

The Beauty of Aging Photo Project



Photo Subject Information Sheet

The Southern Gerontological Society (SGS) believes there is too much focus on negative stereotypes and perceptions of older adults and aging. SGS wishes to spotlight the beauty of aging by inviting students to submit photos of the older adult(s) in their lives that represent the beauty of aging.

You are receiving this information sheet because a student wants to use your photo in this project! If you do not want your photo to be used, please let the student know not to submit your photo. If you are unsure if your photo is being used, you can contact Amanda James at 866-920-4660 or admin@southerngerontologicalsociety.org.

How will the photos be used?

SGS will display the photos on our website and at the 2023 SGS Annual Meeting & Conference. We may also share the photos though our social media outlets when discussing the project.

Additionally, the photos will be used in the creation of a printed product (e.g., calendar, poster, postcard, etc.) which will be sold as a fundraiser for the SGS Endowment Campaign. Funds raised are used to provide small grants to organizations within the SGS region for work that improved the lives of older adults.

What happens if I change my mind?

If you change your mind and do not want your photo used, please contact Amanda James at 866-920-4660 or admin@southerngerontologicalsociety.org. In order to keep your photo out of the printed product used for the fundraiser, we will need to hear from you by February 28, 2023. If we hear from you after that date, we will refrain from using your photo for any future use, but it will be used in any items already printed.