

Responsible Conduct of Research - Student

Purpose

The purpose of this policy is to clarify Responsible Conduct of Research for student researchers at Mayville State University (MSU).

Students as researchers and their research projects have potential value as published literature and that could advance a field of knowledge. All student research projects have scholastic value to the student researcher(s) and MSU supports such research. Student Research at MSU follows two distinct routes: faculty research using students as research assistants, and/or students as researchers (includes in classroom and/or independent study projects). The purpose of this policy is to define the responsibilities of MSU affiliated individuals (e.g., faculty, principal investigators) who are overseeing and/or conducting classroom activities that would be considered research.

Policy

MSU students engaged research are required to be educated/trained on the institutions Responsible Conduct of Research policies and procedures. Faculty/Principal Investigator's/Project Director's must ensure and document students engaged in research have been instructed in data management, conflict of Interest, human and/or animal subjects, research misconduct, publication practices and responsible authorship, mentor/trainee responsibilities, disputes, Student and Faculty/Principal Investigator/Project Director agreements, and lab safety (as relevant to said research)

Reference(s)/Related Policies & Procedures

Protection of Human Subjects, Title 45 Code of Federal Regulations, Part 46, SubPart A
Office of Research Integrity (ORI) US Dept. HHS
National Commission for the Protection of Human Subjects of Biomedical and Behavioral Research. The Belmont Report: Ethical Principles and Guidelines for the Protection of Human Subjects of Research, Washington DC: HHS 1079.

M18308	Code of Conduct – Research/Grants
M18308.1	Responsible Conduct of Research - Student
MP18308.2a	Responsible Conduct of Research - Student
MP18308.2b	Lab Safety Procedures (Pending)
M18308.3a	Human/Animal Subjects Internal Review Board (IRB)
M18308.4a	Integrity in Research and Research Misconduct
M18308.5	Data Management (Pending)
M18611	Conflict of Interest – Research/Grants

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