Principles for Ethical Conduct in Research and Publishing

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In this seminar the ethical principles that underlie research and publishing in our profession are presented and discussed. The basic principles of the Golden Rule (Do unto others as you would have them do unto you) and “Do not Steal” are utilized to demonstrate that our professional ethics are in fact based on principles that are ubiquitous and find their origins in our very nature (Natural Law). These principles are applied to cases such as cheating, plagiarism, and other related ethical lapses in research and publishing. Some actual bad examples of professional conduct will be presented and discussed.

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