



[Fig. 1]

The acquisition and display of a section of the soon-to-be demolished Robin Hood Gardens in Poplar by the V&A has raised ethical questions. Source: Edward Denison, 2017.



Rules of Conduct for Firms
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Royal Institute of British Architects

Code of Professional Conduct



APM Code of Professional Conduct

CODE OF ETHICS
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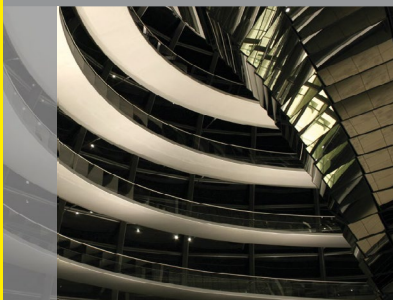


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The Institution of Structural Engineers

Code of Conduct and Guidance Notes



STATEMENT OF ETHICAL PRINCIPLES
for the Engineering Profession

Engineering Council

ROYAL ACADEMY OF ENGINEERING

www.engc.org.uk/professional-ethics

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CHARTERED BUILDING CONSULTANCY SCHEME
CODE OF PROFESSIONAL CONDUCT AND RULES



The Architects Code: Standards of Professional Conduct and Practice



Architects Registration Board

CIOB Chartered Building Consultancy

Professionalism and Integrity in Construction



Code of Professional Conduct and Rules

Landscape Institute

THE LANDSCAPE INSTITUTE CODE OF STANDARDS OF CONDUCT AND PRACTICE FOR LANDSCAPE PROFESSIONALS

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Code of Conduct, Guidance and Disciplinary Procedure

IHBC CODE OF CONDUCT

The object of this Code is to promote those standards of conduct and self-discipline required of a member of the Institute of Historic Building Conservation in the interests of the public and the protection of the built heritage.

The main object of the Institute of Historic Building Conservation is the promotion, for the benefit of the public, of the conservation of, and education and training in, the conservation and preservation of buildings, structures, areas, gardens and landscapes which are of architectural and historical interest and/or value in the United Kingdom. This built heritage of the United Kingdom, which is part of society's common heritage and which should be available to everyone, is, however, a limited and irreplaceable resource. It is therefore the duty of all members of the Institute of Historic Building Conservation to act for and to promote the protection of this built heritage.

Subscription to this Code of Conduct for individuals involved in the conservation and preservation of the built heritage assumes acceptance of these responsibilities. Those who subscribe to it and carry out its provisions will thereby be identified as persons professing specific standards of competence, responsibility and ethical behavior in the pursuit of historic building conservation work.

