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FEPAC Form 5.8
(On-Site Evaluator Ethics & Professionalism)

Forensic Science Education Programs Accreditation Commission (FEPAC)

On-Site Evaluator Ethics and Professionalism Form

Program Visited: _____

Institution: _____

Date of Visit: _____

AFFIRMATION OF ETHICS AND PROFESSIONALISM:

I acknowledge that I represent FEPAC in conducting this on-site evaluation and that I serve as FEPAC's fact-finder during the review.

I agree to participate in the on-site evaluation of this program in a fair, open, and unbiased manner, free of any external influences.

I know of no real or potential conflict of interest that would prevent me from participating in the on-site evaluation of this program. I believe that my participation in the on-site evaluation does not create any conflict of interest or the appearance of a conflict for me.

I agree to evaluate the program for compliance with FEPAC's accreditation standards, not its compliance with any other set of standards or documents that may pertain to forensic science education.

I agree to maintain the confidentiality of FEPAC's accreditation system and will not discuss the program's self-study, the contents of its self-study, the on-site evaluation, the team report, or anything else related to the program's application for accreditation with anyone except (a) FEPAC representatives and (b) any individuals associated with the institution/program with whom I meet during the on-site evaluation for the purpose of obtaining information about the program.

I acknowledge that it is unethical for me to use either this on-site evaluation, or the information I obtain during the evaluation, for my own personal or financial gain.

I acknowledge that my responsibility in the on-site evaluation process ceases following the exit interview and completion of the team report, and I will not discuss my personal opinions regarding the quality of the program or the likelihood of its receiving accreditation with anyone associated with the institution/program.

Signature of On-Site Evaluator

Date