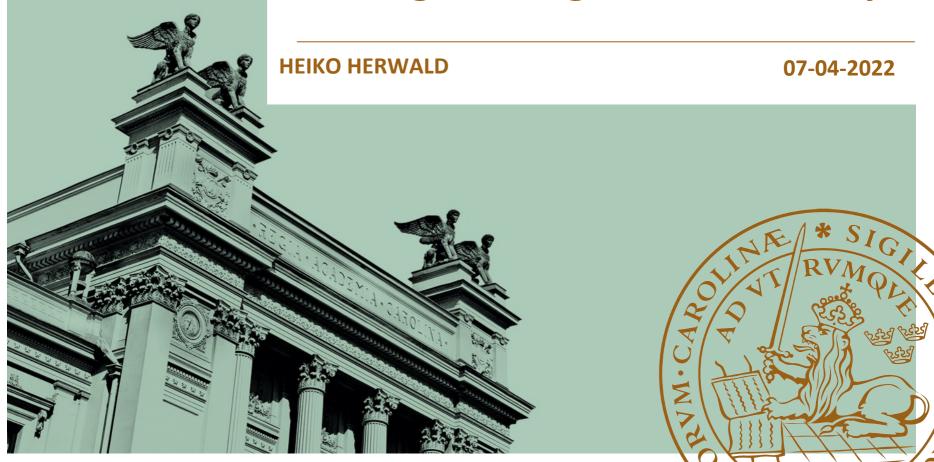


Morning meeting with the Faculty

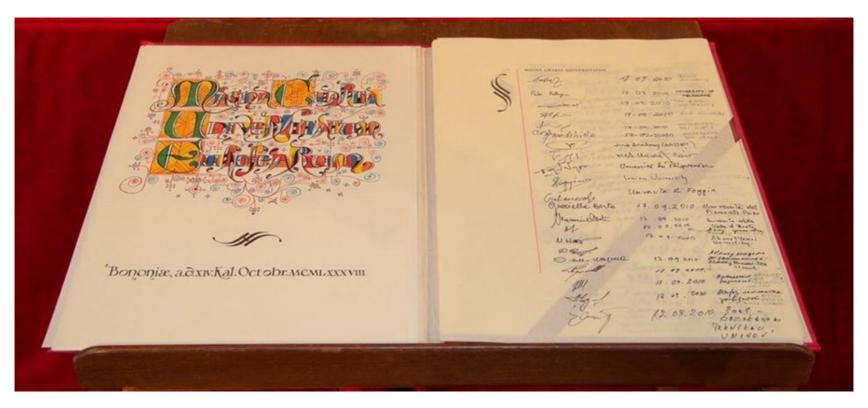


Research Ethics Council













Three principles:

- Research and teaching must be intellectually and morally independent of all political influence and economic interests
- Teaching and research should be inseparable, with students engaged in the search for knowledge and greater understanding
- Universities have to be a place for free enquiry and debate, distinguished by its openness to dialogue and rejection of intolerance





Universities embrace their duty to teach and undertake research ethically and with integrity, producing reliable, trustworthy and accessible results





Vice-Chancellor

DECLARATION

4 May 2021

Reg. no SAMV 2021/118

Magna Charta Universitatum 2020

Today, 4 May 2021, in the city of Lund, Sweden, I, Erik Renström, by the power vested in me as Vice-Chancellor of Lund University and in the name of the University declare that Lund University is committed to operating in accordance with the Magna Charta Universitatum 1988 and to upholding and advancing the Principles, Values and Responsibilities stated in Magna Charta Universitatum 2020, to strengthen the role of universities in the preservation of the planet and promoting health, prosperity, and enlightenment around the world.

