



Certified Irrigation Designer

Code of Conduct

Certification for Irrigation Designers is a national program provided by Irrigation Australia. As a Certified Irrigation Designer (CID), you are expected to uphold the highest professional standards in your practice. This Code of Conduct outlines the principles and behaviours required of all certified individuals to maintain the integrity, quality, and trust of the CID certification.

1. Professional Competence

- Maintain up-to-date knowledge and skills relevant to irrigation design through ongoing learning and professional development.
- Apply best practices, standards, and industry guidelines in all design work.
- Only undertake work for which you are suitably qualified and competent.

2. Integrity and Ethics

- Act with honesty, fairness, and transparency in all professional dealings.
- Avoid conflicts of interest and disclose any potential conflicts to relevant parties.
- Do not misrepresent your qualifications, experience, or certification status.

3. Client and Stakeholder Responsibility

- Prioritise the needs, safety, and expectations of clients and end users while adhering to environmental and regulatory requirements.
- Communicate clearly and accurately with clients, contractors, and stakeholders.
- Protect confidential information obtained in the course of professional work.

4. Environmental Stewardship

- Promote sustainable water management practices in all irrigation design work.
- Consider environmental impacts and promote efficient use of water and energy.
- Support initiatives that improve water conservation and system efficiency.

5. Compliance and Accountability

- Adhere to all relevant laws, regulations, and industry standards.
- Cooperate fully with audits, assessments, or investigations related to certification.
- Report breaches of this Code of Conduct or unethical behaviour where appropriate.

6. Certification Integrity

- Represent the Certified Irrigation Designer credential accurately and in accordance with Irrigation Australia's policies.
- Do not share, misuse, or reproduce examination or assessment materials.
- Acknowledge that certification may be suspended or revoked if this Code is breached.

Reporting and Contact

All incidents, irregularities, or queries must be reported to:

Email: certification@irrigation.org.au

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