

Below are summaries of cases where the student was found to have violated the Academic Conduct Code and the sanctions imposed for that violation(s):

Offense: Plagiarism on a direct study paper; copying from sources with no quotations or citations.

Sanction: F on the paper; probation for three semesters or until student graduates.

Offense: Communicating with other students during an exam

Sanction: One semester of disciplinary action; F in the course.

(Non-Questrom Student)

Offense: Collaborating with another student on an exam.

Sanction: One semester suspension; recommendation to assign an F in the course.

Offense: Student collaborated with five other students on an individual take-home exam and answered a particularly obvious question incorrectly along with the other students.

Sanction: Student was suspended for one module.

(Non-Questrom Student)

Offense: Student A hired Student B from CraigsList to take exam because Student A was suffering from an illness.

Sanction: Committee recommended that the student be expelled.

(Non-Questrom Student)

Offense: Collaborated with students on an individual paper and copied other students' work.

Sanction: Recommendation to give an F on the assignment.

****There were three similar instances of cheating during the same exam; all three students were found guilty and received the same punishment.****

Offense: Student brought multiple note sheets to an exam when only allowed to bring one. Student claimed sheets were identical, so professor confiscated one. After looking over both sheets, professor noticed that the front of both sheets were the same but that the backs were different.

Sanction: Two semesters probation, recommendation to give student an F in the course.

Offense: Student made changes to their paper after it was submitted, but before the professor corrected it. Student had help from another person making the changes to the paper, which was not allowed by professor.

Sanction: One semester suspension.

Offense: Plagiarism on an assignment.

Sanction: Student received F for course and will be permanently dismissed from BU if student is found guilty of further academic misconduct.

Offense: Student copied the solution to a problem set. Professor stated that it was impossible for a person to choose the exact same words in the explanation of the algorithm and impossible to choose the same names and same set of interpolating points.

Sanction: Student received an F in the course and was expelled because student had received two prior findings of academic misconduct.

Offense: Student exchanged papers with another student during a Math Finance exam, giving the other student answers to the exam.

Sanction: Student was placed on disciplinary probation effective immediately and for the following semester. Recommendation given to give an F in the course; student required to take GSM PL 700.

Offense: Student misrepresented interviews as part of paper for OB 221.

Sanction: Private reprimand placed in student's file until graduation; student will be expelled if student is found guilty of further academic misconduct.

Offense: TA emailed a copy of an exam to a student before the day of the exam.

Sanction: Student was placed on probation for one semester; recommendation made to give student an F in QM 450.

Offense: Student did not attend class and had another student sign his/her name on the attendance sheet.

Sanction: Student was given an F for class participation.

Offense: Student moved self to another section during the semester by forging the signatures of two professors on Add/Drop forms.

Sanction: Student was suspended for one term.

Offense: Student turned in a homework assignment that was closely modeled on another student's work.

Sanction: Private reprimand placed in student's file, not part of student's permanent record.

Offense: Graduate student lied to a recruiter on a resume about their GPA, claiming it was higher than it was. The Feld Career Center was notified.

Sanction: Student was suspended from MBA program for the following semester and permanently barred from using the Feld Career Center.