

**ARIZONA BOARD OF REGENTS
POLICY MANUAL**

5-401 Student Code of Conduct Procedures – General

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D. STUDENT CODE OF CONDUCT PROCEDURES

- A. The purpose of these procedures is to guide the review of allegations of violations of the Student Code of Conduct.
- B. These procedures are designed to allow for fact-finding and decision-making in the context of an educational community, and to encourage students to accept responsibility for their own actions. The intent is to provide adequate procedural safeguards to protect the rights of the individual student and the legitimate interests of the university.
- C. The universities may use mediation, conciliation, or any alternative dispute resolution procedures in addition to or in place of these procedures in accordance with policies and procedures adopted by each university and as permitted by law.
- D. Student records generated during the information gathering/decision-making process associated with these procedures are subject to the Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act (FERPA).
- E. Each university shall adopt Student Code of Conduct Procedures that are consistent with Board Policy and applicable laws and regulations.
- F. Each university may adopt policies and procedures for reviewing allegations of academic dishonesty. If the sanction imposed includes expulsion, suspension, or revocation of a degree, then the student is entitled to a hearing according to procedures adopted by each university.
- G. Each university will provide procedural protections for disciplinary procedures as required by A.R.S. § 15-1866.

Policy History

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