
INDEPENDENT REGULATORY BOARD FOR AUDITORS
COMMITTEE FOR AUDITOR ETHICS

Call for New Projects for the CFAE Work Programme

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The Committee for Auditor Ethics (CFAE), a statutory committee of the Independent Regulatory Board for Auditors (IRBA), hereby calls for the submission of requests for new ethics standard-setting projects that will inform its upcoming work programme. The CFAE assists the IRBA to determine what constitutes improper conduct by registered auditors by developing rules and guidelines for professional ethics, including a Code of Professional Conduct.

If you would like to request a new project, kindly [click here](#) to access and complete the relevant information sheets. Detailed information is required for your project to be considered.

Please note that a request for a new project does not guarantee that the project will be accepted onto the CFAE work programme. The CFAE will analyse the requests received using a detailed prioritisation process. The CFAE will rate the proposed projects based on, among others, public interest, the extent of auditors impacted, and the inspections/legal process gap affected.

Kindly reach out within your organisations for input on new projects to request. Please also send this communication to other stakeholders that you believe may wish to request a project.

Please submit your request/s to standards@irba.co.za by **19 January 2019**. Also remember to include comprehensive background on the proposed project on the information sheets for your request to be considered.

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About the IRBA

The objective of the IRBA is to endeavour to protect the financial interests of the South African public and international investors in South Africa through the effective and appropriate regulation of audits conducted by registered auditors, in accordance with internationally recognised standards and processes.

The statutory responsibilities of the CFAE are to assist the IRBA to: determine what constitutes improper conduct by registered auditors by developing rules and guidelines for professional ethics, including a code of professional conduct; interact on any matter relating to its functions and powers with professional bodies and any other body or organ of state with an interest in the auditing profession; and provide advice to registered auditors on matters of professional ethics and conduct.