



Attestation Re: Exchange Visitor Permissible Contact with Human Participants and/or Animal Subjects
(Version 04 2024)

Name of Exchange Visitor Being Hosted: _____
Address Where Activities Will Occur: _____
Name of CU Boulder Supervisor: _____
Title of CU Boulder Supervisor: _____

The U.S. Department of State's BridgeUSA Exchange Visitor Program is intended to foster international exchange, understanding, knowledge, skills, and collaboration. In agreeing to host an exchange visitor (J-1 visa holder), the CU Boulder faculty sponsor assumes responsibility for ensuring that the exchange visitor successfully completes their Exchange Visitor Program goals and objectives, as well as ensuring the exchange visitor's health, safety, and welfare.

Prior to approving student placements that entail contact with human participants and/or animal subjects, CU Boulder must assess in the affirmative whether certain obligations are met.

This section to be completed by CU Boulder supervisor:

Please respond to the following questions with **concise (more than a “yes” or “no” but only 2 or 3 sentences required) and clear** responses:

Does your lab have the appropriate protocols in place to handle human participants and animal subjects?

Is physical contact between qualified academic exchange visitors and human subjects and/or animals permitted by federal, state, local, and institution-specific statutes, regulations, and/or rules? Please reference approval(s) received.

Is the physical contact between exchange visitors and human subjects and/or animals a required component of the course of study or academic objective? Please explain.

Are similarly situated U.S. students or scholars also required to participate in such physical contact between human subjects and/or animals?



Is direct supervision of the exchange visitor during the physical contact between exchange visitors and human subjects and/or animals required or reasonable under the circumstances to mitigate risks associated with such activity? If no direct supervision, explain why not.

Can you monitor the exchange visitor to ensure there is an educational and training objective to the activity and the academic appropriateness of their duties?

Signature of CU Boulder Hosting Faculty Member: _____

Name of CU Boulder Hosting Faculty Member: _____

Date: _____

This section to be completed by ISSS advisor:

Do the responses provide indicate that the proposed activities will not endanger the health, safety, and/or welfare of the exchange visitor?

Is the exchange visitor a college and university student, (including student interns and students on academic training), professor, research scholar, short term scholar, or specialist; and does the activity occur at an accredited postsecondary educational institution, research facility or other academic institution, or a medical facility/hospital affiliated with the sponsor, or a national lab overseen by the U.S. Department of Energy?

Does the placement meet all other academic Exchange Visitor Program category-specific eligibility requirements?

Signature of ISSS Advisor: _____

Name of ISSS Advisor: _____

Date: _____