

GCAS College Dublin

Florence Seminars & Commencement 2026

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PARTICIPANT LIABILITY RELEASE, WAIVER & ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Florence Seminars & Commencement Ceremony — May 2026

1. PARTIES

This Liability Release, Waiver and Assumption of Risk Agreement (the "Agreement") is entered into between **GCAS College Dublin** ("the College"), a recognised third-level institution registered in Ireland, and the undersigned participant ("Participant") in connection with the GCAS Florence Seminars and Commencement Ceremony taking place in Florence, Italy in May 2026 (collectively, "the Event").

2. NATURE OF THE EVENT

The Event comprises academic seminars, a commencement ceremony, social activities, excursions, and related programming across various venues in Florence, Italy. Participation involves travel to and within a foreign country, attendance at indoor and outdoor venues, and engagement in activities that may carry inherent risks including but not limited to: uneven terrain, varying weather conditions, urban pedestrian environments, and participation in group activities.

3. VOLUNTARY PARTICIPATION & ASSUMPTION OF RISK

The Participant acknowledges and agrees that attendance at and participation in the Event is entirely **voluntary**. The Participant further acknowledges that they have been informed of the nature of the Event and understand that participation involves certain inherent risks.

THE PARTICIPANT EXPRESSLY ACKNOWLEDGES THAT THEY ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN THE EVENT ENTIRELY AT THEIR OWN RISK.

The Participant assumes full and sole responsibility for any injury, illness, loss, damage, cost, or expense (including medical expenses) that may arise from or in connection with their participation, including risks arising from the actions or omissions of third parties, weather, local conditions in Florence, transportation, or any other cause.

4. RELEASE & WAIVER OF LIABILITY

In consideration of being permitted to participate in the Event, the Participant, on behalf of themselves and their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, hereby irrevocably releases, waives, discharges, and covenants not to sue **GCAS College Dublin**, its directors, officers, faculty, staff, volunteers, agents, affiliates, and representatives (collectively, "Released Parties") from any and all claims, demands, losses, damages, costs, and causes of action — whether known or unknown, foreseen or unforeseen — arising out of or relating to the Participant's attendance at or participation in the Event.

This release includes, without limitation, claims arising from personal injury, illness, death, property damage or loss, accident, delay, or any other harm suffered before, during, or after the Event.

5. INDEMNIFICATION

The Participant agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Released Parties from and against any claims, liabilities, damages, costs, or expenses (including reasonable legal fees) brought by third parties arising out of or related to the Participant's conduct during the Event.

6. HEALTH & MEDICAL RESPONSIBILITY

The Participant confirms that they are in suitable health to participate in the Event and accept sole responsibility for their own medical care, health insurance, and any related costs incurred. The College strongly recommends that all participants obtain comprehensive travel and medical insurance prior to attending. The College does not provide medical insurance coverage for participants.

7. PHOTOGRAPHIC & MEDIA CONSENT

The Participant grants GCAS College Dublin a non-exclusive, royalty-free licence to use photographs, video recordings, and other media in which the Participant appears, taken during the Event, for educational, promotional, and institutional purposes. The Participant may opt out by notifying the College in writing prior to the Event.

8. GOVERNING LAW

This Agreement shall be governed by and construed in accordance with the laws of Ireland. Any dispute arising in connection with this Agreement shall be subject to the exclusive jurisdiction of the courts of Ireland.

9. SEVERABILITY

If any provision of this Agreement is found to be unenforceable, the remaining provisions shall continue in full force and effect.

10. ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

By signing below, the Participant confirms that they have read this Agreement in full, understand its contents, and agree to be bound by its terms freely and voluntarily, without duress or undue influence.

PARTICIPANT DETAILS & SIGNATURE

Full Name: _____

Programme / Degree: _____

Email Address: _____

Nationality: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____

*Please return this signed form to admissions@gcas.ie no later than 30 April 2026.
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