



Ethical code for Students

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- ☐ I pledge loyalty to the Constitution of the Republic of South Africa and undertake to respect its laws and to maintain and develop its legal system.
- ☐ I shall observe all the rules and regulations of the University of the Free State and the Faculty of Law.
- ☐ I shall maintain high moral and ethical standards.
- ☐ I shall strive towards ensuring that my actions are always in the interest of the public and directed towards improving the good name of the University and the Faculty.
- ☐ I shall uphold the dignity, traditions and culture of the legal profession.
- ☐ My behaviour shall be such that at all times I may be regarded as a person fit and suitable to be admitted as a legal practitioner.
- ☐ As a prospective jurist, I shall display impeccable honesty at all times.
- ☐ I shall maintain a high standard of integrity.
- ☐ I shall act objectively, fairly, and without bias.
- ☐ I shall employ my working potential to the full.
- ☐ I bind myself to the code of conduct of the University and the Faculty, and to any disciplinary measures should I fail to comply with my commitment to this code.

If a student fails to comply with the above-mentioned code, it could result in suspension of all legal studies at the University of the Free State or in that a certificate of good conduct, required for admission to all legal professions, be refused.