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## Responsible Conduct of Research: The Government's Role – and Rationale

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<b></b>	Lunch will be provided	•
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Increased attention to scientific integrity and the responsible conduct of research is driven by a number of forces, including intellectual excitement, federal rules and dramatic examples of misconduct. In fact, much of the Federal government now sees its role as being that of a source of tools, encouragement and support, rather than as police officer and regulator.

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