

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS URBANA-CHAMPAIGN SENATE

Senate Committee on Student Discipline 2016-2017 Annual Report

Fall 2016 – Spring 2017 Senate Committee on Student Discipline Membership:

Faculty Members (9 members are required; only 8 were appointed during this academic year):

Pat Gill, Chair	LAS
Amy Ando	ACES
Carolyn Beck	ENGR
Darin Eastburn	ACES
David Forsyth	ENGR
Yuan-Xiang Pan	ACES
Brent Roberts	LAS (Never attended and never formally resigned)
Kirk Sanders	LAS

Student Members (6 members are required; only 4 student members started the fall 2016 semester with 3 additional students added in spring 2017 to fill vacancies and one student on study abroad in spring 2017):

Samantha Awad	LAS
Joshua Manning	LAS (New member in spring 2017 to replace Jill Whitman, but never attended)
Lincy Pompilus	SSW (New member in spring 2017)
Caroline Quinanilla	SSW
Peter Schmidt	ENGR (New member in spring 2017)
Trevor Wiles	LAW
Jill Whitman	LAS (Member during fall 2016 only. Resigned in spring 2017 for Study Abroad)

Active Subcommittees on Student Conduct

Board of Fraternity Affairs (BFA)
Board of Sorority Affairs (BSA)
Subcommittee: College of Law (LAW)
Subcommittee: Veterinary Medicine (VET)
Subcommittee on Graduate Student Conduct (SGSC)
Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct (SUSC)
Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct (SSM)

Senate Committee on Student Discipline and Subcommittee Trainings

1. ***SCSD/SUSC/SGSC Training:*** OSCR staff members conducted training sessions for all members of the subcommittees and the SCSD. New and returning SCSD members participated in basic training at the first scheduled business meeting. New SUSC and SGSC members attended a four-hour training program on due process, questioning, sensitivity to social justice issues, sanctioning guidance, and deliberations. New and returning SUSC, SGSC, and SCSD members attended a four-hour mock hearing for a physical

violence case in order to practice and develop their questioning and deliberation skills as well as to discuss the unique challenges and issues related to campus violence.

2. ***Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct Training:*** Over three 8-hour sessions in late August and early September of 2016, OSCR trained the new members of the Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct along with new members of the Senate Committee on Student Discipline who would be responsible for hearing appeals in sexual misconduct cases (Returning members of both groups joined the new members during the second session to complete their annual training requirements). This training, though designed by OSCR staff, was a strong collaborative effort, as we invited student affairs colleagues, academic colleagues, and professionals within the local community to address the trainees.

Senate Committee on Student Discipline Actions

1. ***Appeal Decisions:*** At the suggestion of one of the members, the SCSD voted to change the requirement that two-third of the voting members of an appeal committee must agree to modify or reverse a decision. All SCSD/SUSC/SGSC appeal decisions now require only a simple majority.
2. ***Gender-Inclusive Language in the Student Disciplinary Procedures:*** At the suggestion of the OSCR Director, the SCSD voted to replace all gender-specific references in the Student Disciplinary Procedures with gender-neutral pronouns.
3. ***Registered Student Organization Formal Sanctions:*** The SCSD voted to remove Suspension as a possible formal sanction in organizational cases and to revise the definition of Revocation.
4. ***Sanctioning Guidance for Organizational Cases:*** Under the direction of OSCR staff and in consultation with Fraternity and Sorority Affairs, the SCSD created a sanctioning guidance document for organizational discipline cases. The guidance focuses on substance use, substance distribution, and hazing.
5. ***Student Disciplinary Procedures Revisions:*** The SCSD considered several minor changes to the Student Disciplinary Procedures, including Appendix D, proposed by the Executive Director. These changes were either clarifications or slight adjustments to better match the practices of OSCR. All of these changes were approved.
6. ***Subcommittee Selection:*** OSCR again led the effort to advertise for and select the new members of the Subcommittees on Undergraduate Student Conduct, Graduate Student Conduct, and Sexual Misconduct. We received 52 applications and selected a total of 21 undergraduates, 4 graduate students, 6 faculty members, and 2 staff.

