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Notes on the 'Guidelines for Ensuring Good Scientific Practice and Dealing with Scientific Misconduct at the Eberhard Karls University of Tübingen'

(Senate resolution from 25.05.2000)

Due to lack of space, only the main instances of scientific misconduct are mentioned here, without this list claiming to be complete. The text is essentially taken from the above-mentioned guidelines, shortened and adapted and translated into English.

The complete notes are also available in full text on the pages of the Department of Computer Science at the University of Tübingen (see „Richtlinien wissenschaftliches Fehlverhalten (PDF)“ via <https://uni-tuebingen.de/it/74351>). Please read these guidelines thoroughly.

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- Misrepresentation:
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- Unauthorised exploitation with presumption of authorship (plagiarism)
- Infringement of intellectual property
 - in relation to a work protected by copyright created by another person
 - or essential scientific findings, hypotheses originating from others
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- Disposal of primary data, insofar as this contravenes legal provisions or violates discipline-related recognised principles of scientific work.
- Joint responsibility for misconduct may arise from, among other things,
- active participation in the misconduct of others,
 - Co-knowledge of forgery by others
 - Co-authorship of publications containing forgeries

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