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Sponsored Research Project Personnel and Student Acknowledgement
Form

Project Title: _____

Principal Investigator: _____

I, the undersigned, acknowledge that the above noted project is subject to, and that I will be bound by, the following terms and conditions:

1. Confidential Information. Confidential Information means any and all results of the project and any other confidential or proprietary information in the possession or control of the University, but does not include information which is or becomes generally available to the public through no fault of mine, or information developed by me in preparation for acceptance by the University of a graduate thesis, PhD dissertation, or undergraduate senior report. At all times during and subsequent to the termination of my engagement with the University, I shall keep in confidence and trust the Confidential Information, I shall take all necessary precautions against unauthorized disclosure of the Confidential Information, and I shall not directly or indirectly publish, disclose, allow access to, or transfer the Confidential Information to a third party, nor shall I copy or reproduce the Confidential Information except as may be reasonably required to perform my duties for the University or as may be approved in writing by the Principal Investigator.

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Date: _____ Personnel Signature: _____

Name (Print): _____

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