Dear CVM Teaching Academy Colleagues-

The new issue of *The Journal of Microbiology and Biology Education (JMBE)* features a themed section on **ETHICS**. While you may not teach this precise topic in your courses, you’ll be surprised how ethical issues permeate research, writing + publishing, client interactions and other aspects of our students’ training. I encourage you to explore the December issue of JMBE here: [http://jmbe.asm.org/index.php/jmbe/issue/view/27](http://jmbe.asm.org/index.php/jmbe/issue/view/27)

For full disclosure, I am the Reviews Section editor for this journal. I hope you’ll send me feedback on our first thematic section and ways this journal can better serve your needs in the future.

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