



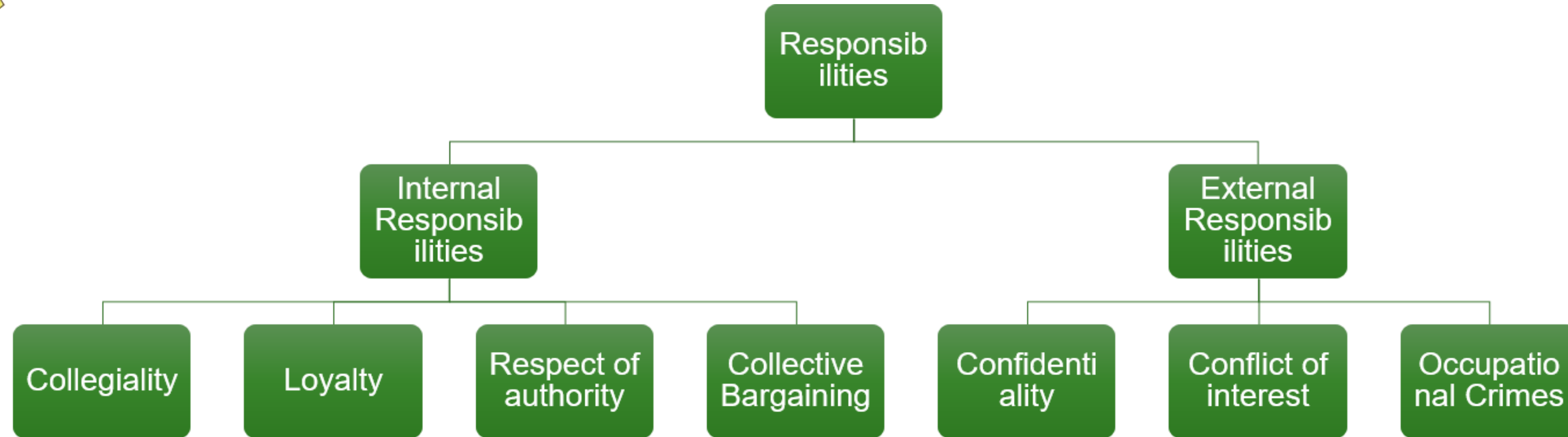
What We'll Discuss

TOPIC OUTLINE

External Responsibilities
Types of Crime
Occupational Crime



Responsibilities of Engineers



Internal Responsibilities:

- Responsibilities of an engineer towards an employer, that the Responsibilities within an organization

External Responsibilities :

- Responsibilities of an engineer towards outside world, that the Responsibilities outside organization



External Responsibilities



- Responsibilities of an engineer towards outside world, that the
Responsibilities outside organization
- It includes
 - Confidentiality
 - Conflict of interest
 - Occupational crimes



Types of Crimes



- **Domestic crime**

Non-accidental crime committed by members of the family

- **Professional Crime**

When crime is pursued as a profession or day to day occupation

Blue collar crime (or) Street crime

Crime against person, property (theft, assault on a person, rape)

- **Victimless crime**

Person who commits the crime is the victim of the crime. E.g. Drug addiction

- **Hate crime**

Crime done on the banner of religion, community, linguistics



Occupational crimes



- **Occupational crimes are illegal acts made possible through one's lawful employment.**
- **It is the secretive violation of laws regulating work activities.**
- **When committed by office workers or professionals, occupational crime is called "white collar crime"**
- **Most of occupational crimes are special instances of conflicts of interests.**
- **These crimes are motivated by personal greed, corporate ambition, misguided company loyalty**
- **Examples:**
 - **Price Fixing**
 - **Endangering lives**
 - **Industrial espionage**



Occupational crime of price fixing

- **While fixing price for any product or service sometimes all competitors come together and jointly set up the price to be charged. These are called pricing cartels.**
- **This is unfair and unethical practice**
- **Example: 1983, Washington power bids**
- **Laws are enforced which forbids companies from jointly fixing**



Endangering lives

- **Some companies employ workers without disclosing them harmful health effects and safety hazards about the working environment**
- **This is kind of occupational crimes**



Industrial Espionage(spying)

- Industrial spying
- Espionage refers secret gathering of information in order to influence relationships between two entities
- The vital information's are secretly gathered through espionage agents for economic gains



People Committing Occupational Crimes

- Usually have high standard of education
- From a non-criminal family background
- Middle class male around 27 years of age (70% of the time) with no previous history
- No involvement in drug or alcohol abuse
- Those who had troublesome life experience in the childhood (Blum)



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