



Building the Future: integrating Culture, Education, and Empowerment for Sustainability Event Waiver and Release of Liability

Participant Waiver and Release of Liability

This Waiver and Release of Liability (“Waiver”) applies to all individuals participating in the Graduate Women International (GWI) 2025 General Assembly, Conference, and related events to be held in Zambia in September 2025 (the “Event”). By signing this Waiver, you acknowledge and agree to the terms stated herein.

1. Assumption of Risk

I understand and acknowledge that participation in the Event may involve inherent risks, including but not limited to travel-related incidents, health-related issues (including exposure to infectious diseases), personal injury, or disruptions due to political, environmental, or logistical circumstances. I voluntarily assume all such risks.

2. Release of Liability

To the fullest extent permitted by law, I hereby release and hold harmless Graduate Women International (GWI), its staff, representatives, volunteers, affiliates, and partners from any and all liability, claims, demands, damages, or costs that may arise from or relate to my participation in the Event, except in cases of gross negligence or willful misconduct.

3. Insurance and Medical Responsibility

I acknowledge that I am solely responsible for arranging my own travel and health insurance coverage. I also confirm that I am responsible for any medical care or expenses incurred during the Event.

4. Compliance with Laws and Regulations

I agree to comply with the laws and regulations of the Republic of Zambia, and with the rules and guidelines established by GWI and the Event venues. I understand that failure to comply may result in my removal from the Event without refund.

5. Media Release

Unless otherwise communicated in writing, I grant GWI permission to use photographs, video recordings, and audio recordings taken during the Event that include my image or voice, for promotional, documentation, and archival purposes.

6. Acknowledgment and Signature

By ticking the Registration Box, I confirm that I have read, understood, and voluntarily agree to the terms of this Waiver and Release of Liability.