

## Ethics

**Due at the Start of Lab: Lab 1**

### Rationale for Today's Lab Session

All students in this course will participate in research training activities, including designing survey items, collecting pilot data, conducting a naturalistic observation, and proposing an experiment. The Institutional Review Board considers this “non-research” because there is no intent to publish any of these findings. Nonetheless, ethical issues can arise even in these research training activities, meaning that it is important for students to complete an ethics training program, called CITI. The CITI training is also often needed as the first step for students to become more involved with on-campus research.

### Objectives

- Complete the online CITI training: <https://www.citiprogram.org/>
- Begin by clicking the Register button to create an account
- On pages 1-6, choose the best options
- On page 7, choose
  - “Group 2” for Question 1
  - “Not at this time” for Question 2
  - **“Not at this time”** for Question 3
  - “No” for Question 4
  - Leave blank for Question 5, unless you would like to complete one of those courses
  - “No, not at this time” for Question 6
- Complete the Basic Course training modules (approximately 18, not 40) and pass the quizzes. Not all modules have quizzes. This may take more than the time allotted for this week's lab.
- Once finished, print a page documenting your satisfactory completion ([You can view a copy of Mike's at http://psychmike.com/CITI.pdf](http://psychmike.com/CITI.pdf), though it may include a few modules not required for you). You will hand this in with Paper 1 for 10 points on that paper.

If you have already completed CITI training through your previous involvement in research, log in, verify that your modules and quizzes are up-to-date, and print a page documenting your satisfactory completion. [The best way to verify whether you've completed the correct modules is by comparing yours with Mike's. Alternatively, you can log in, click on the “Add a Course or](#)

| Update Learner Groups,” and make sure you have selected “Group 2” for Question 1. You will hand this in with Paper 1 for 10 points on that paper. Seek permission from the laboratory instructor to leave early.