Chicago Area Archivists (CAA) Code of Conduct Policy

Adopted by the Chicago Area Archivists steering committee at its monthly meeting on Monday, May 18, 2020.

The Chicago Area Archivists (CAA) welcomes people regardless of ability, age, beliefs, color, ethnicity, family relationship, gender identity/expression, immigration status, individual lifestyle, marital status, national origin, physical appearance, race, religion, sex, sexual orientation, or veteran status. CAA does not tolerate harassment in any form. Harassment is any verbal, nonverbal, or physical contact that belittles, coerces, intimidates, silences or threatens.

All CAA members and all attendees, speakers, presenters, and exhibitors at any CAA-sponsored event or online forum are subject to the Code of Conduct and agree to acknowledge and abide by the Code of Conduct when they join or renew their membership in CAA or when they attend or participate in a CAA event or CAA online space.

Anyone who violates the Code of Conduct at a CAA event may be required to leave that event. Anyone who violates the Code of Conduct at a CAA online space may be denied access to that online space. The CAA Steering Committee will have final say on what constitutes a violation.