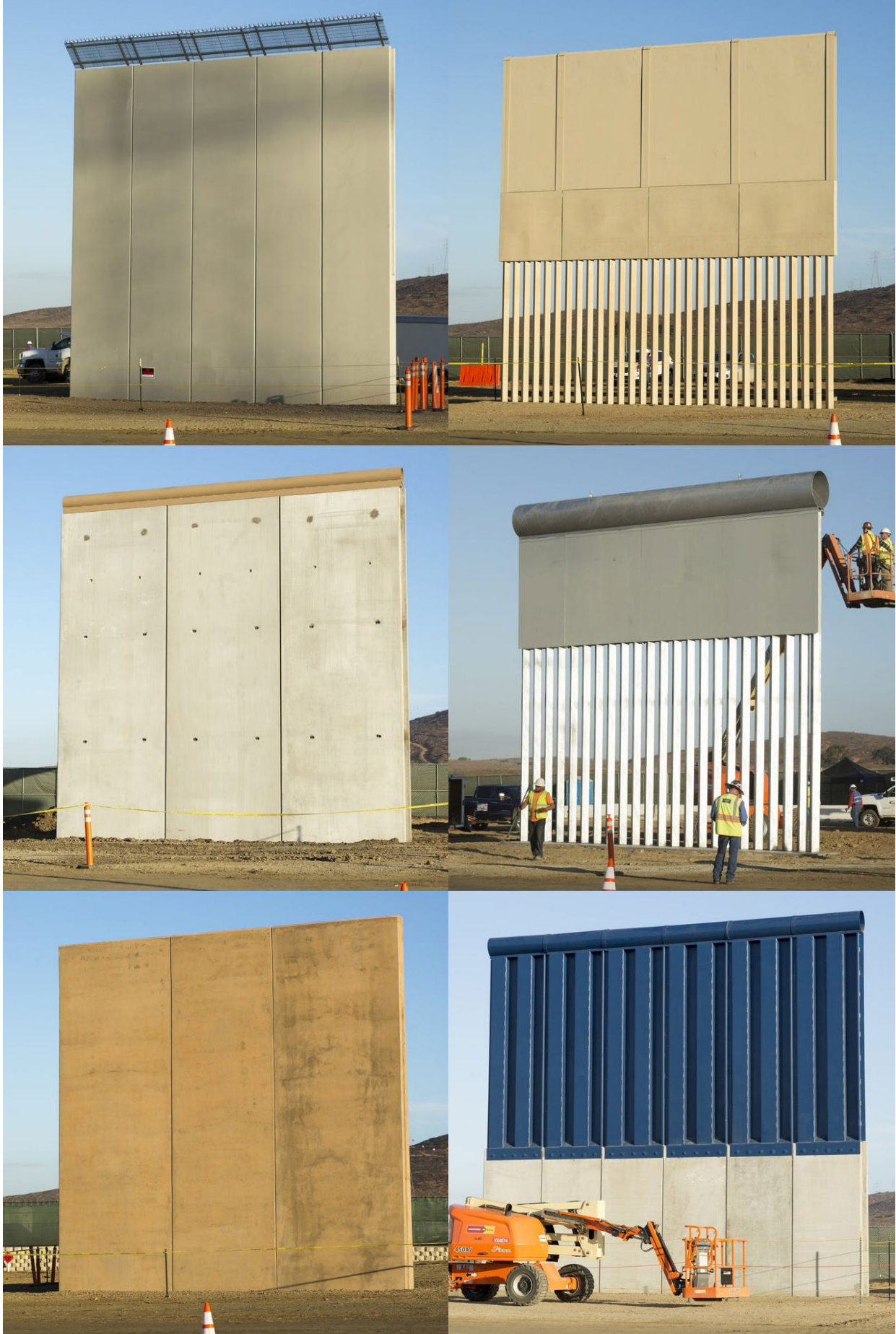
This Code therefore indicates the general standard of conduct to which members of the Institute are expected to adhere, failing which its governing body may judge them guilty of conduct unbecoming to a member of the Institute and may reprimand, suspend or expel them. It is established under the terms of Article 7.3 of the Articles of Association of the Institute of Historic Building Conservation and all members and affiliates shall subscribe to it. To this end the Council has agreed the following clauses giving more detail of the requirements of the Code, which requirements shall apply notwithstanding any permission or agreement to the contrary by or with any body or client employing or consulting any member.

1. Those engaged in the conservation of historic buildings, areas and landscapes will adhere to the highest standards of ethical and responsible behaviour in the conduct of the conservation of such buildings and sites.
2. Members shall conduct themselves in a manner which will not bring the conservation of the built heritage or the Institute into disrepute.
3. Members shall not discriminate on the grounds of race, sex, creed, religion, disability or age in their professional activities and shall seek to eliminate such discrimination by others and to promote equality of opportunity.
4. Members shall present historic buildings, areas and landscapes and the conservation and preservation thereof, in a responsible manner and shall avoid and discourage exaggerated, misleading or unwarranted statements about conservation matters.
5. Members shall not offer advice, make a public statement or give legal testimony involving the conservation of the built heritage, without being as thoroughly informed on the matters concerned as might reasonably be expected.
6. Members shall take all reasonable steps to maintain their professional competence throughout their working lives and shall comply with the Institute's continuing professional development regulations; as employers and managers, members shall take all reasonable steps to encourage and support other members in maintenance of professional competence and in compliance with the Institute's continuing professional development regulations.

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[Fig. 2]

A selection of Codes of Conduct from built environment professional bodies in the UK.



