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You must not misuse our site by knowingly introducing viruses, Trojans, worms, logic bombs, or other material which is malicious or technologically harmful. You must not attempt to gain unauthorized access to the Site or any part of it, the server on which our site is stored, or any server, computer, or database connected to our site. You must not attack our site via a denial-of-service attack or a distributed denial-of-service-attack.

By breaching this provision, you would commit a criminal offense under the Computer Misuse Act 1990. We will report any such breach to the relevant law enforcement authorities and we will co-operate with those authorities by disclosing your identity to them. In the event of such a breach, your right to use our site will cease immediately.

We will not be liable for any loss or damage caused by a distributed denial-of-service attack, viruses, or other technologically harmful material that may infect your computer equipment, computer programs, data, or other proprietary material due to your use of our site or due to your downloading of any material posted on it, or any website linked to it.

### **4. Links from the Site**

Where our site contains links to other sites and resources provided by third parties, these links are for your information only. We have no control over the contents of these sites or resources and accept no responsibility for them or for any loss or damage that may arise from your use of them.

## **Part II - Intellectual property and access and license types**

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Any note or other user-generated content added to the Site must not:

- Be defamatory of any person and/or otherwise be unlawful or fraudulent, or have any unlawful or fraudulent purpose or effect;
- Be obscene, offensive, hateful, or inflammatory;
- Promote discrimination based on race, sex, religion, nationality, disability, sexual orientation, or age;
- Disclose the name, address, telephone, mobile, or fax number, email address or any other personal data in respect of any individual;
- Infringe any copyright, database right, or trade mark of any other person;
- Breach any legal duty owed to a third party, such as a contractual duty or a duty of confidence;
- Be in contempt of court;
- Be likely to harass, upset, embarrass, alarm, or annoy any other person;
- Impersonate any person, or misrepresent your identity or affiliation with any person;
- Give the impression that the contribution emanates from Informa if this is not the case;
- Advocate, promote, incite any third party to commit, or assist any unlawful or criminal act;
- Contain a statement which you know or believe, or have reasonable grounds for believing, that members of the public to whom the statement is, or is to be, published are likely to understand as a direct or indirect encouragement or other inducement to the commission, preparation, or instigation of acts of terrorism; and/ or
- Contain any advertising or promote any services or Web links to other sites.

#### **7. Breach of Content Standards**

If we, acting reasonably, consider that a breach of the Content Standards has occurred, we may at our discretion take such action as we deem appropriate. Failure to comply with these rules constitutes a material breach of the terms of use on which you are permitted to contribute to the Site, and may result in our taking all or any of the following actions:

- Immediate, temporary, or permanent withdrawal of your right to use the Site;
- Immediate, temporary, or permanent removal of any contribution already posted on the Site;
- Issue of a warning to you;
- Legal proceedings against you for reimbursement of all costs on an indemnity basis (including, but not limited to, reasonable administrative and legal costs) resulting from the breach;
- Further legal action against you; and/or
- Disclosure of such information to law enforcement authorities as we reasonably feel is necessary or as required by law.

We exclude our liability for all action we may take in response to breaches of these rules. The actions described above are not limited, and we may take any other action we reasonably deem appropriate.

#### **8. Grant of license in contributions and moderation policy**

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Whilst Informa is under no obligation to moderate your contribution, we reserve the right to do so and exclude any liability for loss or damage you may suffer through your use of the Site.

Please also note that in accordance with the Content Standards set out in these terms, you must ensure that your contribution does not infringe any Intellectual Property right of any other person. By submitting your contribution to Routledge Interactive, you are warranting that you have the right to grant Informa the non-exclusive copyright license described above and you indemnify us for any breach of that warranty. You also warrant to take such steps as may be necessary to give effect to the license granted above. We have the right to disclose your identity to any third party who is claiming that any material posted or uploaded by you to our site constitutes a violation of the intellectual property rights.

## **9. Complaints**

If you wish to complain about any contribution posted to the Site, please contact [support@tandfonline.com](mailto:support@tandfonline.com). We will then review the contribution and decide whether it complies with our Content Standards. We will deal with any contribution which, in our opinion, violates our Content Standards as described above. We will inform you of the outcome of our review within a reasonable time of receiving your complaint.

## **Part IV - General provisions**

### **10. Written communications**

Applicable laws require that some of the information or communications we send to you should be in writing. When using our site, you accept that communication with us will be mainly electronic. We will contact you by email or provide you with information by posting notices on our website. For contractual purposes, you agree to this electronic means of communication and you acknowledge that all contracts, notices, information, and other communications that we provide to you electronically comply with any legal requirement that such communications be in writing. This communication does not affect your statutory rights.

