Dear Participant,

We are pleased that you will be participating in the Animatronics Workshop on June 7th, 2014 hosted by Microsoft Research (the “Program”). Be aware that your participation in this program is entirely at your own risk. Portions of the event will be recorded, including video, pictures, and audio, and that you may appear in these recordings. You agree that Microsoft retains full rights to any media from the Program.

1. You assume all risks of personal injury, damage or loss of personal property.
2. Microsoft shall not be liable under any legal theory (including but not limited to contract or tort) for direct, indirect, consequential, special, incidental or punitive damages incurred in connection with participation in the Program, or otherwise arising under this Agreement.
3. Microsoft, and any party it designates, has the absolute right and permission to take, use, reuse, publish, and republish all media (including photographs, videos, animatronic shows and devices), in whole or in part, or composite or distorted in character or form, without restriction as to changes or alterations from time to time, and in any and all media now or hereafter known, including the internet, for education, art, advertising, trade, or any other purpose whatsoever.
4. This Agreement shall be construed and controlled by the laws of the State of Washington without regard to conflicts of law. You consent to exclusive jurisdiction by the state and federal courts sitting in the State of Washington. Process may be served in the manner authorized by applicable law or court rule. If either party employs attorneys to enforce this Agreement, the prevailing party shall be entitled to recover its costs, including reasonable attorneys' fees.
5. Please confirm your acceptance by signing below.

I hereby warrant that I am a legal competent adult or a parent or legally appointed guardian of the minor, and that I have every right to contract for the minor in the above regard. I state further that I have read the above agreement, prior to its execution, and that I am fully familiar with the contents of it. This release shall be binding upon the minor and me, and our respective heirs, legal representatives, and assigns.

Name of Participant_____________________________________

If under 18 years of age, Name of Legal Guardian_______________________________

Signature_____________________________________

Date_____________________________________