Extended Discovery Student Agreement  
Class of 2017

As a medical student in the Discovery program, I agree to do the following:

1. Attend the two Discovery Phase Orientation Sessions, October 6 and October 20, 2015 from 5-7 pm. Attend the SoCRATES, Part I, November 3, 2015 from 5-7pm.

2. Select a qualified Mentor for the Discovery research project by the deadline of December 15, 2015.

3. Submit my 2-page Discovery research proposal following the Discovery guidelines by the required due date (see Class of 2017 Timeline and individual Discovery Checklist for deadlines). Your mentor should provide guidance and feedback to you as you write the proposal. Have your mentor review the final proposal and sign the approval form prior to its submission.

4. Communicate with my mentor to ensure they understand the need for IRB approval by 1 week in advance of my Discovery start date.

5. Complete online CITI training (or equivalent as required by institution if working at site other than Emory) by 1 week before my Discovery start date and upload documentation to the Discovery web site.

6. Complete the 3 half-day, required SoCRATES, Part II course, May 11-13, 2016. If you will be out of town for your Discovery project (not for vacation!) or on an elective and unable to attend, we can arrange for you to take the course and exam online. Please contact Sherice Henry, Course Coordinator for information.

7. **Work full time** (at least 40 hr/week) on the research project. Students may spend up to one half day per week in the clinic on non-Discovery related work to maintain clinical skills if they wish. Maintain regular contact with my Discovery mentor (**meet at least once per week**) throughout the research year.

8. Submit my final Discovery paper following the required guidelines by January 17, 2017. Prior to submission, the paper must be reviewed by your mentor and you should incorporate any feedback that they provide you.

9. Deliver an oral or poster presentation at Medical Student Research Day (April 20, 2017). Speakers will be informed by mid-March to allow for preparation time. In the past we have been able to provide poster printing at cost. We hope to do this again and details will be provided closer to Research Day.
10. Complete the brief mid-Discovery evaluation through OASIS. Complete the final Discovery evaluations (using the forms provided through OASIS) and provide information on outcomes of your project (publications and presentations) and feedback for program improvement.

11. Facilitate timely communication with program leadership (Dr. Powers) regarding any challenges or other issues that arise in planning for or during my Discovery research experience. If you have complex issues, please schedule a meeting with Dr. Powers.

Name of student: ____________________________________________________________

Student’s Signature: ___________________________ Date: ______________________
(Signature may be electronic)

Please submit to Sherice Allen Henry (sahenry@emory.edu). Thank you!