

# Ethical Code of the EMBS Consortium

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In furtherance of promoting European Master in Business Studies (EMBS) reputation for excellence and integrity, the Management Board has agreed on this Ethical Code. We expect every person involved in the EMBS – students, faculty member, administrative staff and advisory board member – to adhere.

1. Every member of the EMBS shall always conduct her or his activities in accordance with the professional scientific ethical standards.
2. The ethical codes and standards of the four participating universities have to be respected at any circumstances.
3. All individuals involved in the EMBS shall always decide and act in line with the national and European laws as well as all rules of the university. It is an obligation to inform herself/himself and to become familiar with the relevant laws and rules.
4. Any concerns of violating laws, rules, or ethical standards shall be reported to the Management Committee promptly.
5. The Head of the Management Committee will notify all involved individuals and the Management Committee about all measures taken.
6. Every person involved in the EMBS is expected to faithfully carry out her or his professional duties supporting the aims and goals of the EMBS.
7. Activities such as plagiarism, misrepresentation, and falsification of data are expressly prohibited.
8. The EMBS consortium does not accept any types of discrimination, e.g., by means of gender, race, religion or political orientation.
9. Every person involved in the EMBS is expected to respect the right and dignity of others.

The Management Committee promises that there will be no adverse action, retribution, or other reprisal for the good faith reporting of a suspected violation of this code. This code is not a legal contract and will be clarified or updated by the Management Committee if necessary.

Enforced by the EMBS Management Committee  
Trento, September 2017