

## UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT LITTLE ROCK

### TRANSMITTAL OF FACULTY SENATE LEGISLATION

Faculty Senate legislation is to be submitted to the chancellor to approve or disapprove within ten calendar days after the Assembly review period. The chancellor may approve or disapprove any Faculty Senate legislation within a period from the eleventh through the twenty-fifth calendar day after the Faculty Senate action has been presented to the Assembly, unless the Assembly has been petitioned to amend or rescind the Faculty Senate legislation. In the latter case, the chancellor's approval or disapproval shall be made no later than fifteen calendar days after the Assembly has voted on and failed to approve a motion to amend or rescind a legislative action of the Faculty Senate. The chancellor shall provide written reasons for disapproval to the Faculty Senate.

#### **To the Chancellor of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock:**

The following legislation passed the UALR Faculty Senate on 1/29/2021.

Motion FS\_2021\_01. Self-plagiarism

Be it resolved to amend the policy on Academic Integrity (Policy 501.13; Rev. 8/2018) to include definition of “self-plagiarism” as indicated below (underline indicates addition, strikethrough indicates deletion); and

Be it further resolved that upon approval, implementation of this change will be effective as of July 2021.

#### **Academic Integrity and Grievance Policy (501.13)**

##### **Definition of Academic Offenses**

The following list identifies categories of offenses that are subject to grade penalty and disciplinary action. This list is not intended to be exhaustive.

- **Cheating on an examination or quiz:** To give or receive, to offer or solicit information on any quiz or examination. This includes the following classes of dishonesty: (a) copying from another student’s paper; (b) use during the examination of prepared materials, notes, or text other than those specifically permitted by the professor; (c) collaboration with another student during the examination; (d) buying, selling, stealing, soliciting, or transmitting an examination, or any material purported to be the unreleased content of a coming examination, or the use of such material; (e) substituting for another person during an examination or allowing such substitution for oneself; (f) bribery of any person to obtain examination information.
- **Plagiarism:** To adopt and reproduce as one’s own, to appropriate to one’s own use and incorporate in one’s own work without acknowledgment, the ideas of others or passages from their writings and works. This includes self-plagiarizing, the presentation of one’s previously published work as novel and without proper acknowledgement.

- **Collusion:** To obtain from another party, without specific approval in advance by the professor, assistance in the production of work offered for credit to the extent that the work reflects the ideas or skills of the party consulted rather than those of the person in whose name the work is submitted.
- **Duplicity:** To offer for credit identical or substantially unchanged work in two or more courses, without specific advance approval of the professors involved.

Disseminated to University Assembly 1/29/2021 [date]

Faculty Senate President's Signature *Amanda Nolen* Date 1/29/2021  
Amanda Nolen

Received in chancellor's office on MAR 11 2021 (date)

Chancellor's Action:  
APPROVED Chancellor's Signature *Christina Drale* Date 3/12/2021  
Christina Drale

DISAPPROVED Chancellor's Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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(reasons to be attached) Christina Drale