

Everybody is responsible for ethics in their organisations, but leading governance practices recommend that a specific individual – **the Ethics Officer – be responsible for the process of active, practical ethics management.**

The Ethics Officer Certification Programme (EOCP) is designed to train these individuals.

The Integrity Management Framework provides guidelines and principles for ethics management in the public sector. Furthermore, the King V Code on Corporate Governance indicates that an organisation's governance should be grounded in an ethical foundation, and also sets guidelines on the management of its ethics. The EOCP addresses these frameworks and is delivered by experts in the field.

Course content

Understanding ethics concepts and developing ethical reasoning skills

Developing an ethics management strategy

Developing ethics standards, codes of ethics, and ethics policies

Understanding the role of ethics in governance

Identifying the need for an ethics management programme

Ethics management toolbox, including training, raising awareness, and performance reporting

Setting up an ethics office

Assessing ethics-related risks and opportunities

Reporting ethics performance to management and governing bodies

Programme duration: Four weeks of online sessions, plus 90 days to complete the practicum assignment.

Who should attend the EOCP?

- Persons responsible for managing ethics
- Human Resource Managers
- Forensic Officers and Internal Auditors
- Prospective and current Ethics Officers
- Risk Managers and Compliance Officers

Once applicants have completed the assessment, they will be required to submit the proof of completion, together with their fully completed registration form to The Ethics Institute (TEI) to conclude the registration process.

What are the entry requirements?

- **South African national holding a degree:** no further requirements.
- **South African national not holding a degree:** complete and pass an independent third-party assessment as pre-requisite. | Enquire [HERE!](#)
- **Foreign national with or without a degree:** complete and pass an independent third-party assessment as pre-requisite. | Enquire [HERE!](#)

Undertaking the assessment does not guarantee registration for the programme. TEI reserves the right to reject registrations.

After the course


Participants have 90 days to complete a practicum assignment for formal assessment. Thereafter, successful participants receive certification from [Stadio Higher Education](#). In addition, newly certified Ethics Officers receive public recognition on TEI's website as well as a complimentary one-year TEI Supporter subscription.

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EOCP FEE**
Supporters,
and Members.
R 31 025.00

VAT inclusive

Full-time students.
R27 927.00

VAT inclusive

Non-Supporters,
and non-members.
R 36 838.00

VAT inclusive



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completed form to
Kgothatso Tshabalala at
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Online EOCP dates			
	11 June – 7 July 2026		5 November – 1 December 2026
	27 August – 22 September 2026		

Registration form			
Title		ID number	Country
Full name			
Organisation			
Designation			
Email address			
Postal address		Postal code	
Landline		Mobile	VAT number

Highest academic qualification (TEI reserves the right to verify qualifications)			
Qualification		Field	
Institution		Year achieved	

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Terms and conditions

- Registration for this workshop closes two weeks before its commencement date. Any registrations that remain unpaid two weeks prior to the event, will be cancelled to allow an opportunity for candidates on the waiting list to attend.
- Cancellations made two weeks prior to the workshop commencement date, will result in a 30% penalty.
- No refunds will be issued for cancellations occurring one week prior to the programme, however, applicants who have made payment can be substituted by another individual at any time before the event, without incurring an additional fee. Such changes must be communicated to TEI in writing.
- Given the practical nature of this course, TEI can only accommodate a limited number of participants per course.
- Attendance will be confirmed upon receipt of a completed registration form, full payment, or purchase order in the case of public service delegates.
- Registrations not adhering to these terms and conditions will be cancelled without any charges to TEI.
- DISCOUNT**
 - A 5% discount will be applied if three or more delegates from a single organisation register.
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