

Ethics, Environment and Sustainability

Maltwood Art Museum and Gallery

Ethics

The Maltwood Art Museum and Gallery at the University of Victoria is committed to establishing and maintaining professional codes of ethics, as outlined by professional organizations, most notably the International Council for Museums.

Further, the Maltwood is committed to maintaining high standards of environmental practice and sustainability. We will endeavour, wherever possible, to reduce any adverse impacts on the environment by choosing environmental products, recycle materials when possible, promote energy conservation and reduce the amount of resources used.

We are committed to following these basic environmental policies:

- Clearly define everyone's roles in the environmental plan
- Meet and where feasible exceed all legislated regulations
- Commit to using less energy and water
- Limit, and where possible, eliminate the use of hazardous material and to maintain a plan for accidental leakage of such materials
- Limit use of fossil fuels for transportation
- Review environmental impact of all projects being undertaken

Museums and Galleries Codes of Ethics

Canadian Museums Association: Ethical Guidelines

[Http://policybase.cma.ca/PolicyPDF/PD04-06.pdf](http://policybase.cma.ca/PolicyPDF/PD04-06.pdf)

ICOM Code of Ethics for Museums, 2006

International Council For Museums

<http://icom.museum/ethics.html>

Code of Ethics and Guidance for Practice for Those Involved in the Conservation of Cultural Property in Canada

<http://www.capc-acrp.ca/code%20of%20ethics%20and%20glossary.htm>

Sustainability at the University of Victoria

<http://web.uvic.ca/sustainability>