

What you should know before you go!!!
UCR Student Conduct & Academic Integrity Programs
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Definitions

University of California Policies Applying to Campus Activities, Organizations, and Students.
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14.40 Student

The term "student" means an individual for whom the University maintains student records and who: (a) is enrolled in or registered with an academic program of the University; (b) has completed the immediately preceding term, is not presently enrolled, and is eligible for re-enrollment; or (c) is on an approved educational leave or other approved leave status, or is on filing-fee status.

14.50 University

The term "University" means the University of California and includes all campuses, the Office of the President, the Division of Agriculture and Natural Resources, and each Department of Energy Laboratory operated by the University.

101.00 Student Conduct

Students are members of both society and the University community, with attendant rights and responsibilities. Students are expected to comply with all laws and with University policies and campus regulations.

The standards of conduct apply to students as the term 'student' is defined in Section 14.40 of these Policies. They also apply to:

- a. applicants who become students, for offenses committed as part of the application process;
- b. applicants who become students, for offenses committed on campus and/or while participating in University-related events or activities that take place following a student's submittal of the application through his or her official enrollment; and
- c. former students for offenses committed while a student.

If specified in implementing campus regulations, these standards of conduct may apply to conduct that occurs off campus and that would violate student conduct and discipline policies or regulations if the conduct occurred on campus.

University of California, Riverside Administration of Standards of Conduct. Retrieved April 30, 2008, from <http://conduct.ucr.edu/Policies/Administration+of+Standards.htm>

3.00 JURISDICTION

3.10 Types of Cases.

Cases involving alleged misconduct under the following categories of rules governing student conduct shall be referred to the Office of Student Judicial Affairs or Student Conduct Committee:

- University of California system-wide policies (See Appendix A)
- Campus-wide rules
- Rules established by campus entities (such as departments, residence units, and professional schools) that are applicable to their particular students.

3.20 On-Campus Jurisdiction.

These provisions govern student conduct on, or as it relates to University property, or at official University functions and University-sponsored programs conducted away from the campus. University property is defined for purposes of these Standards of Conduct as all land, buildings, facilities or other grounds or structures, or any item in possession of or owned, used, maintained or controlled by the University or designated by the campus as subject to these policies. University property also includes computers and network systems owned, maintained or controlled by the University or funded by University budgets or designated by the campus as subject to these policies.

3.30 Off Campus Jurisdiction.

Student conduct that occurs off University property is subject to UCR Standards of Conduct where it 1) adversely affects the health, safety, or security of any member of the University community, or the mission of the University, or 2) involves academic work or any records, or documents of the University. In determining whether or not to exercise jurisdiction over such conduct, the University shall consider the seriousness of the alleged offense, the risk of harm involved, whether the victim(s) are members of the campus community and/or whether the off-campus conduct is part of a series of actions, which occurred both on and off University property. Recommendations to extend jurisdiction will be reviewed by the Assistant Vice Chancellor for Student Affairs.

The University may also exercise jurisdiction over student conduct that occurs off campus where, the conduct compromises University neighbor relations.

**UC SYSTEMWIDE STANDARDS OF CONDUCT FOR STUDENTS:
102.00 GROUNDS FOR DISCIPLINE**

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Chancellors may impose discipline for the commission or attempted commission (including aiding or abetting in the commission or attempted commission) of the following types of violations by students, as well as such other violations as may be specified in campus regulations:

102.01 Academic Misconduct	All forms of academic misconduct including but not limited to cheating, fabrication, plagiarism, or facilitating academic dishonesty.
102.02 Dishonesty	Other forms of dishonesty including but not limited to fabricating information, furnishing false information, or reporting a false emergency to the University.
102.03 Forgery, alteration, or misuse	Forgery, alteration, or misuse of any University document, record, key, electronic device, or identification.
102.04 Theft, conversion, destruction, or damage to property	Theft of, conversion of, destruction of, or damage to any property of the University, or any property of others while on University premises, or possession of any property when the student had knowledge or reasonably should have had knowledge that it was stolen.

