

Members of the Association for Renewable Energy Practitioners undertake to be:

Professional

1. To act as representatives of the renewable industry and as such, to strive towards behaviour that is ethical and professional, upholding the highest standards of integrity in all aspects of their work.
2. To be honest, fair, and transparent in their dealings with clients, colleagues, and the public.
3. To respect and protect confidential information obtained through professional relationships.
4. To deal fairly with competitors and to create an industry environment conducive to widespread economic growth and prosperity.

Compliant

5. To adhere to all reasonable requirements of the Association.
6. To comply with AREP's Constitution, with this Code of Conduct and any other by-laws of the Association including but not limited to its Terms and Conditions.
7. To comply with South African legislation, regulations, specifications, standards and other requirements applicable to the Renewable Energy Industry in whatever discipline(s) the member may operate.
8. Where no local standards exist, to comply with international standards including but not limited to those published by the International Electrotechnical Commission.
9. Where neither local nor international standards exist, to comply with any standards developed by AREP or any other organisation recognised as an authority by the renewable energy industry.

Competent

10. To provide services only in areas where they have demonstrated competence and expertise.
11. To continuously strive to improve their knowledge and skills through ongoing education and training.
12. To stay informed about the latest developments, technologies, and best practices in the renewable energy industry.

Responsible

13. To prioritise public safety and environmental protection in all their professional activities.
14. To promote sustainable practices and minimise the environmental impact of their work.

Collaborative

15. To collaborate with colleagues and share knowledge to advance the renewable energy industry.
16. To contribute to the development of industry standards, best practices, and policies.
17. To mentor and support the professional growth of students and early-career practitioners when the opportunity arises.

and Supportive

18. To support AREP's objectives, projects and initiatives and actively participate in its activities.
19. To promote AREP and its values within the renewable energy community and to the public.