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Project of IPRO 339:
Sustainable Student Housing from Recycled Shipping Containers.

Overarching Principle:
“Design a living environment for students by providing safe, affordable and comfortable housing as well as nurturing more responsible, sustainable development.”

Personal Relationships:
Canon: We will maintain respectful and selfless relationships with team members, sponsors and clients in order to deliver the best possible product.
Pressure: To want one’s own project ideas to ultimately be used over another member’s idea.
Risk: To not offer full support to someone else’s idea.
Risk: To have a prideful and competitive attitude to the detriment of the final product.
Measure: Compliance with this canon will be determined by whole-heartedly supporting the design choices chosen by the consensus of the group.

Law and Professional Codes:
Canon: We will allow enough time to adequately research local laws to ensure the safety and well being of the occupants.
Pressure: To complete the project within time constraints
Risk: To not become familiar with local laws regarding housing developments
Measure: Compliance with this canon will be determined by the absence of legal actions taken against participating companies for violating local laws and regulations.

Authorship:
Canon: We will take active and visible responsibility, during the design process, for the resultant work.
Pressure: To complete recently assigned project within time constraints.
Risk: To obscure authorship, by copying the actual design and hiding its origins.
Measure: Compliance with this canon will be determined by the absence of legal actions taken against participating companies for violating authorship laws and regulations.

Community:
Canon: We will strive to create a sense of pride for residents of the community.
Pressure: To create a dense student community of stripped-down units in order to bring the cost per unit down.
Risk: Create harsh industrial looking structures that are too impersonal.
Measure: Compliance with this canon will be determined by care given to the design of a building, in effect, care shown to the public who have to live with it.