



# The University of Georgia

University Council  
Athens, Georgia 30602

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Dear Colleagues:

The attached 2012-2013 Academic Honesty Report is forwarded for information only. We request that it be placed on the April 10, 2014, Executive Committee agenda in order to be considered for inclusion on the agenda for the April 23, 2014, meeting of University Council.

Sincerely,

Rodney Mauricio, Ph.D., Chair  
Educational Affairs Committee



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Dr. Rodney Mauricio, Chair  
Educational Affairs Committee  
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Dear Dr. Mauricio:

In accordance with *A Culture of Honesty*, the university's academic honesty policy and procedures, I am providing the University Council with the attached report for the 2012-2013 academic year.

In addition to administering the university's academic honesty policy and speaking to numerous groups of students, faculty and teaching assistants, we continue to make every effort to resolve faculty concerns about possible cases of academic dishonesty quickly and fairly. As in the past, the Student Academic Honesty Council members provide an important service to the University by speaking to student groups and distributing reminders about the university's honor code. The Council and our office will sponsor several events for faculty and students during Academic Integrity Week scheduled for March 31-April 4, 2014.

I am grateful for the assistance provided by our faculty and professional staff who assist in facilitating academic honesty discussions, the service of faculty and students who volunteer to serve as panel members, and to those who support and promote academic integrity at UGA by reporting concerns, requesting speakers, and seeking guidance about issues of possible academic dishonesty.

If you have questions or would like additional information, please feel free to contact me.

Sincerely,

Deborah C. Bell  
Director for Academic Honesty

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c. Laura Jolly, Vice President for Instruction

UGA - Academic Honesty  
2012-2013

**FALL 2012**

Plagiarism – 15%

Unauthorized Assistance – 84%

Misc - Lying/Tampering/Bribery & Theft – 4%

(Categories may exceed total of students reported due to allegations including more than one type of violation)

Student - Undergraduate – 98% Graduate- 2%

Expulsions - 1

<b>Total # of Students Reported</b>	<b>715</b>	
Allegation Withdrawn	2	
<b>Facilitated Discussion</b>		
Students - Admitted Violation	606	85%
Case Dismissed	89	12%
No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	18	
<b>Continued Discussion – 3%</b>	18	
Violation	8	
Dismissed	10	
<b>Multiple Violations Review Board</b>	8	

**SPRING 2013**

Plagiarism – 39%

Unauthorized Assistance – 66%

Misc - Lying/Tampering/Bribery & Theft – 6%

(Categories may exceed total of students reported due to allegations including more than one type of violation)

Student – Undergraduate- 83% /Graduate – 17%

Expulsions - 2

<b>Total # of Students Reported</b>	<b>273</b>	
Allegation Withdrawn	3	
<b>Facilitated Discussion</b>		
Students - Admitted Violation	170	63%
Case Dismissed	88	32%
No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	12	4%
<b>Continued Discussion - 4%</b>	12	
Violation	9	
Dismissed	3	
<b>Multiple Violations Review Board</b>	11	

**SUMMER 2013**

Plagiarism – 29%

Unauthorized Assistance – 67%

Misc - Lying/Tampering/Bribery & Theft – 1%

(Categories may exceed total of students reported due to allegations including more than one type of violation)

Student - Undergraduate -96% Graduate- 4%

Expulsions - 1

<b>Total # of Students Reported</b>	<b>24</b>	
Allegation Withdrawn	0	
<b>Facilitated Discussion</b>		
Students - Admitted Violation	14	
Case Dismissed	4	
No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	6	
<b>Continued Discussion – 25%</b>		
Violation	5	
Dismissed	1	
<b>Multiple Violations Review Board</b>	1	

**Academic Year – 2012-2013**

Plagiarism – 22%

Unauthorized Assistance – 78%

Misc - Lying/Tampering/Bribery & Theft – 5%

(Categories may exceed total of students reported due to allegations including more than one type of violation)

Undergraduate Students 94%/Graduate Students 6%

Expulsions -

<b>Total # of Students Reported</b>	<b>1012</b>	
Allegation Withdrawn	5	
<b>Facilitated Discussion</b>		
Students - Admitted Violation	790	78%
Case Dismissed	181	18%
No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	36	4%
<b>Continued Discussion – 4%</b>		
Violation	22	
Dismissed	14	
<b>Multiple Violations Review Board</b>	20	

## UGA – Academic Honesty Information 2007-2013

