CODE OF PROFESSIONAL ETHICS

AMERICAN INSTITUTE OF CHEMICAL ENGINEERS

Fundamental Principles

Engineers shall uphold and advance the integrity, honor and dignity of the engineering profession by

- 1. using their knowledge and skill for the enhancement of human welfare
- 2. being honest and impartial and serving with fidelity the public, their employers, and clients
- 3. striving to increase the competence and prestige of the engineering profession

Fundamental Canons

- 1. Engineers shall hold paramount the safety, health, and welfare of the public in the performance of their professional duties.
- 2. Engineers shall perform services only in areas of their competence.
- 3. Engineers shall issue public statements only in an objective and truthful manner.
- 4. Engineers shall act in professional matters for each employer or client as faithful agents or trustees, and shall avoid conflicts of interest.
- 5. Engineers shall build their professional reputations on the merits of their services.
- 6. Engineers shall act in such a manner as to uphold and enhance the honor, integrity, and dignity of the engineering profession.
- Engineers shall continue their professional development throughout their careers and shall provide opportunities for the professional development of those engineers under their supervision.