**Office for Student Conflict Resolution
FY17 Annual Statistics**

FORMAL SANCTIONS	Discipline Officer	SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct	SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct	RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission	Organizational Hearing Body	College of Vet Med	TOTAL
Reprimand	456			6			462
Censure	520						520
Internal Conduct Probation	71						71
Conduct Probation	212	8	6				226
Dismissal Held in Abeyance		7	1				8
Dismissal Held in Abeyance to Conduct Probation		1					1
Dismissal Held in Abeyance to Dismissal		6	1				7
Dismissal		22	16				38
Revocation Held in Abeyance					2		2
Withhold Degree		1	1				2
Dropped Charges (all charges) <small>*student demographics NOT included in overall statistics</small>	58		2				60
Not In Violation (all charges) <small>*student demographics NOT included in overall statistics</small>	235	3	6		1	1	246
	1552	48	33	6	3	1	
Total Formal Sanctions							1337

NOTE: Each formal sanction may contain multiple violations.

* Dropped Charges & Not In Violation are NOT included in final total for Formal Sanctions *

BEHAVIORAL SANCTIONS	TOTAL
Alcohol Incapacitation Referrals	130
Behavioral Expectations	19
No Contact Directive	67
Suicide Incident Referrals	50
Total Behavioral Sanctions	266

APPEALS	Executive Director	SUSC	SCSD	TOTAL
Original Decision Affirmed* None of the grounds for appeal were met.	4	6	22	32
Original Decision Modified	3	1	2	6
§3.01(b)(i) - The hearing was not conducted fairly or in conformity with prescribed university procedures. The appellant must show that any alleged bias or deviation from these Student Disciplinary Procedures is likely to have adversely affected the outcome of the original hearing. (3 cases)	Total Appeals			38
§3.01(b)(ii) - Any sanctions imposed by the hearing body were not appropriate for the violation(s) for which the student was found responsible. (3 cases)				

PETITIONS FOR READMISSION and/or CONFERRAL OF DEGREE	TOTAL
Approved w/ conditions	18
Approved w/ no conditions	5
Denied	2
Total Petitions for Readmission	25

PETITIONS FOR TRANSCRIPT NOTATION REMOVAL (Executive Director)	TOTAL
Approved	34
Total Petitions for Transcript Notation Removal	34

DISCIPLINARY BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS (ODOS/walk-in/write-in/fax-in)	TOTAL
Disciplinary background NOT found	600
Disciplinary background found	83
Total Requests	683
FEDERAL DISCIPLINARY BACKGROUND INVESTIGATIONS	TOTAL
Disciplinary background NOT found	150
Disciplinary background found	5
Total Federal Background Checks	155
NOTICES TO OTHER UNIVERSITIES	4
SUBPOENA REQUESTS	21
GRAND TOTAL OF <u>ALL</u> ACTIONS	2563

VIOLATIONS	Discipline Officer	SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct	SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct	RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission	Organizational Hearing Body	TOTAL
302.a.1 (Actions causing bodily harm to an individual)	7	8	4			19
302.a.2 (Actions of physical contact of an insulting or provoking nature with an individual)	28	16	5			49
302.a.3 (Actions of reckless disregard for the health or safety of any person)	11	7			2	20
302.a.4 (Actions of any threat or physically threatening behavior creating reasonable fear for one's safety)	12	6	5			23
302.a.5 (Actions of persistent, pervasive, or severe behavior denying a person's participation in the University community)	1	2	1			4
302.b.1 (Sexual Assault, as defined by §1-111(c)(2)(a) of the Student Code)			12			12
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302.b.2 (Sexual Harassment, as defined by §1-109 of the Student Code)			9			9
302.b.3 (Sexual Exploitation, as defined by §1-111(c)(4) of the Student Code)			1			1
302.b.4 (Dating Violence, as defined by §1-111(c)(7) of the Student Code)			4			4
302.b.5 (Domestic Violence, as defined by §1-111(c)(8) of the Student Code)			1			1
302.b.6 (Retaliation, as defined by §1-111(d) of the Student Code)			1			1
302.c (Actions of stalking)			6			6
302.d (Actions taken or situations created for the purpose of hazing)	1	2			2	5
302.e.1 (Actions using force or violence to willfully deny, impede, obstruct, impair, or interfere with the movement of any person, including entering or leaving property or facilities)	1					1
302.f (Actions of any conduct that substantially threatens or interferes with the maintenance of appropriate order and discipline in the operations of the University)	4					4
302.g (Actions of providing false or misleading information to a member or agent of the University)	36	4	1	2		43
302.h (Actions of providing false or misleading information to a University or other law enforcement official)	29	6		1		36
302.j (Actions of theft, unauthorized use, or unauthorized possession of property or services of another; knowingly possessing stolen property)	123	6	2	2		133
302.k (Actions of intentional or reckless destruction or damage of University, public, or personal property)	36	2	1	2		41
302.l (Actions of indecent exposure of the body, including public urination or defecation)	20					20
302.m (Actions of unauthorized entry to or use of University, public, private premises)	39	2	1	1		43

