NEBDHub Code of Conduct

The Northeast Big Data Innovation Hub (NEBDHub) is committed to providing a supportive and welcoming environment to everyone who works, studies, and interacts with the NEBDHub Community, including the COVID Information Commons (CIC), National Student Data Corps (NSDC), and all NEBDHub programs.

We abide by Columbia University’s commitment to principles of equity and excellence. The NEBDHub promotes a safe environment, free from any type of discrimination or harassment. Participants in the NEBDHub community including event attendees, collaborators, and those who receive NEBDHub communications, are expected to adhere to the following principles:

1. The NEBDHub is a diverse and inclusive community, including individuals from many cultural and professional backgrounds. Be respectful of every person regardless of gender, gender identity and expression, age, sexual orientation, disability, physical appearance, body size, ethnicity, religion (or lack thereof), or manner of articulation.
2. We are proud to support a global community of learners, educators, and scientists. You must be thoughtful, patient, and respectful in your interactions with all members of the NEBDHub, CIC, or NSDC communities, including the NEBDHub HQ staff. This includes written, verbal, virtual, in-person, and all forms of interaction or communication.
3. Do not use hateful language or participate, promote, or organize behaviors which constitute harassment of or harm towards others. We define harassment as: intimidation and targeting individuals in a manner that makes them feel uncomfortable, unwelcome, or afraid.
4. Do not use this platform to spread misinformation or disinformation. Do not spam or send repeat messages to harass Hub/CIC/NSDC community members, staff, or volunteers.
5. Be respectful towards and patient with NEBDHub, CIC, and NSDC staff while attending community events (either in person or virtual), sending or receiving NEBDHub communications (either written or verbal), or participating in community programs.

The NEBDHub encourages those who have experienced, witnessed, or become aware of conduct that violates this policy to come forward so that we can take appropriate steps to prevent such conduct from occurring in the future and to minimize its effects. To anonymously report an incident, please complete our online form.

We reserve the right to respond to violations of the NEBDHub Code of Conduct in the manner we deem appropriate.

Please email contact@nebigdatahub.org with any questions.

Learn more: https://nebigdatahub.org/code-of-conduct/
PNB Group

We'll explore collaboration opportunities for future data science projects and build our data science portfolios!

**4 Meetings per Year**

**June 28, 2024:** Explore opportunities for team data science research

**August 2, 2024:** Interview prep sessions and resume reviews

**October 25, 2024:** Practice professional communications and draft a cover letter

**January 10, 2025:** Build your digital project portfolio

**Between Meetings**

Stay in touch via LinkedIn: [bit.ly/PNBLinkedIn](bit.ly/PNBLinkedIn)

We’ll use this space to highlight your research accomplishments, share resources, do community polls and outreach.
Today’s Breakout Rooms

**Main Room:** PNB Central Team

**Room 1:** AI & ML

**Room 2:** Public Health & COVID

**Room 3:** Math, Finance & Business

**Room 4:** Psychology & Sociology

**Room 5:** Software Engineering

**Room 6:** Robotics & Engineering

**Room 7:** Computer Science & Programming

**Agenda:**
- What is Networking?
- Intro to Data Science Project Opportunities
- 35 minutes for networking (your choice of room, may want to visit more than one room)
  - We’ll drop icebreakers every 10 minutes if you need them
- Rejoin Main Room for Wrap Up

*Don’t forget to swap contact info or LinkedIn profiles!*
What is Networking?

Networking is:
- Developing relationships with either peers or people at a level above you to support your career development

Networking can:
- Help you find a good job at the right company
- Encourage your personal and professional growth
- Develop key skills and insights
- Introduce you to other contacts

Three Types of Networking:

- Personal
- Operational
- Strategic
Networking with People “Above” Your Level

**Tips:**
- Don’t be intimidated! They’re people too.
- Remember this is a relationship, so:
  - Direct the conversation by coming prepared with specific questions.
  - Share experiences or articles of mutual interest.
- Ask for introductions that could help you grow.
- Be respectful of their time! Understand that they’re busy and may not get back to you quickly.
- Keep up the momentum - calendar reminders.
- Don’t get discouraged!
Peer Networking is establishing professional relationships with people who share similar interests or career paths and can offer a platform for growth outside your organization.

Benefits:
- Identify possible collaborators
- Find supportive peers who share your interests
- Connect you with people who can point you to relevant resources and jobs
- Provide access to insider information
Final Tips for Networking

1) Keep yourself informed about what is happening in your field or community of interest. Be ready to share new or interesting perspectives with your network.

2) Don’t stop building your network! Don’t wait until you’re looking for a new job to get in touch with people.

3) Build a networking plan for yourself and visualize where you want to be in 2, 5, or 10 years!
COVID Information Commons (CIC)

**Student Working Group**
*Networking* - Meet other student researchers

bit.ly/CICStudentWG

**COVID-19 Data Visualization Project**
*Research* - Practice data visualization

bit.ly/DataVisProject

**Analyzing Pandemic Responses Project**
*Research* - Analysis with OXCGRT data set

bit.ly/APRProject

**Student Paper Challenge**
*Research* - Write original research papers for prizes

bit.ly/CICSPC2024
National Student Data Corps (NSDC)

**Data Science Projects**
*Research* - Learn new data science skills independently or in a group

bit.ly/nsdc-dsp

**OpenDS4All Participation**
*Leadership* - Create new content, moderate materials, lead outreach

nebigdatahub.org/opensds4all

**NSDC Chapters**
*Networking* - Build a data science community at your school

bit.ly/NSDC-Chapters

**Data Science Symposium**
*Research* - Create and present original data science projects

bit.ly/2024-nsdc-dss