Aspirational Ethics Checklist

This checklist gives you a high-level summary of the Project Management Institute's aspirational ethics. Full details can be found in the Code of Ethics and Professional Conduct, which can be downloaded at [Project Management Institute's Code of Ethics.](#)

- Responsibility
  - We make decisions and take actions based on the best interests of society, public safety, and the environment.
  - We only accept assignments consistent with our skills and experience.
  - We do what we say we will do.
  - We take ownership of and correct any error or omissions we make.
  - We protect confidential or proprietary information.
  - We hold each other accountable to this code of ethics.

- Respect
  - We inform ourselves about the norms and customs of others and behave accordingly.
  - We listen to other's points of view.
  - We directly approach others with whom we have a conflict.
  - We behave as professionals.

- Fairness
  - We demonstrate transparency in decision-making.
  - We consistently reexamine our impartiality and objectivity.
  - We provide equal access to information for all who are entitled to it.
  - We make opportunities equally available to qualified candidates.

- Honesty
  - We seek to understand the truth.
  - We are truthful in our communication and conduct.
  - We provide accurate information in a timely manner.
  - We make commitments in good faith.
  - We create an environment where others feel safe to tell the truth.