



Statement on Ethics

We, the members of the Louis Round Wilson Academy, mindful of our personal and professional responsibilities as stewards of The Knowledge TrustSM, and of our duty to those who will succeed us, do, on this day, April 27th, 2006, in the ancient City and University of Granada, hereby adopt and affirm the following:

Statement on Ethics, The Knowledge TrustSM and its Stewards

Be it resolved that ethical stewardship of The Knowledge TrustSM implies an unremitting dedication to the following principles:

- A commitment to personal stewardship of the global knowledge trust characterized by personal integrity, honesty and respect for diverse perspectives;
- An unremitting dedication to trustworthiness, with an abiding respect and regard for maintaining the vital role of public trust on one's personal reputation and the standing of the profession;
- An unwavering dedication to the principle of clear, open and readily accessible validation of the authenticity of all materials residing in the global knowledge trust;
- A principled dedication to respect;
- A personal dedication to an active engagement in the increase and diffusion of knowledge, and a commitment to service as its uncompromising advocate;
- A commitment to "Eternal hostility against every form of tyranny over the mind of man;" and
- A resolve to exhibit the courage commensurate with the nobility of one's convictions.