The Manitoba Association of Architects

Code of Ethics

The Profession
Members must show a total sense of responsibility; practice with integrity, judgement, and business capacity; exhibit the highest degree of artistic taste and technical ability; and must abide by this Code of Professional Practice of the Association.

The Architect
The Architect must have an honesty of purpose which is above suspicion. As the professional advisor to their Client, the Architect must be unprejudiced.

The Architect’s Services
The Architect’s services are to advise and counsel their Client. The Architect’s services are to plan, design, and offer such technical guidance as may be required to provide the end result sought by the Architect's Client.

The Architect–Contractor Relationship
The Architect must guard equally the interests of the Contractor as well as the Client. The Architect must demand of the Contractor the highest quality of workmanship and material in conformity with the contract documents.

The Architect–Architect Relationship
Architects must cooperate in the best interest of the community. No Architect shall knowingly injure falsely or maliciously the professional reputation, prospects, or practice of another Architect.