AIRP Meeting and Social Event Code of Conduct

This code of conduct outlines AIRP’s expectations for all AIRP staff, contractors, volunteers, registrants, guests, and vendors at AIRP Radiologic-Pathologic course meetings and/or social events, whether those occur in person or virtually. All participants who attend these meetings and events are expected to abide by this code of conduct to help ensure a pleasant and safe meeting experience.

Expected Behavior:

• Conduct and present yourself in a professional manner at all times
• Be respectful and considerate of, residents and fellows who attend and participate in AIRP courses; volunteers, staff, contractors, meeting registrants, guests and vendors
• Refrain from any discriminatory, harassing and demeaning speech and behavior
• Obey the rules and regulations of the AFI Silver Theater; and any other hotel or meeting/special event venue that AIRP has contracted with for the purposes of facilitating your meeting/event

Unacceptable behavior includes but is not limited to:

• Intimidating, harassing, abusive or discriminatory actions or speech
• Excessive alcohol consumption during an AIRP event (i.e. reception and/or dinner) and after event hours for social drinking while at an AIRP event (Please refer to American College of Radiology (ACR) travel reimbursement policy.)
• Physical or verbal abuse
• Intentional and unwelcome physical contact and sexual references or connotations
• Disruptive behavior that will interrupt any portion of the meeting or event

What to do if you experience or witness unacceptable behavior at an AIRP Meeting or Event:

• Promptly report it to the most senior staff person present at the meeting or event

What to do if you receive a report of unacceptable behavior at an AIRP Meeting or Event:

• Immediately contact the AIRP staff so that they can contact the individual who has experienced the offense to obtain a full report of the incident and coordinate an investigation

Consequences of Unacceptable Behavior

AIRP will tolerate no unacceptable behavior at any AIRP meeting or social event. Therefore, AIRP will advise individuals displaying such behavior to stop the behavior immediately. In addition, AIRP reserves the right to ask the offender to leave the meeting or event without warning and can prohibit attendance at any future AIRP meetings and events. If AIRP requests that an offender leave a meeting or event, AIRP will not refund any registration fees or related expenses incurred for their attendance at the meeting or event.
Based on the individual’s relationship with AIRP (i.e., staff, contractor, member, volunteer, guest or vendor) AIRP may take further disciplinary or contractual action for anyone displaying unacceptable behavior. These actions may include but are not limited to: a verbal warning to the offender, suspension or termination of ACR employment if the individual is an ACR employee; ACR Ethics Committee action including suspension or expulsion from ACR membership if the individual is an ACR member, banning from future AIRP meetings and events and termination of future business relationships.

Anti-Harassment and Anti-Discrimination Policy Applies at AIRP Rad-Path Courses and Other Meetings/Events

Please note that ACR’s policy against sexual harassment and other unlawful discrimination applies to all AIRP locations and activities, including at AIRP Rad-Path Courses and other AIRP meetings and events, whether those meetings and events occur in person or virtually. If you experience directly or learn of any inappropriate conduct by a faculty; other volunteers, staff, a guest, vendor or anyone else, please inform AIRP staff immediately. We have this policy to help one another.

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