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Harvard Graduate School of Design Community Values, Rights, and Responsibilities Respectful Engagement

The GSD is built upon a foundation of honest and respectful engagement. Each member of our community contributes meaningfully to this foundation, and all of us share responsibility for our individual actions and conduct, whether interacting in person or online. This responsibility applies to all of our interactions on the GSD's campus, participation in academic and/or research-related activities across the Harvard campus, and all off-campus engagements where we are participating as representatives of the GSD.

Non-attribution Policy

All GSD classes, meetings, and events are, unless otherwise explicitly stated, held to the [Chatham House Rule](#). This means that you can share in a general way what was presented or discussed, but individual comments may not be attributed to an individual without that person's explicit permission. We follow this rule to maintain a culture of mutual respect and trust within our community, and to ensure that we can learn from candid discussions about a wide range of perspectives and experiences.

The non-attribution policy does not relieve individuals of their responsibility to properly cite intellectual content in their writing and presentations. Additionally, the non-attribution policy does not supersede the university's [Title IX, Non-Discrimination, or Anti-Bullying policies](#). If you have concerns regarding a potential policy violation, please contact the appropriate [GSD Local Designated Resource](#) (LDR).

Related policies:

[GSD Student Handbook/Video and Recording of Classroom Activities](#)
[Respond to online abuse, harassment, and intimidation](#)