

# Annual Statement on Research Integrity 20 22

## Background

recommendations set out in the Science and Technology Committee's [report on research integrity](#), published in July 2018. Research England and UKRI require compliance with the Concordat as a condition for receiving research funding.

The Concordat requires institutions to make an annual statement on research integrity which is made publicly available and submitted to Universities UK. In accordance with this requirement this annual statement provides details of activities undertaken to enhance research integrity and demonstrate compliance within Loughborough University.

## Summary of actions and activities undertaken to support research integrity

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Creating and embedding a research environment in which all staff, researchers and students feel comfortable to report instances of misconduct

### Research Integrity Training

Research Integrity Training (RIT) is a mandatory requirement for all staff and students. It is designed to provide a comprehensive overview of research integrity and the University's policies and procedures. RIT is available in both English and Chinese. The training covers the following areas:

Academic Integrity

### Contact Details

For more information, please contact the Research Integrity Office (RIO) at [rio@hku.hk](mailto:rio@hku.hk) or call 3943 8888. The RIO is located at the 10th floor of the Education and Research Building (ERB), 10/F, Education and Research Building, The Chinese University of Hong Kong, Shatin, New Territories, Hong Kong.

### Process for dealing with allegations of research misconduct

The Research Integrity Office (RIO) is responsible for investigating allegations of research misconduct. The process is outlined in the Research Integrity Policy (RIP) and the Research Integrity Procedures (RIPs). The RIP is available on the RIO website. The RIPs are available on the RIO website and in Chinese. The RIPs cover the following areas:

- Academic Integrity
- Research Integrity
- Research Integrity Procedures (RIPs)
- Research Integrity Office (RIO)

A full list of the RIPs is available on the RIO website. The RIPs are available in both English and Chinese.

### Statement on formal research misconduct investigations

The University of Hong Kong is committed to maintaining the highest standards of research integrity. In 2021, the University has updated its Research Integrity Policy (RIP) and Research Integrity Procedures (RIPs) to reflect the latest best practices in research integrity. The RIP and RIPs are available on the Research Integrity Office (RIO) website.