

Changes suggested by *Ad Hoc* Committee on Contested Territories report:

1. We suggest a modest revision of section E 7 in the Policy on Professional Conduct to strengthen the language. Rather than “they [ASOR Members] may consider for inclusion in ASOR publications and presentation venues research that has been undertaken in occupied territory”, we suggest: “In general, ASOR publications and presentation venues will not be platforms for disseminating research that has been undertaken in occupied territory as recognized by the United Nations. When permission of the national authorities of the occupied territory has been obtained by the researcher, or when that research is crucial to safeguard, record, or preserve the archaeological heritage of the occupied territory, publication may be considered.”
2. We also suggest a modest addition to section C 1 in the Policy on Professional Conduct. That section currently reads that “[ASOR members endeavor to] conduct research according to highest possible professional standards current in the various disciplines” and we would suggest appending to that statement “, and to work collaboratively with authorities, professional colleagues, and local communities to the extent possible.”

