



School of Informatics AUTH

**Postgraduate Studies Program
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Security**

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RESEARCH ETHICS REGULATION GUIDE

The present document "Research Ethics Regulation" for the Postgraduate Program "Communication Networks and Systems Security" has been approved by the General Assembly of the Department of Informatics 443/20-12-2023.

In all activities within the Postgraduate Program that involve research, such as for example in the research carried out by a student in the context of his/her Postgraduate Diploma Thesis or in the context of tasks assigned to him/her in the courses that he/she attends, both the students and the professors involved must follow the rules, procedures, principles, and good practices described in the

[Regulation On Principles and Procedures Governing the Operation of the Research Ethics Committee](#)

The Regulation Guide controls, among other things, issues such as the responsibilities and obligations of the researchers, the relationships between the researchers, the responsibility and obligations of AUTH, the connection of the research activity with the procedures and processes of AUTH, the terms of use of the facilities and equipment at AUTH, the research security and control procedures, the respect for third party rights & intellectual property rights, the promotion of research, what applies when the research involves human participation, the informed consent, issues regarding personal data protection, research with dual practice (civil & military), the possible malicious use of research results by third parties, the research that includes the use of new technologies, etc. Moreover, issues of plagiarism are also covered by article 13 of the Postgraduate Study Program Guide.

In cases where this is required (as for example in research activities that require the participation of people and involve risks for the participants) the parties involved in the research must communicate, in accordance with the Regulation Guide of the Research Ethics Committee of AUTH, submitting the relevant documents (Questionnaire , Self-Assessment

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