



hackGVSU

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hackGVSU Participation Waiver and Code of Conduct

BY PARTICIPATING IN HACKGVSU, YOU AGREE TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS AND ALL OTHER APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS.

Henceforth, "I", "me", "my", "myself", and other first-person pronouns shall refer to the Participant. "The Organizers" shall refer to any persons or group who had significant participation in the creation of the event, namely (but not necessarily exclusively) the hackGVSU organizing team and Grand Valley State University.

I understand that by participating in hackGVSU, I agree to the following terms listed in this agreement, and to follow any procedures and instructions given by The Organizers. Refusal to comply and any violations will subject me to penalties deemed appropriate by The Organizers, such as the revocation of prizes and expulsion from the hackGVSU event.

- I agree to abide by the expectations set forth in the MLH Code of Conduct, and that violating these expectations may be grounds for expulsion and/or revocation of any prizes I may have won.
- I understand that if I have not yet attained the age of 18 by April 14, 2018, my participation in hackGVSU is conditional on the agreement of my parent or guardian as indicated on the waiver below.
- I understand that as a condition for participating in hackGVSU, I am required to make my source code available to the judges and The Organizers in order to evaluate the quality and functionality of my project.
- I understand that the decisions of the judges are final and may not be contested.
- I agree to not be in the possession of illegal drugs, alcohol, or weapons at hackGVSU and otherwise always adhere to applicable state and federal law.
- I assume all responsibility for the damage or theft of all personal items and property. I understand that hackGVSU and The Organizers do not take responsibility and are not liable for any damages or theft to personal items and/or property.
- I understand that neither The Organizers nor Grand Valley State University require me to participate in hackGVSU, but that I am voluntarily participating and acknowledging the possible dangers and risks. I agree to assume and take on myself all of the risks and responsibilities in any way arising from or associated with hackGVSU, and I release Grand Valley State University and The Organizers and all of their affiliates, divisions, departments and other units from any and all claims,

demands, suits, judgments, damages, actions and liabilities of every name and nature whatsoever, whenever occurring, whether known or unknown, contingent or fixed, at law or in equity, that I may suffer at any time arising from or in connection with hackGVSU, including any injury or harm to me, my death, or damage to my property.

- I understand that all services provided, including but not limited to transportation, facilities (property, furniture, electricity, networking), food and beverage, and activities are provided on an as-is and as-available basis only, with no guarantee of services meeting my requirements or remaining uninterrupted, error-free, secure, or free from viruses and other harmful components. The Organizers are not liable for any errors in services, regardless of whether they appear to provide these services or not.

BY REGISTRATION AND PARTICIPATION IN HACKGVSU, I CERTIFY THAT I HAVE READ THIS DOCUMENT, AND I FULLY UNDERSTAND AND AGREE TO ITS CONTENT. I AM AWARE THAT THIS IS A RELEASE OF LIABILITY AND A CONTRACT AND I REGISTER FOR AND PARTICIPATE AT THE EVENT AT MY OWN FREE WILL.

Printed Name of Participant: _____

Parent/Legal Guardian Printed Name (for minor participants): _____

Participant/Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____

Today's Date: _____

hackGVSU Photo Release Form

I hereby grant The Organizers of hackGVSU permission to use my likeness in a photograph, video, or other digital media in any and all of its publications, including web-based publications, without payment or other consideration. I understand and agree that all photos will become the property of hackGVSU and may not be returned. I hereby irrevocably authorize hackGVSU to edit, alter, copy, exhibit, publish, or distribute these photos for any lawful purpose. In addition, I waive any right to inspect or approve the finished product wherein my likeness appears. Additionally, I waive any right to royalties or other compensation arising or related to the use of the photo. I hereby hold harmless, release, and forever discharge hackGVSU from all claims, demands, suits, and causes of action which I, my heirs, representatives, executors, administrators, or any other persons acting on my behalf or on behalf of my estate have or may have by reason of this authorization.

Participant/Parent/Legal Guardian Signature: _____