Volunteer Code of Conduct

SIPA’s Office of Development and Alumni Relations and the SIPA Alumni Association are committed to supporting and maintaining an accessible and visible community where diversity of identity and thought is respected and celebrated. The participants in all SIPA alumni programs, activities, and volunteer opportunities are charged with creating environments where alumni, students, families, faculty, staff, and friends of SIPA treat each individual and group with collegiality, inclusivity, and respect. All volunteers are expected to read and comply with this volunteer code of conduct while acting as a volunteer on behalf of SIPA and attending alumni-related events on or off campus. This code has been developed to help ensure that alumni volunteer experiences are meaningful, productive, and safe for all participants.

SIPA alumni volunteers agree to:

- Conduct themselves in a professional and respectful manner to foster a safe, positive, and engaging collaborative community of alumni, staff, faculty, and students.
- Foster a diverse and inclusive environment for all members of the SIPA community and guests.
- Follow policies on the use of the SIPA name, logo, and brand, and handle sensitive information with care and only use it for its intended purpose.

Volunteers understand that Columbia SIPA may exclude from SIPA alumni events and activities any person whose behavior adversely affects the safety, enjoyment and well-being of any SIPA alumni, employees, or guests.