MEDIA RELEASE

In consideration of your child’s participation in the program, you agree to the following:

RELEASE FOR YOUR CHILD’S LIKENESS

You understand and agree that the Smithsonian may record your child’s participation in the program. Your child may be photographed, videotaped, audiotaped or otherwise have his or her likeness and voice recorded or documented. You agree that the Smithsonian may use such images and recordings for any educational, promotional, archival, or other standard museum or non-profit purpose, worldwide, in any media now known or later developed, without compensation and without time limitations.

You also agree that the Smithsonian may, in turn, grant the same right to third parties that the Smithsonian deems appropriate, in conjunction with the Smithsonian’s activities related to the program. You acknowledge that the Smithsonian is not required to use your child’s images or recordings or to make them available to third parties.

RELEASE FOR YOUR CHILD’S WORK

You understand and agree that, during the program, your child may create art, images, costumes, photos, videos, audio recordings, writing and other forms of original or collaborative work (“work”). On behalf of you and your child, you agree that your child’s contributions during the program will be your child’s own original work and will not include personal information that you or your child want kept private.

You and your child will own the actual work he or she creates (but not any Smithsonian-owned equipment which he or she uses to create the work) and any copyright in the actual work he or she creates. You agree that the Smithsonian can use all or part of your child’s actual work, as well as images or recordings of the work, for any educational, promotional, archival, or other standard museum purpose, worldwide, in any media now known or later developed, without compensation or time limitations.

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PROGRAM CONDITIONS

Staff will take reasonable precautions to prevent harm to your child during the program; however, your child will be participating in activities and/or using materials that carry an inherent risk of injury or fatality. The risks of participation include using sharp tools such as mat knives and scissors; using equipment such as 3D printers; exposure to insect bites and participating in running and playing while having recess in the Museum’s garden.

COMPUTERS/ONLINE RESOURCES

Your child will have access to a computer and online resources during the program.

During the program, participants will use the Internet to research design disciplines and will be issued a network account to access a site where they will produce digital media they design.

On behalf of you and your child, you agree that your child will not electronically post or save personal information that you or your child want kept private. We recommend that you caution your child about posting personally identifiable information (e.g., full name, street address, telephone number). You acknowledge that program computers are monitored and participants have no expectation of privacy.

MEALS/REFRESHMENTS

Participants are expected to bring and consume meals/snacks during the program. You acknowledge that the Smithsonian cannot control what food may be brought or shared by other participants. The Smithsonian is NOT a nut-free facility and Cooper Hewitt Design Camp is NOT a nut-free program.

GENERAL WAIVER OF LIABILITY

I, on behalf of myself and my child, assume full responsibility for any risk of loss, damage, death or injury sustained or caused by my child. To the extent permitted by law, I agree to release, waive, and hold harmless the Smithsonian and its agents and employees from any and all liability for personal injury, death, damage, or loss arising from my child’s participation in the program.

SIGNATURE

I am the parent or legal guardian of ___________________________ ("my child"). I believe the information provided on this Registration form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. In consideration of my child’s participation in the program, I agree to the terms and
conditions contained in this Registration and I grant permission for my child to participate fully in the program under the terms and conditions described above.