Introduction

This Supplier Code of Conduct applies to all Suppliers who provide goods or services to the University of Sussex as well as their Sub-contractors. It is intended to help Suppliers understand the minimum ethical, social and environmental standards and behaviours that are expected when working on a university contract.

We expect our Suppliers to strive to exceed both international and industry best practice, operate in a manner that is compatible with the university's values and uphold the reputation of the University. We also expect that Suppliers encourage and work with their own sub-contractors and suppliers to ensure that they also meet the principles in this Code of Conduct.

The overall objective of this Supplier Code of Conduct is to build trusting and open relationships between the University and its Suppliers in order to drive improved performance throughout our supply chains.

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Definitions

For the purpose of this Code of Conduct: