

Meeting Code of Conduct

The organizers are committed to making this meeting productive and enjoyable for everyone, regardless of gender, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body size, race, nationality or religion. We will not tolerate harassment of participants in any form.

Please follow these guidelines:

1 Behave professionally and positively. Harassment and sexual, sexist, racist, or exclusionary comments or jokes are not appropriate. Harassment includes sustained disruption of talks or other events, inappropriate physical contact, sexual attention or innuendo, deliberate intimidation, stalking, and photography or recording of an individual without consent. It also includes offensive comments related to gender, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body size, race or religion.

2 All communication should be appropriate for a professional audience including people of many different backgrounds.

3 Be kind to others. Do not insult or put down other attendees.

Participants asked to stop any inappropriate behaviour are expected to comply immediately. Attendees violating these rules may be asked to leave the meeting at the sole discretion of the organizers. Any participant who wishes to report a violation of this policy is asked to speak, in confidence, to Points of Contact Dr Natalia Porqueres (n.porqueres@imperial.ac.uk), Dr Boris Leistedt (b.leistedt@imperial.ac.uk) or Director of School Prof Alan Heavens (a.heavens@imperial.ac.uk).

4 For online meetings, it is not allowed to record any sessions, nor to take screen captures without expressed permission of those involved. No images may be posted to social media etc. without expressed permission of those involved.

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