



STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT

This Student Code of Conduct aims to call to mind the mission of Polytechnique Montréal and lay out its expectations regarding the behaviour and actions of its members. It refers to various documents relative to the students' obligations and responsibilities. By signing this code, the student commits to obeying all the rules, declarations, policies, directives and other regulations applicable to him or her.

❖ Polytechnique Montréal mission

Polytechnique's mission consists in:

- Providing high-quality engineering training at every level, with a focus on human values;
- Carrying out pertinent, high-level research as the basis for high-quality training at the master's and doctorate level that takes into consideration the needs of the industrial milieu and society;
- Wielding intellectual and social influence, concretely achieved through interactions with external milieus both at home and abroad.

Due to the importance of its mission, Polytechnique expects that the members of its community know and respect the various rules of conduct applicable to their daily activities and their respective fields.

This mission incorporates, more specifically, the moral obligation for each member of the Polytechnique community to ascribe to and implement the highest standards of integrity in all their activities.

The management, staff and students of Polytechnique are tasked with working within the strictest standards of intellectual integrity and ethics. A person's conduct must be guided by frankness, honesty, justice and the greatest respect for others. Polytechnique determines rules of conduct for its community as a whole, promotes them and ensures that they are respected.

❖ Students' rights and responsibilities

As a member of the community, each student, in all his or her activities, is expected to respect the various obligations and responsibilities set upon him or her, among others in the realms of intellectual property, confidentiality, ethics, and during the use of the various resources placed at his or her disposal. The student is expected to adopt behaviour that falls within the rules applicable to him or her, as stated in the following documents among others:

Documents for undergraduate studies, graduate studies and certificates	Declaration of Students' Rights and Responsibilities Policy Regarding Integrity ; Policy regarding copyright ; Règlement concernant l'utilisation et la gestion des ressources informatiques (regulation concerning the use and management of IT resources); Regulation against harassment ; Règlement concernant les menaces et les voies de fait (regulation concerning threats and assault);
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Document for undergraduate studies	Règlements des études du baccalauréat en ingénierie (regulations for undergraduate studies in engineering);
Documents for graduate studies	Règlements généraux et particuliers des études supérieures (general and specific regulations for graduate studies); Politique d'encadrement des étudiants des cycles supérieurs (supervision Policy for Graduate Students); Policy regarding technological intellectual property
Document for certificates	Règlements pédagogiques des certificats (pedagogical regulations for certificates);

(The above documents are available, in French only for the most part, at the following address: www.polymtl.ca/rengen/docOff)

As such, more specifically, each student is responsible for respecting the rules of intellectual integrity set out, as well as those that provide sanctions for plagiarism, fraud, copying, cheating and the falsification of documents. Article 8 of the bachelor's degree regulations, article 9 of the continuing education regulations and article 11 of the graduate studies regulations define the concept of fraud and provide the list of infractions and the sanctions that may be imposed (available in French only at www.polymtl.ca/rengen/docOff/etudes.php). Students may not, therefore, claim ignorance of the rules adopted by Polytechnique Montréal that are applicable to them.

Any student who believes that justice was not rendered during the course of a decision relative to the methods of application of these standards, for reasons such as an error in the establishment of facts, a procedural error, demonstrated discrimination or partiality, or a sanction disproportionate to the act, may appeal the decision. The appeal methods (procedures, time frames, etc.) are described in the corresponding documents.

❖ Student commitment

<p><i>I declare that I have read and understood the rules, declarations, policies, directives and other regulations adopted by Polytechnique Montréal that are applicable to me, and I commit to respecting both the spirit and the letter of these documents throughout the duration of my studies.</i></p>		
Last name	First name	Student no.
Signature	Date	

Instructions: Print this document on a single two-sided page and submit the signed copy to the Registrar (room A-201) by

- September 30 (for studies beginning in August),
- January 31 (for studies beginning in January),
- May 31 (for studies beginning in May).

You may instead mail it to the following address: Registrariat,
 École Polytechnique de Montréal,
 CP 6079 succursale Centre-ville,
 Montréal (Québec) H3C 3A7.