

**Society for Scientific Values:**  **ICSU**  
International Council for Science

**A movement to promote ethics  
in the conduct of science**

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## To Promote

**Integrity**

**Objectivity**

**Ethical values**

## In Pursuit of Science

## Challenges



**Blatant misdemeanours**

## What works

**Membership**

**Inquiring into alleged misconduct**

**Sensitization of scientists**

## Persistence of Members to enquire

1. Into cases of misconduct in a 3 step manner
2. Informing Heads of Institutions where perpetrators work
3. Posting of cases on the website

Exerts moral pressure & whistle blowing

Heads of Institutions have begun to investigate complaints in their realms (sometimes reluctantly)

Ask SSV to recommend nature of Disciplinary Action

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## Sensitization of scientists

Organizing symposia

Society's Website

Newsletter

Case Modules for UGC

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1. Scientific Values and Excellence in Science
  2. Accountability in Scientific Research
  3. Scientific Misconduct & Disciplinary Action
  4. Ethics in Administration of Science
  5. Accountability in Scientific Institutions
- (and Discussion on Corruption & Whistle Blowers Protection Act)

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**SSV's initiative recognized -**

International Bodies e.g. ICSU

Global getting together/effort/support

In tackling the problem of **Research Integrity**

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