

# **MANIFESTO**

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### **Intentions:**

My intention as part of the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners is to dispel some of the misconceptions about the ACFE and the role it plays in the broader fight against the ever growing threat of fraud and the impact of it on the society.

### **Opinions:**

My belief is that once the barriers of the individualistic investigation approach can be breached, the perpetrators of fraud and related criminal activities can be properly addressed and an impact can be made to be witnessed by the most affected.

### **Vision:**

I envisage the Eastern Cape community and South Africa as a whole rid of fraud, related crimes and misconduct, where the most needy are recognized and respected where they too can enjoy a life where the most basic elements are readily available and accessible to young and old.

### **Invitation:**

It is my wish that professionals in the field of forensic investigation and especially fraud-related investigations can lock arms and take the fight to those who prey on the most vulnerable.