Welcome to Simmons Center for the Study of Slavery & Justice! As the next step in your registration for the Summer Institute, we are providing you with the Code of Conduct governing your enrollment in the Program. Please read the Code of Conduct with care. You and your parent/guardian must agree to the Code of Conduct to finalize your registration.

**CODE OF CONDUCT**

To uphold the Principles of the Brown University Community, participants in the Brown University Pre-College Program are required to abide by the **Code Of Conduct**. These rules are applicable beginning on the participant’s program start date through to the end of their Program, including if the participant remains on the Brown campus, is participating in a Brown-sponsored trip, or at an affiliate site.

A.1. Act as good citizens by showing respect and courtesy to all members of the University community, including fellow participants, students, staff, instructors, campus neighbors, and affiliates.

A.2. Contribute to a healthy and safe community environment. Use methods of expression that are appropriate for a healthy living-learning environment. Obscene, derogatory, and abusive language is prohibited.

A.3. Respect University and other community members’ property, including equipment, furnishings, and facilities (including but not limited to, residence halls, classrooms, athletic facilities, dining halls, indoor and outdoor common areas), affiliate property and facilities, and private property.

A.4. Be truthful in personal engagements and uphold high standards of academic integrity; including producing work that is one’s own creation, and meeting intellectual challenges through honest effort and hard work.

A.5. Respect academic freedom and others’ freedom of expression and inquiry.

A.6. Abide by the University’s Statement of Nondiscrimination and Anti-Harassment Policy that prohibits any form of discrimination or harassment that is based upon a person’s race, color, religion, sex, age, national or ethnic origin, disability, veteran status, sexual orientation, gender identity, gender expression, or any other characteristic protected under applicable law as well as retaliation against individuals who report discrimination or harassment.

A.7. Abide by the University’s Sexual and Gender-based Harassment, Sexual Assault, Intimate Partner Violence, and Stalking Policy as well as the University’s Gender-based Misconduct Policy which outline prohibited conduct related to sexual and gender-based harassment, sexual assault, dating violence, and stalking.

A.8. Behave in ways that do not expose oneself or others to injury or endangerment, regardless of intent.

A.9. Not commit, or threaten to commit, acts of violence on people or property.

A.10. Not engage in any form of harassment, bribery, or bullying. Harassment is defined in the Nondiscrimination and Anti-Harassment Policy.

A.11. Abide by all applicable federal, state, and local laws.

A.12. Abide by the Code of Conduct and all applicable University policies, procedures, and rules, including, without limitation, the policies listed in this Code of Conduct and on the Pre-College website and any rules and guidelines presented by staff and instructors during the Program.
A.13. Not assist or attempt to assist another individual in violating the Code of Conduct or any other University policy, procedure, or rule.

A.14. Promptly report any suspected violations of the Code of Conduct, University policy, procedure, or rule to a Program staff member or University official.

Failure to abide by this Code of Conduct or any other applicable University policy, procedure, or rule may result in disciplinary action, which includes, without limitation, a warning, restitution, consultation with parent/guardian, or in cases of serious or repeated incidences, immediate dismissal from the Program.

PARENT/GUARDIAN AGREEMENT

Agreement executed on for the benefit of Brown University (hereinafter referred to as “Brown”).

I, the undersigned, am the parent/legal guardian of who wishes to participate in a Simmons Summer Institute taking place from July 10, 2023 through July 15, 2023. I acknowledge that I have made an informed, voluntary decision to allow the participant named above to participate in the Program, have been informed of and understand the nature of the activities in which the participant is going to engage in during their participation in the Program and assume all risks of injury and property damage related to their participation in these activities, and grant permission for the participant to participate in the Program and its related activities. I agree on behalf of the participant to abide by all applicable Brown University policies, and procedures, and rules, which include, without limitation, the Code of Conduct (listed above in this document), the Public Health policies in effect at the time of the Program, and any rules and guidelines presented by staff and instructors during the Program.

Parent/Guardian Name (print) ________________________________

Parent/Guardian Signature ___________________________________

(if applicable, on behalf of both parents/guardians)

Date ______________

PARTICIPANT (Student) AGREEMENT

Agreement executed on for the benefit of Brown University (hereinafter referred to as “Brown”).

I, wish to participate in the Simmons Summer Institute taking place from July 10, 2023 through July 14, 2023. I acknowledge that I have made an informed, voluntary decision to participate in the Program, have been informed and understand the nature of the activities in which I am going to engage in during my participation in the Program and assume all risks of injury and property damage related to my participation in these activities. I understand that although I am expected to be involved in the planned activities, I am not required to participate in any activity and acknowledge that my participation in the Program is entirely voluntary. I agree to abide by all applicable Brown University policies, and procedures, and rules, which include, without limitation, the Code of Conduct (listed above in this document), and Brown’s Public Health policies in effect at the time of the Program, and any rules and guidelines presented by staff and instructors during the Program.

Participant Name (print) ______________________________________

Participant Signature ___________________________ Date __________
Brown University and its representatives on occasion make recordings (including photographs, video, and audio) (the “Recordings”) and conduct and record interviews (of experiences, recollections, incidents, remarks, dialogue, actions, and information experiences) (the “Interviews”) of participants in the Pre-College Programs for the University’s educational, (including Pre-College marketing and communications materials in print, electronic, and social media posts as well as any other form of media) and archival purposes (the “Permitted Uses”). These Recordings may be taken in classrooms, public spaces and during programming and activities online and on and off campus. Brown University also on occasion may select participant created works, including audio and video recordings (artwork and other content (collectively, “Participant Materials”) for the Permitted Uses.

This form serves as the University’s notice of the intent to conduct Interviews and make Recordings, an authorization by you to conduct, make, and use such Interviews and Recordings of your child, and a release of the University for use of such Interviews and Recordings as authorized.

CONSENT, AUTHORIZATION, AND RELEASE.
Please select the appropriate checkboxes below:

☐ A. I hereby give permission to Brown and its representatives to make and/or conduct Interviews and Recordings of my child and to use the Interviews, Recordings and my child’s Participant Materials. I consent to the below terms in this authorization form and acknowledge that my authorization and release is binding on me, my child, heirs, executors, administrators and assigns.

I acknowledge and understand Brown University and its representatives and licensees have the right to quote or paraphrase all or any portion of an Interview, and to edit, reproduce, use, exhibit, display, broadcast, distribute and create derivative works of the Recordings in any media now known or later developed for the University’s educational and archival purposes.

I acknowledge that Brown University owns all rights to the Recordings. I waive any right to inspect or approve the use of the Recordings. I further waive any right to compensation arising from or related to the use of the Recordings, or Participant Materials.

I hereby release and forever discharge Brown University, its governing bodies, officers, agents, employees, and any students or participants acting on behalf of the University from and against any claims, damages or liability arising from or related to the use of the images, recordings or materials, including but not limited to claims of defamation, invasion of privacy, rights of publicity or copyright infringement, or any alteration of images that may occur or be produced in taking, processing, reduction or production of the finished product, its publication or distribution.

☐ B. I deny permission.

Parent/Guardian Name (print) 

Parent/Guardian Signature ______________________ Date __________

(if applicable, on behalf of both parents/guardians)