

### Title 5.2 §41301

### **A. Campus Community Values**

The University is committed to maintaining a safe and healthy living and learning environment for students, faculty, and staff. Each member of the campus community should choose behaviors that contribute toward this end. Students are expected to be good citizens and to engage in responsible behaviors that reflect well upon their university, to be civil to one another and to others in the campus community, and contribute positively to student and university life.

# **B. Grounds for Student Discipline**

Student behavior that is not consistent with the Student Conduct Code is addressed through an educational process that is designed to promote safety and good citizenship and, when necessary, impose appropriate consequences.

The following are the grounds upon which student discipline can be based:

### 1. Dishonesty, including

- a. Cheating, plagiarism, or other forms of academic dishonesty that are intended to gain unfair academic advantage.
- b. Furnishing false information to a University official, faculty member, or campus office.
- c. Forgery, alteration, or misuse of a University document, key, or identification instrument.
- d. Misrepresenting one's self to be an authorized agent of the University or one of its auxiliaries.

- 10. Use, possession, manufacture, or distribution of alcoholic beverages (except as expressly permitted by law and University regulations), or public intoxication while on campus or at a University related activity.
- 11. Theft of property or services from the University community, or misappropriation of University resources.
- 12. Unauthorized destruction, or damage to University property or other property in the University community.
- 13. Possession or misuse of firearms or guns, replicas, ammunition, explosives, fireworks, knives, other weapons, or dangerous chemicals (without the prior authorization of the campus president) on campus or at a University related activity.
- 14. Unauthorized recording, dissemination, or publication of academic presentations (including handwritten notes) for a commercial purpose.
- 15. Misuse of computer facilities or resources, including:
  - a. Unauthorized entry into a file, for any purpose.
  - b. Unauthorized transfer of a file.
  - c. Use of another's identification or password.
  - d. Use of computing facilities, campus network, or other resources to interfere with the work of another member of the University community.
  - e. Use of computing facilities and resources to send obscene or intimidating and abusive messages.
  - f. Use of computing facilities and resources to interfere with normal University operations.
  - g. Use of computing facilities and resources in violation of copyright laws.
  - h. Violation of a campus computer use policy.

- 16. Violation of any published University policy, rule, regulation or presidential order.
- 17. Failure to comply with directions or, or interference with, any University official or any public safety officer while acting in the performance of his/her duties.
- 18. Any act chargeable as a violation of a federal, state, or local law that poses a substantial threat to the safety or well being of members of the University community, to property within the University community or poses a significant threat of disruption or interference with University operations.
- 19. Violation of the Student Conduct Procedures, including
  - a. Falsification, distortion, or misrepresentation of information related to a student discipline matter.
  - b. Disruption or interference with the orderly progress of a student discipline proceeding.
  - c. Initiation of a student discipline proceeding in bad faith.
  - d. Attempting to discourage another from participating in the student discipline matter.
  - e. Attempting to influence the impartiality of any participant in a student discipline matter.
  - f. Verbal or physical harassment or intimidation of any participant in a student discipline matter.
  - g. Failure to comply with the sanction(s) imposed under a student discipline proceeding.
- 20. Encouraging, permitting or assisting another to do any act that could subject him or her to discipline.

## **C. Procedures for Enforcing This Code**

The Chancellor shall adopt procedures to ensure students are afforded appropriate notice and an opportunity to be heard before the University imposes any sanction for a violation of the Student Conduct Code.