102.05 Theft or abuse of University computers and other University electronic resources.	Theft or abuse of University computers and other University electronic resources such as computer and electronic communications facilities, systems, and services. Abuses include (but are not limited to) unauthorized entry, use, transfer, or tampering with the communications of others, and interference with the work of others and with the operation of computer and electronic communications facilities, systems, and services. Use of University computer and electronic communications facilities, systems, or services that violates other University policies or campus regulations.
102.06 Unauthorized entry to, possession of, receipt of, or use of any University services; equipment; resources; or properties.	Unauthorized entry to, possession of, receipt of, or use of any University services; equipment; resources; or properties, including the University's name, insignia, or seal.
102.07 Violation of policies, governing University housing facilities.	Violation of policies, regulations, or rules governing University-owned, -operated, or -leased housing facilities or other housing facilities located on University property.
102.08 Physical abuse	Physical abuse including but not limited to sexual assault, sex offenses, and other physical assault; threats of violence; or other conduct that threatens the health or safety of any person.
102.09 Sexual harassment	Sexual harassment, as defined in University policy (see Section 160.00), reads in part: Sexual harassment is unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, and other verbal or physical conduct of a sexual nature, when submission to or rejection of this conduct explicitly or implicitly affects a person's employment or education, unreasonably interferes with a person's work or educational performance, or creates an intimidating, hostile or offensive working or learning environment. In the interest of preventing sexual harassment, the University will respond to reports of any such conduct. Please refer to the Policy on Sexual Harassment and Complaint Resolution Procedures (see Section 160.00) for the entire definition. The Policy on Sexual Harassment and Complaint Resolution Procedures is incorporated into the Policy on Student Conduct and Discipline.
102.10 Stalking behavior	Stalking behavior in which a student repeatedly engages in a course of conduct directed at another person and makes a credible threat with the intent to place that person in reasonable fear for his or her safety, or the safety of his or her family; where the threat is reasonably determined by the University to seriously alarm, torment, or terrorize the person; and where the threat is additionally determined by the University to serve no legitimate purpose.
102.11 Harassment	Harassment by a student of any person. For the purposes of these Policies, "harassment": a) is the use, display, or other demonstration of words, gestures, imagery, or physical materials, or the engagement in any form of bodily conduct, on the basis of race, color, national or ethnic origin, alienage, sex, religion, age, sexual orientation, or physical or mental disability, that has the effect of creating a hostile and intimidating environment sufficiently severe or pervasive to substantially impair a reasonable person's participation in University programs or activities, or use of University facilities; b) must target a specific person or persons; and c) must be addressed directly to that person or persons. Prior to applying this provision of policy to any student conduct, the campus is required to consult with the Office of General Counsel regarding its proper interpretation and application in light of the specific circumstances.
102.12 Hazing	Participation in hazing or any method of initiation or pre-initiation into a campus organization or other activity engaged in by the organization or members of the organization at any time that causes, or is likely to cause, physical injury or personal degradation or disgrace resulting in psychological harm to any student or other person.
102.13 Obstruction or disruption.	Obstruction or disruption of teaching, research, administration, disciplinary procedures, or other University activities.
102.14 Disorderly or lewd conduct.	Disorderly or lewd conduct.

102.15 Disturbance of the peace or unlawful assembly.	Participation in a disturbance of the peace or unlawful assembly.
102.16 Failure to comply with the directions of, a University official	Failure to identify oneself to, or comply with the directions of, a University official or other public official acting in the performance of his or her duties while on University property or at official University functions; or resisting or obstructing such University or other public officials in the performance of or the attempt to perform their duties.
102.17 Controlled substances	Unlawful manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, use, or sale of, or the attempted manufacture, distribution, dispensing, or sale of controlled substances, identified in federal and state law or regulations.
102.18 Alcohol	Manufacture, distribution, dispensing, possession, use, or sale of, or the attempted manufacture, distribution, dispensing, or sale of alcohol that is unlawful or otherwise prohibited by, or not in compliance with, University policy or campus regulations.
102.19 Explosives, firebombs, or other destructive devices	Possession, use, storage, or manufacture of explosives, firebombs, or other destructive devices.
102.20 Firearms or other weapon	Possession, use, or manufacture of a firearm or other weapon as prohibited by campus regulations.
102.21 Violation of terms of a disciplinary probation	Violation of the conditions contained in the terms of a disciplinary action imposed under these Policies or campus regulations.
102.22 Violation of the condition of Emergency Suspension	Violation of the conditions contained in a written Notice of Emergency Suspension issued pursuant to Section 53.00 of these Policies or violation of orders issued pursuant to Section 52.00 of these Policies, during a declared state of emergency.
102.23 Selling, preparing, or distributing for any commercial purpose course lecture notes or video or audio recordings of any course.	Selling, preparing, or distributing for any commercial purpose course lecture notes or video or audio recordings of any course unless authorized by the University in advance and explicitly permitted by the course instructor in writing. The unauthorized sale or commercial distribution of course notes or recordings by a student is a violation of these Policies whether or not it was the student or someone else who prepared the notes or recordings. Copying for any commercial purpose handouts, readers or other course materials provided by an instructor as part of a University of California course unless authorized by the University in advance and explicitly permitted by the course instructor or the copyright holder in writing (if the instructor is not the copyright holder).

KEEP IN MIND:

It's a Privilege to be on the EAP Program, not a right. It's a privilege to be at UC, not a right.

WHY IS IT SO IMPORTANT FOR YOU TO FOLLOW THE LAWS AND POLICIES?

- You represent not only the University of California, but also the United States.
- What you do may impact so many others because of the impressions that you leave behind.
- People may use their relationships and experiences with you to evaluate and judge other Americans, so please make it positive!
- If in doubt about taking any actions or whether it would be appropriate think:
 - Would you want to be on the national newspapers and news either in your host country or at home – in your hometown newspaper, or on the LA Times, CNN?
 - If not, then, you probably should ask someone before doing it.
 - If so, check and ask someone before doing it to make sure you are not violating any laws and policies of your host institution, country, and culture.