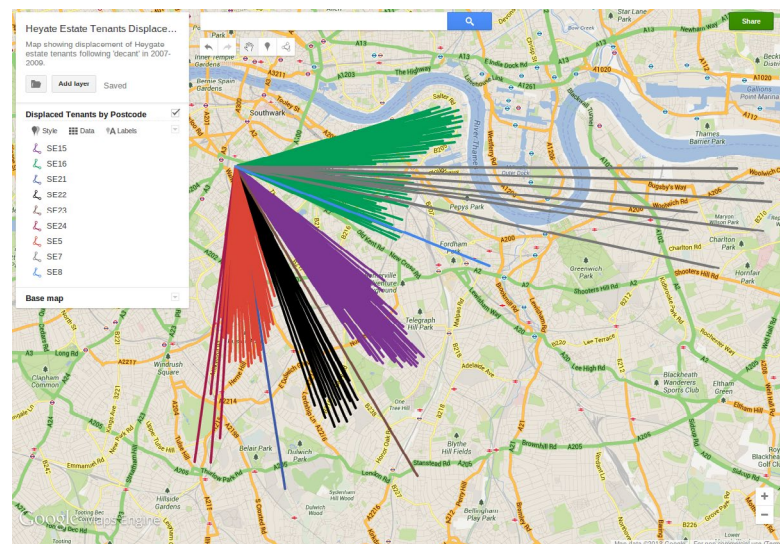
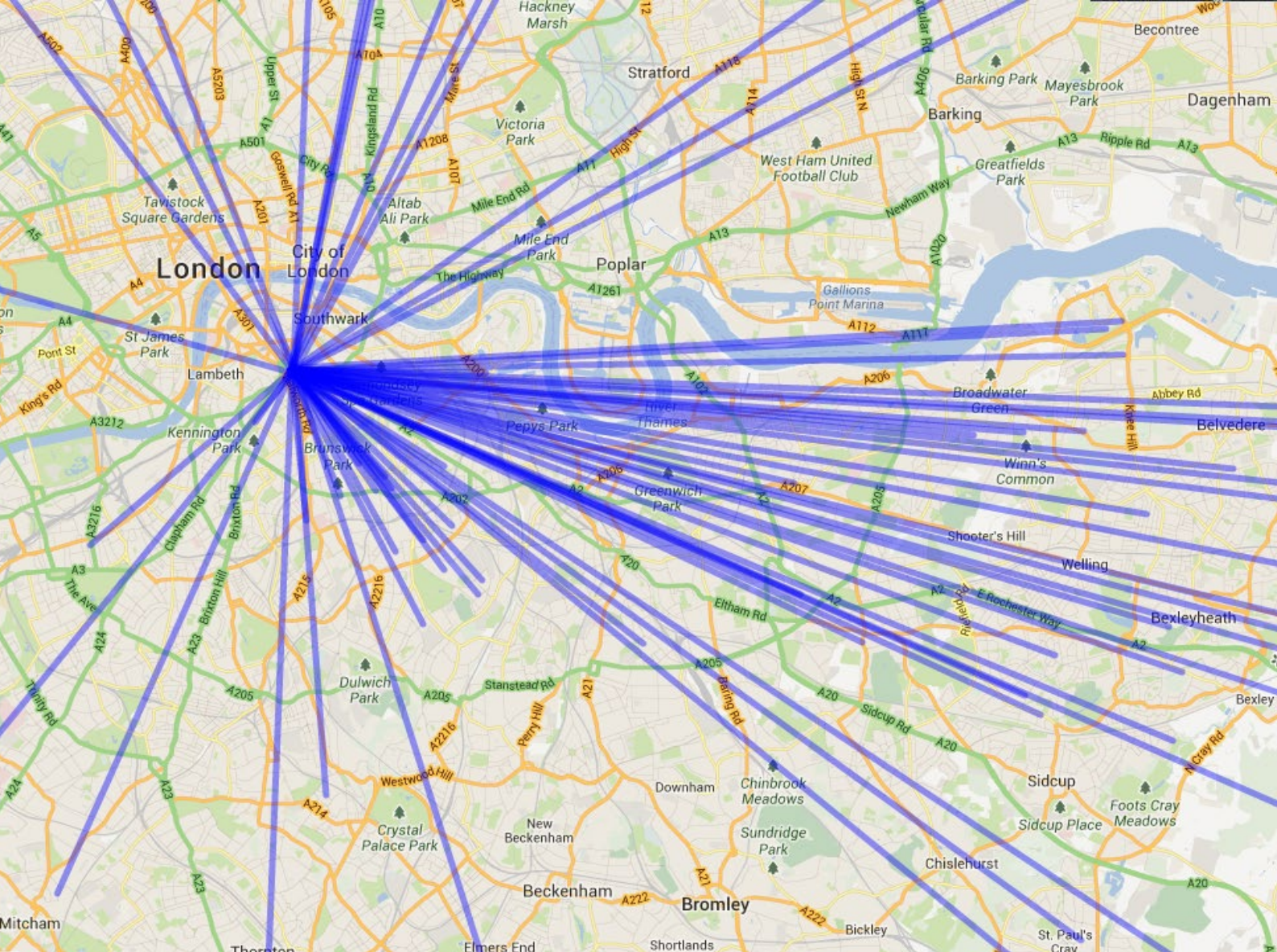
[Fig. 3]

Over the last year, architects in the US have debated the ethics of Donald Trump's border wall. Source: U.S. Customs and Border Protection, 2017.



