

2017-18 end-of-academic-year report Academic Integrity Committee

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Committee Charge:

The Academic Integrity Committee seeks to clarify the roles, rights and responsibilities of the college's faculty and students in regards to academic integrity with the aim of supporting campus academic integrity and developing for the consideration of the Senate specific recommendations concerning the appropriate means by which to institutionalize a further commitment on the part of the college to upholding the highest standards of academic integrity. The AIC also serves to support the college's Disciplinary Appeals Committee.

During the Fall 2017-18 semester, the AIC

1. Revised and edited its committee charge and responsibilities.
2. Initiated academic integrity in distance education by working with Greg Beyrer; by fall 2018, instructors who give quizzes, tests and assignments via Canvas can have students check a box that acknowledges they have read and understand the CRC Student Honor Code.
3. Collaborated with student services and enrollment management to create a tri-fold that will educate and inform incoming students about academic integrity and campus resources.
4. Initiated collaboration with campus researchers and the student disciplinary officer to gather data on students who are disciplined. The goal is to better determine whether discipline is equitable and beneficial to students.
5. Presided over four student appeal hearings for alleged campus misconduct.¹

¹ A handful of AIC members serve on the student appeals committee; the committee serves as an unbiased arbiter when a student appeals administrative actions for misconduct on campus.