### **11. Confidentiality**

You agree to keep confidential all information concerning the business or affairs of Informa. This does not apply to any disclosure required by a court or regulatory body of competent jurisdiction, trivial information, or information already publicly available or demonstrably in your possession at the time of disclosure (other than as a result of breach of any confidentiality obligation).

### **12. Notices**

All notices given by you to us must be given to Informa at [support@tandfonline.com](mailto:support@tandfonline.com). We may give notice to you at either the email or postal address you provide to us when placing your order. Notice will be deemed received and properly served immediately when posted on our website, 24 hours after an email is sent or three days after the posting of a letter. In proving the service of any notice, it will be sufficient to prove in the case of a letter that such letter was properly addressed, stamped, and placed in the post and, in the case of an email, that such email was sent to the specified email address of the addressee.

### **13. Transfer of rights and obligations**

You may not transfer, assign, charge, or otherwise dispose of any of your rights or obligations arising under these terms or any such contract, without our prior written consent.

We may transfer, assign, charge, sub-contract, or otherwise dispose of any of our rights or

obligations arising under these terms or any contract arising related to your use of the Site, at any time.

#### **14. Events outside our control**

We will not be liable or responsible for any failure to perform, or delay in performance of, any of our obligations under a contract that is caused by events outside our reasonable control (Force Majeure Event).

A Force Majeure Event includes any act, event, non-happening, omission, or accident beyond our reasonable control and includes in particular (without limitation) strikes, lock-outs or other industrial action, civil commotion, riot, invasion, terrorist attack or threat of terrorist attack, war (whether declared or not) or threat or preparation for war, fire, explosion, storm, flood, earthquake, subsidence, epidemic or other natural disaster, impossibility of the use of railways, shipping, aircraft, motor transport or other means of public or private transport, impossibility of the use of public or private telecommunications networks and the acts, decrees, legislation, regulations, or restrictions of any government.

Our performance under these terms is deemed to be suspended for the period that the Force Majeure Event continues, and we will have an extension of time for performance for the duration of that period. We will use our reasonable endeavors to bring the Force Majeure Event to a close or to find a solution by which our obligations under the contract may be performed despite the Force Majeure Event.

#### **15. Waiver**

If we fail, at any time, to insist upon strict performance of any of your obligations under any of these terms, or if we fail to exercise any of the rights or remedies to which we are entitled under these terms, this shall not constitute a waiver of such rights or remedies and shall not relieve you from compliance with such obligations. A waiver by us of any default shall not constitute a waiver of any subsequent default and no waiver by us of any of these terms shall be effective unless it is expressly stated to be a waiver and is communicated to you in writing in accordance with clause 12 above.

#### **16. Severability**

If any of these terms or any provisions of a contract are determined by any competent authority to be invalid, unlawful, or unenforceable to any extent, such term, condition, or provision will to that extent be severed from the remaining terms, conditions, and provisions which will continue to be valid to the fullest extent permitted by law.

#### **17. Entire agreement**

These terms and conditions and any document expressly referred to in them represent the entire agreement between us in relation to the subject matter of any contract and supersede any prior agreement, understanding, or arrangement between us, whether oral or in writing.

We each acknowledge that, in entering into a contract, neither of us has relied on any representation, undertaking, or promise given by the other or implied from anything said or written in negotiations between us prior to such contract, except as expressly stated in these terms and conditions.

Neither of us shall have any remedy in respect of any untrue statement made by the other, whether orally or in writing, prior to the date of any contract (unless such untrue statement was made fraudulently) and the other part's only remedy shall be for breach of contract as provided in these terms and conditions.

#### **18. Our right to vary these terms**

We have the right to revise and amend these terms or any clause contained within them from time to time to reflect changes in market conditions affecting our business, changes in technology, changes in payment methods, changes in relevant laws and regulatory requirements, and changes in our system's capabilities except that such revisions or amendments do not apply to any dispute between you and us arising, or arising out of events occurring, before the date of such revision or amendment.

You will be subject to the policies and terms and conditions in force at the time that you order products from us, unless any change to those policies or these terms is required to be made by law or governmental authority (in which case it will apply to orders previously placed by you), or if we notify you of the change to those policies or these terms before we send you the Dispatch Confirmation (in which case we have the right to assume that you have accepted the change to the terms and conditions, unless you notify us to the contrary within seven working days of receipt by you of the products).

#### **19. Law and jurisdiction**

You agree that the courts of England shall have exclusive jurisdiction to settle any disputes arising out of or in connection with these terms or their formation. For these purposes each party irrevocably submits to the jurisdiction of the courts of England.

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