and assigns (collectively, the “Releasees”), of and from any and every claim arising from or by reason of any illness, bodily injury, personal injuries known, or unknown (including emotional trauma), death, or property damage resulting or alleged to have resulted from any accident, incident, or other episode that may occur, whether based upon the negligence of, or breach of contract by, any Releasee or any other party for whose acts or omissions any Releasee may be responsible in law or in fact, or any other cause or principle of law, as a result of my participation in the Conference or any activities in connection with the Conference. I further agree to indemnify Releasees and to hold each of them harmless from any and all liability, claim, action, damage, expense (including reasonable attorneys fees), arising from or related to any injury or illness I may sustain.

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This Release contains the entire agreement between the parties to this Release. This Release supersedes any prior or contemporaneous agreements, understandings, and negotiations regarding its subject matter. This Release shall be interpreted and enforced in accordance with the laws of the State of California, and shall be as broad and inclusive as permitted by such laws. If any provision of this Release is held invalid, it is agreed that the balance shall, notwithstanding, continue in full force and legal effect.

I have carefully read the foregoing Release, understand its contents, and acknowledge that this is a release of liability and as such is a binding and fully enforceable contract between ISPP and me. Having consulted, or having had the opportunity to consult, my own counsel as to its meaning and legal effect, I sign this Release as my own free act.

Note: ISPP requires that each adult 18 and over whose name appears on the same application must personally sign a copy of this Release.

Participant Name:__________________________________________________________________

Signature: _____________________________________________________ Date: _____________