



**UNIVERSITY OF ENERGY AND NATURAL RESOURCES,  
SUNYANI, GHANA  
SCHOOL OF SCIENCES  
COMMITTEE FOR HUMAN RESEARCH AND ETHICS**

The University Community is by this notice informed that in line with the University's research ethics policy an Ethical Review Board the Committee for Human Research and Ethics" has been formed at the School of Sciences.

The Committee for Human Research and Ethics (CHRE) accepts applications for review of life-based research protocols usually pertaining to, but not limited to, the life sciences. For the avoidance of doubt, this includes all research than poses "more than minimal risk" to living subjects. In practical terms studies that involve "more than minimal risk", and therefore require ethical review, may include: studies where the intention is to submit findings for publication in journals, oral presentations, books, web-pages, and other media, or as part of coursework; studies involving the collection or analysis of data that could be used to identify participants (including email addresses or other contact details); physical contact with participants; any risk of discomfort or inconvenience to participants; any risk of psychological distress to participants or their families; participants recruited from vulnerable groups, in particular children and those whose capacity to consent to participation may be challengeable because they have a temporary, fluctuating, or permanent impairment in, or disturbance of the functioning of the mind or brain; data collection that will be undertaken overseas. If the study contains any of these elements, then prospective researchers are advised to seek ethical review of study protocols from the Committee ahead of time.

**How To Apply**

Staff and Students who intend to submit their research projects for ethical review can now apply [online](#). For further inquiries, the following persons can be contacted:

The Dean, School of Sciences (Prof. Samuel Fosu Gyasi)- 0268189473

The Chair (Prof. Adebayor Felix Adekoya) - 0546169166

The Head, Centre for Research in Applied Biology (Dr. Emmanuel Timmy Donkoh)-  
0209171671

The Secretary, Ethics Committee (Ms. Paschalina Baatuolkuu) – 0543947870

## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR APPLICATION**

- a. The Committee now accepts applications online. The online application form can be accessed from the University website or by clicking [here](#).
- b. All research proposals submitted to the Committee should follow the recommended format ([Template for Proposals](#)).
- c. Proof of payment of fees shall be uploaded during the online application (See [Schedule of Fees](#)).

## **ACCOUNT DETAILS**

Account name: Committee for Human Research and Ethics (University of Energy and Natural Resources)

Bank name: Zenith bank

Account numbers:

CEDI Account number- 6011708994

EUR Account number- 7031700698

USD Account number- 6041702951