

EARLI SIG 14 Code of Conduct for a Safe Conference

EARLI SIG14 is committed to provide the best possible circumstances in which participants can positively and safely share their research and exchange their ideas. We value and respect all people. Each participant has the right to equal, non-discriminating and respectful treatment, regardless of their age, origin or nationality, language, religion, beliefs, culture, opinions, political activity, trade union membership, family relations, health, disability or functional capacity, sexual orientation, gender, gender identity, gender expression, or other factor related to their person. Anyone asked to stop unacceptable behaviour is expected to comply immediately. EARLI SIG14 conference and University of Jyväskylä complies with valid national laws and decrees, as well as the regulations, guidelines and agreements that apply to our operations. Both the conference organizers and the EARLI Board of Directors (BoD) will not tolerate vilification, abuse, or harassment in any form.

Harassment includes:

- offensive verbal comments related to ethnicity, color of skin, gender, physical appearance, sexual orientation, disability, and/or religion;
- inappropriate physical contact;
- unwanted sexual attention and stalking;
- unsolicited sending or posting sexual images in public spaces;
- deliberate intimidation for declining intimacies.

If a participant engages in behavior that places any conference participant at risk, the conference organizers may take any action they deem appropriate, including, but not limited to, warning the offender or expelling them from the conference without previous notice and with immediate effect. If this occurs, the participant is not entitled to any refund and/or any compensation. Participants asked to stop any such behavior are expected to comply immediately. The national law of the conference location will be followed, as necessary. In the unpleasant situation you feel unsafe or harassed, notice that someone else is being harassed, or have any other concerns, contact our Safe Conference Care Team by email by info-sig14@jyu.fi

We expect all participants to follow this Code of Conduct during the EARLI SIG14 conference. We are aware that cultural or any other differences may cause misunderstandings, but we do expect all participants to be both polite and proactive, and to ensure a pleasant conference experience for everyone. Thank you for contributing to a safe EARLI SIG 14 conference!

Thank you for contributing to a safe EARLI SIG14 2024 conference!