[Fig. 4]

Before her untimely death, Zaha Hadid was interviewed by Radio 4 and interrogated over the working conditions of construction workers in the Middle East, in particular Qatar leading up to the construction of facilities for the World Cup in 2022. She rightly defended a lack of any deaths in her projects, but it spurred a wide discussion over the hundreds of migrants from Nepal, India and other countries working on other construction projects that die every year. Source: Middle East Monitor, 2017.



[Figs. 5&6]


Maps of displaced leaseholders and tenants from the Heygate Estate, built in 1974 and home to 1,260 households in spacious but chronically under-maintained flats and maisonettes. From 2011-14 it was demolished as part of an estate regeneration scheme with 1,034 homes on social rent replaced by 2,704 new homes only 82 of which were allocated for social rent, with a further 198 as affordable rent and 316 as shared ownership homes. Source: Southwark Notes and Archives Group, 2013.

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What is the architect's role in the housing 'crisis'?



The Rotunda Community Hall
Cressingham Gardens Estate
Tulse Hill, London SW2 2NJ

Wednesday 28th June
19.00–21.00

Free event, all welcome

With

Architects for Social Housing
Concrete Action
Paul Karakusevic Karakusevic Carson Architects
Paul Watt Birkbeck, University of London
Save Cressingham
More participants TBC

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Architectural Workers – an independent network of people who work in and around the building industry, specialising in urban regeneration. We exist to expose and critique the conditions of our work, alongside the role it plays in gentrification, social cleansing and environmental discrimination.

Talks hosted by the architectural establishment are designed to focus the blame of the “housing crisis” on developers, planners, politicians and the construction industry. We are taught that as designers, we are problem solvers, and thus the “housing crisis” is one of quantity and material production. As a profession we see ourselves as obedient service providers for our clients, ‘making the best of a bad situation’. It’s time to re-think the role of the architect.

This debate will re-position the architect as an active, politicised contributor to this ‘crisis’. We will re-link the experiences of the people directly affected by our work to the drivers of design.

Representatives of London’s leading regeneration practices will debate alongside Concrete Action, Architects for Social Housing and representatives from Cressingham Gardens, a council estate in Lambeth currently under threat of demolition.

We will explore the motivations and challenges of our work, as well as how we contribute to a collective vision of a rapidly-changing London. This will be an open discussion where all people, panel speakers and audience have an equal say.

[Fig. 7]

What is the architect's role in the housing 'crisis'? debate poster.

Source: Evening Class, 2017.

RIBA Ethics and Sustainable Development Commission

The RIBA has established a new Commission on Ethics and Sustainable Development, as approved by RIBA Council.

In its first year, the commission will consider how the architectural profession can best reflect its core values of public interest, social purpose and sustainability, including its engagement with the UN's Sustainable Development goals.



[Fig. 8]

The newly-formed RIBA Ethics and Sustainable Development Commission has set in motion meetings to consider how the architecture profession can best reflect its core values of public interest, social purpose and sustainability. Source: RIBA, 2018.