302.o.1 (Actions of failure to obey the directive of a disciplinary body or University officials)	1	3	3				7
302.o.3 (Actions of deliberate disruption or interference with the orderly conduct of a disciplinary proceeding)			1				1
VIOLATIONS (continued)	Discipline Officer	SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct	SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct	RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission	Organizational Hearing Body		TOTAL (continued)
302.o.6 (Actions of harassment or intimidation of any participant in the disciplinary system)	1		1				2
302.o.7 (Actions of failure to comply with sanction(s) imposed)	1	1					2
302.q (Actions of violating published University policies, rules, or regulations)	7	1					8
302.s (Actions of committing or attempting to commit any act which would be a violation of local, state, or federal law on or off University property)	5	2					7
304.b (Actions of altering or intentionally mutilating a University ID card; using the ID card of another or allowing one's ID card to be used by another)	10			1			11
305.d (Actions of illegally possessing or using drugs or drug paraphenalia)	354	10		1			365
305.e (Actions of distributing, selling or making drugs)	2	2	1				5
307.a.1 (Actions of possessing or consuming alcoholic beverages under the age of twenty-one)	457	3	1	3			464
307.a.2 (Actions of giving or otherwise furnishing alcoholic beverages to any person under the age of twenty-one)	18						18
307.c. (Actions of consuming alcohol with disruptive behavior)	5	1					6
307.d (Actions of transferring or altering ID cards; the use or sale of the ID card of another or a false or forged ID card; or the use of false information to obtain an ID card; presenting or possessing a false ID in an attempt to enter a liquor establishment or to procure alcohol)	159						159
307.f (Actions of being present in a liquor establishment unless otherwise permitted by local ordinances)	1						1
307.g (Actions of driving under the influence of alcohol or other drugs)	7						7
309.a (Actions of possessing or storing weapons by students is prohibited on any property owned or controlled by the University, including certified housing units)	2						2
309.e (Actions of the use or threatened use of any object while committing the violation)		1					1
310.a (Actions of unauthorized use, abuse, or interference with fire protection equipment, firefighting personnel, or warning devices)		2					2
310.e (Actions of enabling unauthorized access to campus facilities by providing keys or access cards or by other means)	1						1
406 (Actions of mutiple violations of the Academic Integrity Policy)	58	4					62
	1437	91	70	13	4		1615
Total Violations							1615

EDUCATIONAL SANCTIONS	Discipline Officer	SUSC Subcommittee on Undergraduate Student Conduct	SSM Subcommittee on Sexual Misconduct	RHJC Residence Hall Judicial Commission	Organizational Hearing Body	TOTAL
Academic/Work History		23	17			40
Alcohol & Other Drug Programs						
Assessment	99	7	1	2		109
CAAP	32					32
MIC	235					235
Recommended Program(s)	80	7	1			88
Alternatives Program	19	9	4			32
Anger Management (w/ Outside Agency)		6	3			9
Drug Testing		9	1			10
eCHUG Assessment & Essay	424					424
Misc. Educational Project	38	6	3		3	50
Essay (reflective/research/subject specific)	548	20	9	3		580
Ethics in Action Workshop	100	1		1		102
House Director					1	1
Letter of Apology	24			4		28
Mandated Service	59	32	19			110
Violation-Specific Discussion w/ Licensed Professional	1	7	11			19
Oversight Committee					1	1
Personal Journal	1	1				2
Petition Letter		26	18			44
Probationary Review Meetings	4	1	2			7
Quizzes & Reviews	31			1		32
Restitution	14					14
Restorative Justice	1					1
Substance Abuse Evaluation & Follow-Up Programs (w/ Outside Agency)	4	9	4			17
Trespass Notification		18	18			36
	1714	182	111	11	5	
Total Educational Sanctions						2023

¹All sanctions issued (formal and educational) are included in the overall statistics.