SCIENCE ETHICS









…BALANCING SCIENTIFIC ADVANCEMNT

This course discusses ethical issues unique to the research setting and will include topics of intellectual property, authorship, scientific records, and the use of living organisms in research. Class will be taught seminar-style so student participation will be maximized. Each student will be asked to think/share about one science ethics topic.

Item #xxxxx, **Winter 2027**, Fee: $55. Prime-Time/Life-Long Learning series
Date: Tuesday afternoons (three sessions); January 19th, 26th, February 2nd; 1:30 pm to 3:30 pm
Where: CTC Campus (18700 SE Mill Plain Blvd), *in-person*, Room #338
Instructor: Prof. Kyle Dittmer, office (day/VM): 503-731-1314, kdittmer@clark.edu

TOPICS:

-- Week#1: Scientific Method and Conduct; Ethics of Scientists; Authorship and Peer Review; Categories of Topics.
-- Week#2: Competing Interests vs. Collaborative Research; Earth/Physical Science Experimentation & Ethics.
-- Week#3: Data and Intellectual Property; Medical/Biological Science Experimentation & Ethics; Role of Religion.

FORMAT:

Lecture/Seminar format, PowerPoint slideshows, and You-Tube videos. Instructor will facilitate the Seminar with thought-provoking questions. Students are encouraged to share their views and experiences about science ethics.

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