

Principles of Responsible Research Conduct

The **Australian Code for the Responsible Conduct of Research** sets out the principles that are the hallmark for responsible research conduct. All research should be conducted according to these eight principles.

Honesty

Honesty in the development, undertaking and reporting of research.

Rigour

Rigour in the development, undertaking and reporting of research.

Transparency

Transparency in declaring interests and reporting research methodology, data and findings.

Fairness

Fairness in the treatment of others.

Respect

Respect for research participants, the wider community, animals and the environment.

Recognition

Recognition of the right of Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander peoples to be engaged in research that affects or is of particular significance to them.

Accountability

Accountability for the development, undertaking and reporting of research.

Promotion

Promotion of responsible research practices.