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Dr. Rodney Mauricio, Chair Educational Affairs Committee C224 Davison Life Sciences Building CAMPUS – 7223

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

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Allegation Withdrawn	2	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No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	18	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

Total # of Students Reported	27	273	
Allegation Withdrawn	3		
Facilitated Discussion			
Students - Admitted Violation	170	63%	
Case Dismissed	88	32%	
No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	12	4%	
Continued Discussion - 4%	12		
Violation	9		
Dismissed	3		
Multiple Violations Review Board	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

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Allegation Withdrawn	0		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No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	6		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

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Allegation Withdrawn	5	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No Agreement or Agreement Rescinded	36	4%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

UGA – Academic Honesty Information 2007-2013

