SDU's Common Code of Conduct

Your behaviour makes a difference

It is everyone's responsibility to ensure a positive study environment. We expect you as a student at SDU to help create a safe and positive study environment for you and your fellow students both on and off campus. Contributing to a safe and pleasant study environment for all requires that we each take responsibility for our own behaviour. We want a way of interacting where we dare to talk openly about both similarities and differences - freedom of expression is part of the lifeblood of SDU.
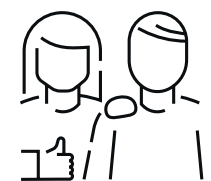
Respect the choices of others

- Create space for everyone to choose freely
- Respect fellow students' choices and opt-outs
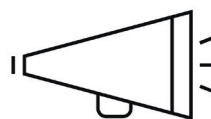- Respect fellow students' desired social conventions
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Show consideration

- Speak considerately to others
- Avoid making negative and derogatory comments about others
- Pay attention to your fellow students

Be caring

- Meet your fellow students with good intentions
- Support your fellow students when they face adversity
- Show interest and ask your fellow students questions about themselves
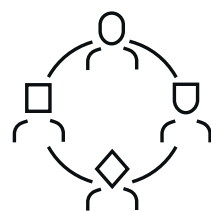
Say no

- Speak up if others violate your boundaries
- Say it out loud if you feel the tone is becoming negative and derogatory

Use good judgement

- Pay attention to other people's signals. Your attention and compliments may be unwanted despite your good intentions
- Although consuming alcohol on campus is allowed, alcohol is no excuse for behaving badly
- Pay special attention when entering into new relationships

Make room for diversity

- Contribute to an environment where it is OK to fail
- Be curious about your fellow students, but respect that they don't necessarily want to talk to you about everything

Have you been exposed to abusive or discriminatory behaviour?

We are ready to listen and help.

Write to us at www.sdu.dk/spoc or
email the General Study Counselling at SDU at vejledning@sdu.dk

**Also, read SDU's code of conduct on alcohol during the commencement of studies,
disciplinary measures and the statement on freedom of research, teaching and expression at mitsdu.dk.**

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