

Review of: "Academic Integrity in Poland: A Culturally Sensitive Code of Ethics Proposal"

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This is an interesting article but too long and written in a rather vague way that does not follow the standards of academic writing, from references in the abstract to nonprofessional style. The title is rather misleading as there is no concrete code of ethics proposed, but a call for a culturally sensitive code of ethics. It has not become clear how a code would be made more culturally sensitive. Also the well documented influence of communist regime and corruption is not well addressed, although it has been shown that corruption in general and academic cheating in particular are high in post-communist societies. Finally, it is not clear what is meant by “downloading” as academic misconduct. The article has to be more focused and concrete in its recommendations.