

The Forum for Ethics in the Workplace is comprised of people from various backgrounds who believe that business ethics demands continual attention. While today's corporate leaders and employees understand that ethical behavior is an important choice in all of life, the Forum chooses to focus on workplace issues particularly because good values translate into good business and foster a strong corporate culture.

Embracing the “Six Pillars of Character” identified by the Josephson Institute of Ethics – trustworthiness, respect, responsibility, fairness, caring, and citizenship – the Forum began its work as an interfaith coalition in 2000. Now in partnership with the Salesian Center for Faith & Culture at DeSales University, the Forum continues to focus on the many ethical issues in the Lehigh Valley business community, with the goal of becoming a catalyst for change at the regional, national, and global levels.

MISSION

The mission of the Forum for Ethics in the Workplace is to provide opportunities for people to come together for study, reflection, conversation, and action on ethical issues in the workplace, with particular focus on working people in the Lehigh Valley. Our vision is to create an action-oriented membership that engages the citizens of the Lehigh Valley in a movement toward ever higher standards of ethical behavior.

VALUE-CENTERED WORKPLACES HAVE

- High employee moral, retention and recruiting
 - Increased employee performance and efficiency
 - Enhanced communications among customers and employees
 - Greater civic reputation
 - Strong foundations for growth
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Programs and Services

ETHICS SEMINARS

The Forum hosts quarterly meetings on topics of concern to employees and employers in the Lehigh Valley. These events generally feature a speaker or panel of experts and include audience discussion.

ETHICS PROJECTS

The Forum promotes active learning through a variety of community experiences (e.g., speeches, debates, competitions, etc.) geared toward students at all levels of business education (secondary, undergraduate, and graduate).

ETHICS INFORMATION

The Forum provides access to experts who are able to offer counsel on organizational values, corporate codes of ethics, and professional competencies and standards. The Forum also makes available templates for codes of ethics able to be adapted to various types of businesses.

ETHICS COMMUNICATIONS

The Forum publishes print and electronic newsletter reports on its events, with featured case studies and other items relating to ethics in the workplace.

ETHICS RECOGNITION

The Forum sponsors an annual event honoring individuals and businesses that excel in their practice and promotion of ethical behavior in the workplace.

Support Ethics in the Workplace Today

Ethical behavior is all about making good choices. Employees and company leaders who recognize and model that simple philosophy set the standard within an organization and raise the bar for everyone.

By joining the Forum for Ethics in the Workplace, supporting members enjoy lively and informative discussions, numerous networking opportunities, and access to our various programs and services.

Acknowledge your concern for business ethics, by becoming a supporting member of the Forum. Fees are based on 12-month membership, scheduled from the time of initial enrollment.

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| Individual member | \$ 35 |
| Student member | \$ 10 |
| Corporate member | \$175 |

All members receive priority notification concerning the Forum's programs and events. Corporate members receive free admission to Forum events for one representative. All members receive public recognition on the Forum's web site and in its publications.

*We do not act rightly because we have virtue or excellence,
but we rather have those because we have acted rightly.*
—ARISTOTLE

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The character ethic, which I believe to be the foundation of success, teaches that there are basic principles of effective living, and that people can only experience true success and enduring happiness as they learn and integrate these principles into their basic character.

—STEPHEN R. COVEY



MEMBERSHIP INFORMATION

Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.

—MARGARET MEAD



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