

Code of Ethics

Adopted by EMGS on October 20, 2022

The Environmental Mutagenesis and Genomics Society is dedicated to understanding and mitigating the impacts of environmental exposures on the genome to protect human health through diverse and inclusive leadership in research, professional development, and collaboration. To attain this objective, each member is asked to maintain high ethical standards, recognizing a duty to share this knowledge with the public, and be a thoughtful advocate for environmental health. As a member society, we embrace an Inclusive, Diverse, and Equitable membership and leadership demographic through Access and Accountability (IDEAA). We treat all members with respect, and avoid conflicts of interests, and adhere to conduct that is civil and professional, reflecting respect for all individuals irrespective of age, culture, ability, race, ethnicity, nationality, gender identity and expression, sexual orientation, marital status, religious affiliation or socioeconomic status.

EMGS embraces the policies of the US National Institutes of Health and Health Canada as model policies.

Concerns regarding ethics violations should be communicated in writing to EMGS Headquarters. All such communication will be confidential and responded to within two weeks of receipt. All ethical violations will be taken seriously and addressed by management and/or legal representation. Serious or persistent violations will/may result in revoking of society membership and participation.

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Please mark all correspondence as sensitive and confidential. All phone conversations should be followed up with writing. In absence of the executive director, please contact the society president.