

LIABILITY COMMITMENT FOR ACCESSION TO CAFe FEDERATION

For this instrument, the organization identified in this Agreement, herein referred as **PARTICIPANT** adheres to this document and accepts the responsibility for the use of services provided by Federated Academic Community, hereinafter referred as **CAFe**, aware of the “**CAFe’s Usage Policy: service providers**”, and of the “**CAFe’s Usage Policy: identity providers**”, as described below.

PARTICIPANT: [institution name], with headquarters in [address], herein represented by [full name], [position], hereinafter referred as [acronym of the institution]

This Agreement considers that:

- a) **CAFe** is composed by a set of institutions that establishes a reliable network over an authentication infrastructure and multidomain authorization, which simplifies the access to federated services offered;
- b) RNP has as attribution the management of processes of availability, reliability and continuous improvement of **CAFe’s** service, in addition to support the approval aiming at the accession of new Identity and Service Providers in **CAFe**, as well as support for updates and continuous improvement;
- c) **RNP** and the **PARTICIPANT** have a common interest in maintaining and developing **CAFe** in order to simplify the process of authentication and authorization among participating institutions;
- d) The **PARTICIPANT** has an interest in joining **CAFe** as [Identity or Service] Provider for the benefit of the community of education, research and culture.

For this purpose, the **PARTICIPANT** states and is committed to the following:

1 – PURPOSE

1.1 - This Agreement aims to establish the participation guidelines to be conducted with mutual support, in **CAFe**;

1.2 – It is an integral part of this Agreement, as if it was written, the “**CAFe’s Usage Policy: service providers**”, and the “**CAFe’s Usage Policy: identity providers**” attached.

2 – DURATION, AMENDMENT AND TERMINATION

2.1 – The present Agreement will be valid for 12 (twelve) months from the date of its signing, with automatic renewal for a maximum period of sixty (60) months.

2.2 .- In the event of changing conditions of participation in **CAFe**, the **PARTICIPANT** shall have 30 (thirty) days to opt for new membership.

2.3 – In the event of interest from the **PARTICIPANT** in finalizing its participation, it should manifest itself through explicit notification, with a minimum prior notice of 60 (sixty) days.

3 – PARTICIPANT’S RESPONSIBILITIES

- a) Maintain a system of identity management, updating the documentation along with the RNP’s Services Management for each renewal of this Agreement, or whenever requested by the RNP;
- b) Accept the terms and conditions of eligibility for participation in **CAFe**, of terms with the use policy terms attached;
- c) Authenticate and provide information from its users to authorized service providers;
- d) Follow all determinations and administrative and operational procedures determined by **RNP’s** Services Management;
- e) Disclosure and ensure awareness and compliance of the “**CAFe’s Usage Policy: service providers**” and “**CAFe’s Usage Policy: identity providers**” as well as and this **Agreement**, along with its registered users;
- f) Give detailed information (full name, position, address, e-mail, telephones) of the representative, as well as the surrogate, to be the point of contact with the RNP’s Services Management, updating such information whenever necessary or requested by the **RNP**.

4 – GENERAL PROVISIONS

4.1 - The availability and reliability of services offered in the **Federation** are the sole responsibility of the respective institutions that provide them, as well as specific policies and agreements signed between the participating institutions of **CAFe**, commercial or not, are outside its scope of treatment, being **RNP**, therefore, free to answer questions related to these aspects.

4.2 - Any disagreements between **CAFe** participating institutions shall be resolved between them, through their representatives or surrogates.

4.3 - The institutions participating in CAFe are aware that being part of it does not mean a guarantee of access to all services offered by the respective Service Providers, regardless of origin.

4.4 - The **PARTICIPANT** agrees to have its brand and name disclosed as part of CAFe in various types of media and presentations.

4.5 – The **PARTICIPANT**, by virtue of the access which may have to **RNP's** privileged and/or confidential information, undertakes not to permit access to confidential information to third parties not accredited by **RNP** or duly authorized by it.

4.6 - The **Participant** shall ensure that there is no misuse and unmistakable use of the brand, name, property or **CAFe's** purpose in brochures or other means of institutional promotion.

4.7 - The institutions participating in **CAFe** are aware of the need to use their best efforts so that there is not any kind of conflict, given that, in this case, it will be forwarded to **RNP**.

And by being aware and in full agreement, the participants signed the present Agreement, through their procurator, pledging to insure compliance.

Brasília, .

[Institution name]

[redacted]
<procurator's name>

Rector/President of [acronym of the institution]