

<b>Title</b>	<b>Demonstrate knowledge of the principles of ethics as they apply to the architectural process</b>		
<b>Level</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>Credits</b>	<b>5</b>

<b>Purpose</b>	People credited with this unit standard are able to demonstrate knowledge of principles of ethics and integrity as they relate to the responsibilities of an architectural practice and demonstrate knowledge of equity and diversity of interests as they relate to architectural projects.
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<b>Classification</b>	Construction > Architectural Technology
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<b>Available grade</b>	Achieved
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### Guidance Information

- 1 Definitions  
In this unit standard the terms *equity* and *diversity of interests* refer to the need for architects to take into consideration all the interests related to a project.
- 2 Performance of all outcomes is carried out in accordance with enterprise and organisational standards and procedures unless otherwise stated. Enterprise and organisational standards and procedures may include: quality assurance, documentation, security, communication, health and safety, ethics, interpersonal behaviour, and environmental and sustainability principles. An acceptable standard would be comparable to ISO 9000 certified enterprises and organisations and those set by an incorporated professional or trade body. Examples of such bodies are New Zealand Institute of Architects, Design Association of New Zealand Incorporated, and Architectural Designers of New Zealand Incorporated.
- 3 Performance of all outcomes should be assessed within constraints normally applicable to a commercial environment.
- 4 All aspects covered by this unit standard must take into account the requirements of the Treaty of Waitangi, and the considerations of ethnic groups and their cultures.
- 5 Legislation relevant to this unit standard includes: Health and Safety in Employment Act 1992 and Health and Safety in Employment Regulations 1995;  
Resource Management Act 1991;  
Building Act 2004;  
Human Rights Act 1993.

## Outcomes and performance criteria

### Outcome 1

Demonstrate knowledge of principles of ethics and the concept of integrity as they relate to the responsibilities of an architectural practice.

#### Performance criteria

1.1 A potential project is analysed in terms of ethical principles.

Range ethical principles – cultural, design, environmental, business, professional, procurement methods, accountability.

1.2 The concept of integrity is described in terms of marketing and the method of negotiating with interested parties.

Range negotiating methods – persuasion, coercion, manipulation, exploitation.

### Outcome 2

Demonstrate knowledge of equity and diversity of interests as they relate to architectural projects.

#### Performance criteria

2.1 Description identifies and outlines requirements of interested parties in a negotiation situation.

Range requirements include – outline of each party’s position, method of reaching agreement, process for negotiation.

**This unit standard is expiring. Assessment against the standard must take place by the last date for assessment set out below.**

#### Status information and last date for assessment for superseded versions

Process	Version	Date	Last Date for Assessment
Registration	1	19 August 1998	31 December 2023
Revision	2	7 June 2000	31 December 2023
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Review	6	25 August 2022	31 December 2023

<b>Consent and Moderation Requirements (CMR) reference</b>	0048
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This CMR can be accessed at <http://www.nzqa.govt.nz/framework/search/index.do>.

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