

## **Ignite Competition: Terms and Conditions**

- The UConn Foundation, in its sole discretion, will select the participating projects. The Foundation reserves the right to discontinue an active fundraiser at any time for any reason, without notice, including without limitation because of a student group's eligibility status or a group's failure to comply with the UConn Foundation's policies (such as the prohibition of the use of premiums).
- To ensure compliance with University policies, all projects must be approved by an appropriate University program director, staff advisor, or faculty member.
- Students are responsible for promoting their University cause, preparing a personal thank you message to donors, and when requested, submitting status updates to the UConn Foundation. The UConn Foundation will provide all official tax receipts issued to donors.
- All participating groups are required to comply with UConn Foundation policies and procedures for the solicitation of gifts.
- All funds raised must be directed to the UConn Foundation, Inc. for deposit. All monies raised will be used for the stated intention of the UConn Foundation fund identified in the solicitation.
- Premiums are not to be used to induce gifts. Incentives and sales such as, without limitation, bake sales, t-shirt giveaways, car washes, or similar events or activities are not permissible.
- Volunteer student fundraisers are strictly prohibited from keeping any portion of the funds raised as profit or compensation.
- Volunteer student fundraisers are strictly prohibited from recording or maintaining any donor information.
- I have read and understand the rules of the Ignite competition as detailed in the Ignite Participant Manual.

***Please submit signatures of your team members noting that each participant has read and accepted the Participation Rules and Terms and Conditions.***

Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



### User Confidentiality Statement

The user acknowledges that he/she may have access to certain Confidential Information (defined below) of the UConn Foundation, Inc. ("Foundation") during the 2025 Ignite Competition and, as a condition of accessing such Confidential Information and using the Foundations' resources, hereby agrees as follows:

- (1) "Confidential Information" means all confidential and proprietary information owned by or relating to the Foundation or any of their affiliates, potential donors or donors, however disclosed, and including, without limitation: names, addresses, donation amounts, contact details, financial information, and other information relating to donors or donations; internal practices and procedures; and any other information relating to the business of the Foundation.
- (2) The Confidential Information is highly valuable and proprietary to the Foundation and shall remain the exclusive property of the Foundation. The user shall hold the Confidential Information in strict confidence and shall only use the Confidential Information for purposes that have been pre-approved by the Foundation and are consistent with Foundation's policies and procedures.
- (3) Without limiting the restrictions set forth in Section 2, (a) the user agrees not to, without the prior written consent of the Foundation, disclose, print, copy, download, place or store in a retrieval system, transfer, or make any unauthorized use of the Confidential Information; and (b) the Confidential Information shall not be used, directly or indirectly, to confer a private benefit upon one or more individuals, to participate or intervene in any political campaign, or otherwise to the detriment of the University or Foundation.
- (4) The user agrees that unauthorized use or disclosure of the Confidential Information would cause the Foundation serious or irreparable harm. Breach of this Agreement may result in (a) the restriction or denial of access to the Confidential Information and the Foundation's resources, (b) a report to the University and appropriate disciplinary action by the University, and (c) legal action against the user by the Foundation, University, and third parties.
- (5) Upon notice from the Foundation or upon completion of the pre-approved purpose for which any Confidential Information is obtained or provided, the user shall immediately destroy or deliver to the Foundation any Confidential Information and all copies thereof, whether in hard copy, computerized, or other form that he or she has in his or her possession or control.
- (6) The user agrees to take all measures necessary to safeguard use of and access to those accounts to which user is granted access by the Foundation ("Account Credentials"). The user agrees to keep confidential and not share with any third parties his or her Account Credentials and to notify the Foundation immediately if he or she believes that any unauthorized person has gained access to the Account Credentials or if the Account Credentials have otherwise been compromised.

I have read and agree to comply with all provisions as set forth above.

Name (Please Print): \_\_\_\_\_ Group Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

## **IMAGE RELEASE**

By signing this release (the "Release"), I hereby grant, assign, and transfer to The University of Connecticut Foundation, Incorporated, the University of Connecticut, the State of Connecticut, and their respective agents, representatives, licensees, successors, and assigns (collectively, the "Photographer"):

1. The absolute, irrevocable, perpetual, and unrestricted right and permission to use, reproduce, exhibit, display, modify, perform, create derivative works of, reuse, publish and re-publish any photographs, videos, and/or audio taken of me and/or that may include my name, image, likeness, voice and/or other personally identifiable information in relation to my participation in the Foundation's Ignite Competition on October 6-26, 2025 (the "Pictures") in whole or in part, individually or in conjunction with other material, in any and all media now or hereafter known, including, but not limited to, print, the Internet, social media sites, digital communications, and electronically, and for any purpose whatsoever, including but not limited to, education, research, illustration, promotion, commercial, art, editorial, fundraising, annual reports, newsletters, flyers, posters, advertising and trade materials, without restriction as to alteration, and without payment or any other consideration
2. The use of my name, image, likeness, voice, and/or other personally identifiable information associated with the Pictures in connection therewith if the Photographer so chooses; and
3. Any and all of my right, title, and interest in the foregoing.

I understand and agree that the Pictures shall be the property of the Photographer and I am not entitled to receive the Pictures or any copies of the originals thereof. I understand and agree that I will have no right to review or approve the Pictures or any finished product in which my name, image, likeness, voice, and/or other personally identifiable information appears including appears including written or electronic copy, and irrevocably waive any rights, claims, or interests I may have therein.

I hereby release, hold harmless and forever discharge the Photographer and its officers, directors, employees, agents, representatives, and affiliates from any and all claims, demands, damages, and causes of action that may arise out of, or in connection with, the use of the Pictures, including without limitation any and all claims for intellectual property infringement, physical or emotional injury or distress, defamation, or violation of any right of publicity or privacy.

This Release shall also inure to the benefit of heirs, legal representatives, agents, licensees, successors, and assigns of the Photographer, as well as the person(s) for whom the Photographer took the Pictures. I am a legally competent adult and have the right to contract in my own name. I have read this document and fully understand its contents. If the Pictures are of a minor, I am the

parent or legal guardian of the minor and do hereby give my consent to this Release on behalf of the minor. This Release shall be binding upon my heirs, executors, legal representatives, and assigns.

This Release may be electronically signed, and I agree that if this document is executed electronically, that the electronic signature appearing on this Release is the same as a handwritten signature for the purposes of validity, enforceability, and admissibility. I agree that my signature is an electronic representation of my signature for all purposes described in the Release and that I am agreeing to the terms of the Release with The University of Connecticut Foundation, Incorporated, the University of Connecticut, the State of Connecticut, and their respective agents, representatives, licensees, successors, and assigns.

Name (print): \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Minor's: \_\_\_\_\_

Parent/Legal Guardian \_\_\_\_\_

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_