Colorado School of Mines Minor's Computer Use Waiver Form
For Mines Computer Account(s) and Network Access

Student & Parent/Guardian,

Directions: *Please read and fill out ALL of the appropriate portions of the following contract completely and legibly.* Return the completed form to the Mines Program Contact Person and keep the *Computer and Network Access Agreement* and *Supplemental Information* pages for your reference.

I have read the following information:

1. **Colorado School of Mines Minor's Computer Use Waiver Form (page 1 of this document).**
2. **Colorado School of Mines Computer and Network Access Agreement For Affiliated Programs.** (https://www.mines.edu/working-at-mines/forms/ **The last linked document on this page**)
3. **Supplemental Information for Parents/Guardians Regarding Colorado School of Mines Computer Account(s) and Network Access (page 2 of this document).**

I understand my responsibilities regarding use of Mines computing, networking and information resources. I understand I am responsible for any damage to equipment or property. I understand that if evidence is found that I am not fulfilling my responsibilities, my access to resources may be curtailed or terminated.

PROGRAM INFORMATION
Name of Program: CS@Mines High School Programming Competition

Mines Program Contact Person: Rob Thompson, Ph.D.

Program Start/Finish Dates: 4/20/2024 – 4/20/2024

STUDENT
Name (Please Print):

Student Signature:

Date:

PARENT/GUARDIAN
Name (Please Print):

Parent Signature:

Date:

Supplemental Information for Parents/Guardians
Regarding Colorado School of Mines
Computer Account(s) and Network Access

Computer accounts and Internet access will be made available to students for the purpose of participating in the affiliated program. Our goal in providing this service is to promote academic excellence by facilitating resource sharing, innovation and communication.

With access to computers and people all over the world, also comes the potential availability of material that may not be considered to be of educational value in the context of the academic setting. We firmly believe that the valuable information and interaction available on this worldwide network far outweigh the possibility that users may procure material that is not consistent with academic goals. At the same time parents or guardians must be aware that CSM does not provide any content filtering for Internet access. As a result students will have access to some or all of the following:

- Electronic mail communication with people all over the world;
- Websites worldwide, including "adult" themed sites;
- Public domain and shareware software of all types;
- Discussion groups and network news on many topics ranging from Chinese culture to the environment to music to politics;
- Access to Colorado Alliance of Research Libraries (CARL), many other university library catalogs, the Library of Congress and other libraries and databases.

Successful operation of the Internet and other networks relies upon the proper conduct of the users. Guidelines are provided to make students aware of the responsibilities they are about to acquire. Please help us in emphasizing to your student that they must agree to use computer, network and other resources efficiently, ethically and legally. If any of these provisions are violated, access can be terminated immediately.