Type	Organisation	Code of conduct / ethics	Guidance documents				
Architecture	American Institute of Architects	Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct	X				
	Architects Registration Board	The Architects Code: Standards of Professional Conduct and Practice	X				
	Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists	Code of Conduct	X				
	International Union of Architects	UIA Accord on Recommended International Standards of Professionalism	Charter for Architectural Education				
	Royal Australian Institute of Architects	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	Royal Institute of British Architects	Code of Professional Conduct	Code of Professional Conduct Guidance Notes	Professionalism and Ethics CPD Resources			
Royal Institution of Naval Architects	Code of Professional Conduct	X					
Construction	Chartered Building Consultancy	Code of Professional Conduct and Rules	X				
	Chartered Institute of Building	Rules and Regulations of Professional Competence and Conduct	Construction Ethics and Compliance Online Course				
	Chartered Institute of Housing	Code of Conduct	Code of Ethics				
	Construction Industry Council	Code of Conduct for Approved Inspectors	X				
	International Ethics Standards	An Ethical Framework for the Global Property Market	Q&A				
Design	British Institute of Interior Design	Code of Conduct and Professional Ethics	X				
	Chartered Society of Designers	Code of Conduct	X				
Energy and Environment	Chartered Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management	Code of Professional Conduct	Professionalism and Environmental Ethics Masterclass				
	Chartered Institute of Environmental Health	Code of Ethics and Professional Standards	X				
	Chartered Institute of Water and Environmental Management	Professional Ethics and Code of Conduct	Professional Ethics Workshop				
	Energy Institute	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	Institute of Chartered Foresters	ICF Code of Conduct	X				
	Geological Society	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institute of Materials, Minerals and Mining	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institute of Water	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institution of Environmental Sciences	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	Landscape Institute	Code of Standards of Conduct and Practice for Landscape Professionals	X				
Royal Geographical Society	Fellows Code of Conduct	X					
Engineering	Association of Building Engineers	Code of Professional Conduct	Online Seminar Video: Professional Ethics & Standards				
	Association of Consulting Engineers	ACE Code of Business Practice	X				
	Chartered Institute of Plumbing and Heating Engineering	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	Chartered Institution of Building Services Engineers	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institute of Highway Engineers	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institution of Civil Engineers	ICE Code of Professional Conduct	Interactive Toolkit				
	Institution of Engineering and Technology	Rules of Conduct	Interactive Case Studies	Resources on Ethics and Professionalism	Ethics for Engineers Course		
	Institution of Engineering Designers	Code and Rules of Professional Conduct	Ethics and the Designer: an IED workshop				
	Institution of Fire Engineers	IFE Code of Conduct	X				
	Institution of Healthcare Engineering & Estate Management	IHEEM Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	Institution of Mechanical Engineers	Code of Conduct and Disciplinary Regulations	X				
	Institution of Structural Engineers	Code of Conduct and Guidance Notes	Example Ethical Scenarios	Reading List			
	Royal Academy of Engineering	Statement of Ethical Principles for the Engineering Profession	Engineering Ethics in Practice	Engineering Ethics and the Academy	Engineering in Society	Ethics and Emerging Technologies	Philosophy of Engineering
	Society of Environmental Engineers	Code of Conduct	X				
Society of Operations Engineers	Code of Professional Conduct	X					
Heritage	Chartered Institute for Archaeologists	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institute of Historic Building Conservation	Code of Conduct	Understanding Conservation Course				
	Institute of Conservation	Code of Conduct	Ethics Resources				
	International Council on Monuments and Sites	ICOMOS Ethical Principles	Ethical Commitment Statement for ICOMOS Members				
Planning	American Institute of Certified Planners	AICP Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct	Ethical Principles in Planning	Ethics in Planning Toolkit	Ethics Case of the Year	Annual Ethics Reports	The Ethical Planning Practitioner Guidebook
	Royal Town Planning Institute	Code of Professional Conduct	RTPI Practice Advice: Ethics and Professional Standards	Ethics, Negotiation and Mediation Seminar Report			
	NOVUS, Planning Officers Society	X	A Manifesto from the Coalface of Public Planning				
Project Management	Association for Project Management	APM Code of Professional Conduct	Ethics in Project Management	The Importance of Ethics in Professional Life			
	Association for Project Safety	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	British Institute of Facilities Management	Code of Professional Conduct	Facilities Management Diagram	Guidance to Ethical Procurement and Supply			
	Chartered Institute of Arbitrators	Code of Professional and Ethical Conduct for Members	X				
	Chartered Institute of Purchasing and Supply	CIPS Code of Conduct	Ethical and Sustainable Procurement	Ethical Procurement Online Seminar			
	Chartered Institution of Civil Engineering Surveyors	Rules of Professional Conduct	X				
	Independent Surveyors and Valuers Association	X	X				
	Institute of Residential Property Management	The Code	X				
	Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors	Ethics and Professional Standards	Ethical Case Studies	Interactive Ethics Walkthrough	Ethics Decision Tree	Frequently Asked Questions	Ethical Standards Video
	Institution of Occupational Safety and Health	Code of Conduct, Guidance and Disciplinary Procedure	X				
Transport	Chartered Institution of Highways and Transportation	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
	Institution of Highways & Transportation	Code of Professional Conduct	X				
Other	Association of Interior Specialists	X	X				
	Building Rights	X	Building Rights				
	Convention on the Use of Space	X	Convention				
	Institute of Acoustics	Code of Conduct	X				
	Institution of Lighting Professionals	Code of Professional Conduct	Guidance Notes				
	Open Charter Agency	X	Open Charter				
	Society of Professional Journalists	Code of Ethics	Ethics Committee Position Papers	Ethics Committee Blog	Ethics Case Studies	Journalism Ethics Casebook	Ethics Hotline