



Examples of Consent Forms

Participant Consent Form

Project Title:

Engagement Activity:

Location:

Date:

I freely and voluntarily agree to participate in this engagement activity.

I understand that this activity may involve dialogue, storytelling, mapping, sharing of lived experiences, cultural knowledge, creative expression, spiritual perspectives, or other forms of contribution. I recognise that knowledge shared may be personal, collective, ancestral, or community-held.

I understand that the session may be audio-recorded, photographed, filmed, and/or documented through written notes. I consent to the respectful documentation and safekeeping of the contributions I choose to share.

I understand that the knowledge, insights, and materials shared may be used for research, learning, communication, reporting, publications, or other project-related purposes. Any use of shared knowledge will seek to honour its context, meaning, and cultural significance, and to avoid misrepresentation, decontextualization, or harm.

I understand that:

- My participation is voluntary, and I may withdraw at any time without consequence.
- I may choose not to answer specific questions or share particular knowledge.
- I may request that certain knowledge remain confidential, restricted, anonymised, or not be publicly shared.
- Collective, community-based, Indigenous, or traditional knowledge will be treated in accordance with relevant cultural protocols and community guidance.



- I retain any rights I hold in my original contributions.
- No financial compensation is provided unless otherwise agreed.

Where appropriate, the project team commits to ongoing dialogue and accountability regarding how knowledge is represented and shared.

I confirm that this consent has been explained to me in a language and manner I understand, that I have had the opportunity to ask questions, and that I freely give my informed consent to participate under the conditions described above.

Participant Name:

Signature (or mark, if preferred):

Date:

Communication Consent Form

SHORT VERSION

I, ("The Participant"), choose to take part in the Heritage & Climate Adaptation Workshop for [Heritage place/practice name] at [Location] on [Dates]. I participate at my own risk and release Preserving Legacies, National Geographic Society, ICOMOS, Cultural Heritage Network, [ADD Local Organizations] ("The Project Partners") from responsibility for any injury, loss, or damage.

I give The Project Partners permission to record my image and voice in any way (video, photo, audio, illustration, etc); and to use these materials, in whole or in part, for informational, educational, promotional, or other non-commercial purposes in any media (web, social, email, print, tv, radio, on-stage including at National Geographic, etc), anywhere in the world, and without payment to me. This permission cannot be undone but if I have any revision requests, I can engage The Project Partners who will make a good faith effort to address my concerns where possible.

I confirm I am 18 or older, or the parent/legal guardian of The Participant, and that I understand and agree to these terms.

Name of Participant:



Signature of Participant:

Date:

Email and/or Phone of Participant:

Address of Participant:

LONG VERSION

The Project: Heritage & Climate Adaptation Workshop for Sjøgata Preservation Area at Candomble Terreiros of Bahia on September 1st-9th.

The Project Partners: Preserving Legacies, National Geographic Society, ICOMOS, Cultural Heritage Network, Helgeland Museum

I, ("The Participant"), volunteer to participate in The Project and approve of its practices and approach.

Waiver of Liability: I understand there may be risks, and I accept all of them. I will not make any financial, legal, or other claim against The Project Partners if I am hurt, become ill, or have any other problem during or because of The Project, including travel to or from it.

Permission to Document & Use My Image & Voice: I grant The Project Partners permission to:

1. Film, photograph, audio record, illustrate, or otherwise make a reproduction of me, my likeness, and/or my voice ("The Materials");
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Confirmation: I am 18 years of age or older, or the parent/legal guardian of The Participant. I have read and understand this agreement and agree to its terms.

Name of Participant:

Signature of Participant:

Date:

Email and/or Phone of Participant:

Address of Participant:
