

SCHEDULE

PM13 Engineering and Research Ethics, 5 hec

Version 2025-10-15 (version 3)

Schedule 2026 (preliminary)

When	Topic and description	Responsible
January 19, 2026 kl. 10-15	Introduction: Course content and design - Why ethics? - The role of ethics in science and technology - Historical examples of ethical violations Reflect: What is ethics in research and engineering for you?	Teacher: Kicki Säfsten
February 10, 2026 kl. 10-15	Meeting 2: Good research practice and scientific misconduct Discussion: What is the research practice in your context? (based on the students' reflections)	Teacher: Kicki Säfsten
March 3, 2026 kl. 10-15	Meeting 3: Ethical approval Practical exercise and discussion.	Teacher: Myriam Aries
March 19, 2026 kl. 10-15	Assignment 1 seminar	Doctoral students
April 14, 2026 kl. 9-15	Meeting 4: Basic ethical theories (duty ethics, consequentialist ethics, virtue ethics), introduction of a model for the consideration of ethical issues. Exercise: Work with the model to assess and discuss thical dilemmas.	Teacher: Thomas Lennerfors
April 29, 2026 kl. 10-15	Meeting 5: Engineering ethics professional codes – historical development and current practice. Discuss the reflections from watching the movies in relation to professional codes. Discuss the role of codes.	Teacher: Kicki Säfsten
May 12, 2026 kl. 10-15	Assignment 2 seminar	Doctoral students
June 4 and 5, 2026 kl. 9-16	Assignment 3 seminars	Doctoral students