

Chinese Association for Artificial Intelligence

Code of Conduct for Conferences and Events

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Chinese Association for Artificial Intelligence (CAAI) organizes a variety of conferences and events which include but are not limited to formal conferences, networking events, and online discussions about conference events (collectively referred to in this code as “conferences and events”) to promote research, understanding, education, funding, and responsible use of AI.

CAAI is dedicated to providing a respectful and inclusive conference experience for everyone. Conference participants and attendees are expected to interact with others in a respectful and courteous manner, regardless of age, race, national origin, ancestry, gender, sexual orientation, physical appearance, religious affiliation, marital status, differing abilities, medical conditions, personal characteristics, technology choices, or any other differentiating factors.

Abusive, racist, sexist, homophobic, intimidating, harassing, or threatening behavior towards any other event participant or directed at any organizer, student volunteer, sponsor, conference staff or locals, will not be tolerated.

CAAI disapproves of offensive actions, aggressive acts, or comments that intimidate or disparage others. CAAI will not tolerate any kind of harassment, including but not limited to:

- Verbal attacks, accusations, bullying, or offensive comments
- Aggressive or intimidating behavior
- Sustained disruption during presentations and other events
- Unwelcome sexual attention
- Inappropriate physical contact
- Deliberate intimidation or stalking either in person or on-line
- Sexual and racist images or materials in public spaces
- Ignoring, encouraging, or advocating any of the above behaviors

All persons, organizations and entities that attend CAAI conferences and events are subject to the standards of conduct set forth above. CAAI expects all attendees to formally endorse this code of conduct, and to actively prevent and discourage any undesired behaviors. Sponsors are also subject to this code of conduct in their participation in CAAI events.

All CAAI agents and/or representative are empowered to take all necessary action to prevent and/or stop any conduct that violates this code including but not limited demanding that the violator be removed either temporarily or permanently from the conference or event or calling in local law enforcement officials to assist in the matter.