Erik Renström



Swedish Legislature







- The Swedish Ethics Review Authority is a state administrative authority responsible for ethical review of research on humans
- The authority examines applications for ethics review of research involving humans and human biological material





- The Swedish Board of Agriculture is the administrative authority in the agricultural policy area and is responsible for matters such as of agriculture, stock farming, and animal experiments
- All applications dealing with the permission to perform animal experiments must be sent to the Swedish Board of Agriculture
- Applications will be evaluated and approved by a regional ethical committee (Malmö/Lund's animal experiment ethics committee)

Nämnden för prövning av oredlighet i forskning

National Board for Assessment of Research Misconduct

Npof.

- The National Board for Assessment of Research Misconduct is a Swedish governmental agency
- The board investigates research misconduct, cases that previously were handled by the Swedish universities
- Research misconduct is defined in the law as a serious breach of good scientific practice in the form of fabrication, falsification or plagiarism



Överklagandenämnden för etikprövning

The Ethics Review Appeals Board



- The Board of Appeal for Ethics Review is reviewing appealed and submitted applications for ethics review permits
- The Board of Appeal for Ethical Review is responsible for the supervision of ethics in research on humans



Den europeiska kodexen för forskningens integritet

The European Code of Conduct for Research Integrity

Good research practices are based on fundamental

principles of research integrity

- Reliability
- Honesty
- Respect
- Accountability





The European Code of Conduct for Research Integrity

REVISED EDITION

Lund University





Lunds universitets råd för etik och akademisk frihet

Lund University's council for ethics and academic freedom

- The Council for Ethics and Academic Freedom works to increase understanding of the importance of an ethical approach in Lund University's activities
- The purpose is to stimulate discussion and debate on ethical issues and to promote knowledge development in the field of ethics





Nämnden för utredning av avvikelser från god forskningssed

Board for investigation of discrepancies from good research practice

 Suspicion of deviations from good research practice other than misconduct in research is examined at Lund University by the board for investigation of discrepancies from good research practice





Forskningsetik och djurförsöksetik

Research ethics and animal testing ethics

Additional information about research ethics is about both legislation and rules and good research practice dealing with

- Ethical review
- Animal experiments
- Deviation from good research practice research misconduct
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Faculty of Medicine



FACULTY OF MEDICINE

Lund University

Vetenskaplig ombudsman Scientific Ombudsman

In 2019 Lund University decided that each faculty has to appoint a Scientific Ombudsman



Prof. Per Odin Scientific Ombudsman per.odin@med.lu.se



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Vetenskaplig ombudsman

Scientific Ombudsman

What are the tasks of a Scientific Ombudsman?

A scientific ombudsman provides independent advice and support in matters within the scientific activity, for example questions concerning publication, author responsibility or research collaborations.

What is not included in the tasks of a Scientific Ombudsman?

- Issues related to work environment and personal conflicts
- Advice and support for research concerning research ethics and the research ethics regulations
- Suspicion of misconduct in research



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The tasks of the Research Ethics Council include:

- Support the faculty management in research ethics issues of a principled nature
- Stimulate an ethical discussion and to raise important issues at the faculty Provide general advice or guidance to employees regarding ethical aspects of their research
- The Council is also free to comment on research ethics issues of a general nature



Research Ethics Council

Topics not covered by the Research Ethics Council

- Registration and handling of ethical misconduct
- Legal assistance
- Help with conflict management
- Writing help



Research Ethics Council

Research Ethics Council representatives:

Chairperson Per Odin

Faculty management representatives Linus Broström, Maria Ekelin, Lena Eliasson, Heiko Herwald, Jacqueline Postma

Policy Officer Birgitta Larsson

Student representative Kristian Valind

Representative of Region Skåne Vacant



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Research Ethics Council

What has been done?

- Reader friendly and short version of the Vancouver Recommendations
- Working group for misconduct in research
- Working group for ethics applications: presentation and discussion
- Preregistration of animal studies
- Questionnaire on statistics on clinical studies (The Swedish Ethics Review Authority)



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Etik Ethics



- Etikprövningsmyndigheten
- Jordbruksverket
- Nämnden för prövning av oredlighet i forskning
- Överklagandenämnden för etikprövning



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Etik



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