United Arab Emirates
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The UAE's promotion of human rights without discrimination based on origin, sex, religion or language, and renouncement of violence and hate reflects our traditions and values and stresses on the principles Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan instilled in us, which we abide by to be one of the pioneering countries in protecting human rights.

His Highness/ Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan – May Allah bless him
President of the UAE

The United Arab Emirates is «a government that aims to build a decent society ... a tolerant environment ... cohesive families ... educated generations ... and equal economic opportunities for everyone».

His Highness/ Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum – May Allah bless him
Vice President, Prime Minister and Ruler of Dubai

Tolerance is one of the key values of the UAE society that is deeply rooted in our true Islamic religion. It is, also, one of the essential values established by the constitution, reflecting the UAE's abidance by the international conventions and agreements which focus on tolerance, coexistence, and renouncement of violence, extremism and hatred.

Based on the National Tolerance Program and the aspirations of our wise leadership for UAE to be a role model in tolerance and renouncement of hatred, contributing in spreading such high values in all countries, as stressed by His Highness/ Sheikh Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, Vice President, Prime Minister and Ruler of Dubai – May Allah bless him,
I, the undersigned, being fully willing and able, undertake to abide by the following as long as I work (as a faculty member) at public and private educational institutions:

* Abiding by teaching curricula and preparing students accordingly
* Respecting the UAE constitution and all applicable legislations and regulations in the UAE.
* Complying to the values and principles of tolerance, mercy and cooperation in dealing with all elements of the educational system inside and outside the system, in order to build a coherent society based on tolerance, peace and positive coexistence.
* Being governed in my behaviors and transactions with others by non-discrimination on the basis of origin, country, religion or social position, aiming at instilling good values inside and outside the educational system.
* Maintaining society's stability and coherence, and avoiding any saying, doing or act that may threaten societal peace and safety.
* Ensuring that the content supporting curriculum does not contain any hint or reference to discrimination, violence or hatred.

I, also, acknowledge that I received and read a copy of the Federal Decree-Law no. (2) of 2015 on Combating Discrimination and Hatred, and undertake not to commit any of the acts that are punishable as per the said Law or that breach the provisions of this Document.

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Position:
Employer:
Signature:
Date: