GRAD 8200

Principles of Responsible Conduct of Research and Scientific Integrity

Auburn University Office of Research Compliance and Graduate School

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Open to All Graduate Students

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Responsible conduct of research (RCR) is foundational in the scientific enterprise, offering a framework for progress and appropriate designation of credit. This course is designed to offer an introduction to the policy and ethical basis for research integrity. Students will learn about past failures that have shaped the current regulatory environment, understand the current expectations for researchers, and explore ethical dilemmas in the research space. This course will feature a blended approach, drawing on both asynchronous online instruction and synchronous, in-person course meetings.

Topics will include the ten core areas of responsible conduct of research as articulated by the federal Office of Research Integrity.