FERRIS STATE UNIVERSITY

AUTHORIZATION TO DISCLOSE INFORMATION
(Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act)

The Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA) of 1974, as amended, provides for the confidentiality of student education records. Institutions may not disclose information about students nor permit inspection of their records without their permission unless such action is covered by certain exceptions as stipulated in the Act.

THIS AUTHORIZATION MAY BE REVOKED AT ANY TIME.

Name of Student: ____________________________________  Student Number: _____________________________
I,  ______________________________, allow Ferris State University Administrators, Faculty and Staff to release
(name of student or parent)
my Capstone Portfolio, Project, and/or Thesis titled____________________________________________________
to Ferris State University, for the purpose of placing an electronic copy of my Capstone Portfolio, Project, and/or Thesis
on the Ferris State University website  to promote human development by disseminating research knowledge to other scholars
and the general public.

I understand further that (1) I have the right not to consent to the release of my education records; (2) I have the right to
receive a copy of such records upon request; (3) and that this consent shall remain in effect until revoked by me, in writing and
delivered to Ferris State University, but that any such revocation shall not affect disclosure previously made by Ferris State
University prior to the receipt of any such written revocation.

___________________________    _________________________________________
Date       Student's Signature

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Date       Parent's Signature if Student Under 18

Please return this form to:
College of Education and Human Services
Ferris State University
1349 Cramer Circle, BIS-611
Big Rapids, MI 49307