



MICHIGAN SPACE GRANT CONSORTIUM

Michigan Space Grant Consortium Meeting Code of Conduct

We expect all participants at NASA MSGC events and conferences to have read and agree to the following Code of Conduct. (Adapted from the AGU Meeting Code of Conduct)

Expected Behavior:

- Treat everyone with respect.
- Respect your fellow participants by using good practices for intercultural collaborations.
- Be mindful of your surroundings and of your fellow participants.
- Provide your true professional identity, affiliation, and, where appropriate, contact information, at registration, and during attendance and participatory sessions, as required.
- Respect copying and use of presented materials and ideas and contact and acknowledge presenters if using their presented work in your research.
- Respect the rules and policies of the meeting venue, online platform, or any other venue.
- Be Accountable: When we as organizers or participants fail to meet these guidelines, work together to identify problems and adjust policy and practice together.

Anyone not meeting expected, collaborative, respectful behavior can be immediately removed from the current online or physical meeting and may be banned from future MSGC meetings or other sanctions, depending on the specifics of the unwelcomed disruptive behavior.

Examples of Unacceptable Behavior:

- Promoting or participating in harassment, bullying, discrimination, or intimidation on-site, online, and/or on social media.
- Verbal, written, or other forms of abuse of any attendee, speaker, volunteer, exhibitor, staff member, service provider, or other guest.
 - Examples of abuse include, but are not limited to, verbal comments related to gender, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body size, race, religion, national origin, inappropriate use of nudity and/or sexual images in public spaces or in presentations.
- Threatening or stalking in-person or online.
- Disruption or disallowing participation by others.
- Criminal offenses.
- Failure to follow meeting protocol.
- Physical or verbal abuse, including attacks on ideas vs. respectful, disagreeing dialogue.
- Use of social or mainstream media to target individual actions of participants in a way that could harm their privacy or professional status or open them to slander or libel.
- Knowingly violating copyright or using presenter information in your own research without obtaining permission, citing or acknowledging.