

## SCELSE WORKPLACE SAFETY AND HEALTH (WSH) POLICY

The Singapore Centre on Environmental Life Sciences Engineering (SCELSE) in recognizing the commitment of the Nanyang Technological University (NTU) of its corporate responsibilities to workplace health & safety and environment sustainability, commit to take to the highest standards of excellence in research and education, which is equal to the way in which SCELSE accepts its responsibilities for the health and safety of all staff, students, collaborators, and visitors. Accordingly, SCELSE will take all reasonable practicable steps necessary to provide a safe, healthy, and conducive environment for its research, work, and study.

- Comply with health, safety & environmental legislations in Singapore and adopt or formulate other relevant WSH policies to fulfil our policy;
- Establish, implement, audit and maintain an effective and efficient occupational safety & health management system (OSHMS);
- Communicate requirements (as defined in the OSHMS) to staff, students, collaborators, and visitors;
- Proactively identify and manage workplace and environmental risks (risk management) and to ensure all stakeholders perform their work in a manner that mitigate WSH risks;
- Measure and evaluate WSH performance regularly so as to achieve continual improvements and to benchmark 'best in class' status;
- Provide appropriate WSH training, information and supervision to researchers, administrative & management staff and students so that they can work safely and reduce WSH risks at source;
- Report to NTU's Office of Health & safety (OHS) and investigate promptly all incidents and accidents to determine the root cause(s) and take appropriate actions to prevent recurrence;
- Improve and continually review infrastructural facilities and research projects to address WSH risks particularly before their commencement;
- Inculcate the sense of ownership on WSH matters among researchers, administrative & management staff, and students;
- Require those who do business with SCELSE to perform their work in a manner that protects SCELSE from environmental health and safety risks; and
- Promote and encourage sustainability through efficient and appropriate use of resources to achieve these objectives.



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