**Academic Integrity**

Every student is expected to review and abide by the [Academic Integrity Policy](https://studentcode.illinois.edu/). Ignorance is not an excuse for any academic dishonesty. It is your responsibility to read this policy to avoid any misunderstanding.

Students should pay particular attention to Article 1, Part 4, [“Academic Integrity Infractions.”](https://studentcode.illinois.edu/article1/part4/1-402/)

Academic dishonesty may result in a failing grade. Do not hesitate to ask the instructor(s) if you are ever in doubt about what constitutes plagiarism, cheating, or any other breach of academic integrity.

**Mental Health and Community of Care**

Significant stress, mood changes, excessive worry, substance/alcohol misuse or interferences in eating or sleep can have an impact on academic performance, social development, and emotional wellbeing. The University of Illinois offers a variety of confidential services including individual and group counseling, crisis intervention, psychiatric services, and specialized screenings which are covered through the Student Health Fee.

If you or someone you know experiences any of the above mental health concerns, it is strongly encouraged to contact or visit any of the University’s resources provided below. Getting help is a smart and courageous thing to do for yourself and for those who care about you.

* Counseling Center (217) 333-3704
* McKinley Health Center (217) 333-2700
* National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (800) 273-8255
* Rosecrance Crisis Line (217) 359-4141 (available 24/7, 365 days a year)
* Bryan Deutsch, FAA Embedded Counselor email at bmdeuts2@illinois.edu

If you come across a classmate whose behavior concerns you, whether in regards to their well-being or yours, we encourage you to refer this behavior using this link from [the Student Assistance Center](https://odos.illinois.edu/community-of-care/referral/) (or call 217-333-0050).  Based on your report, the staff in the Student Assistance Center reaches out to students to make sure they have the support they need to be healthy and safe.

For urgent matters during business hours, no appointment is needed to contact the Counseling Center. For mental health emergencies and/or if you are in immediate danger, call 911.

**Students with Disabilities**

To obtain disability-related academic adjustments and/or auxiliary aids, students with disabilities must contact the course instructor and the [Disability Resources and Educational Services (DRES)](https://www.disability.illinois.edu/) as soon as possible.

To ensure that disability-related concerns are properly addressed from the beginning, students with disabilities who require assistance to participate in this class should contact Disability Resources and Educational Services (DRES) and see the instructor as soon as possible.

If you need accommodations for any sort of disability, please speak to the instructor after class, or make an appointment during office hours. DRES provides students with academic accommodations, access, and support services. To contact DRES you may visit 1207 S. Oak St., Champaign, call 217-333-4603 (V/TDD), or e-mail at disability@illinois.edu.

**Disruptive Behavior**

Behavior that persistently or grossly interferes with classroom activities is considered disruptive behavior and may be subject to disciplinary action. Such behavior inhibits other students’ ability to learn and an instructor’s ability to teach.

A student responsible for disruptive behavior may be required to leave class pending discussion and resolution of the problem and may be reported online to the [Office for Student Conflict Resolution](https://conflictresolution.illinois.edu/); by email to conflictresolution@illinois.edu; or call 217-333-3680 for disciplinary action.

**Emergency Response Recommendations**

Emergency response recommendations [can be accessed here](https://police.illinois.edu/em/), along with information for [“Run-Hide-Fight.”](https://police.illinois.edu/em/run-hide-fight/) Please review this information along with [Building Emergency Evacuation Plan for the School of Music](http://uofimusicoandf.weebly.com/safety--compliance.html) within the first 10 days of class.

**Religious Observances**

Please also note that effective this fall, absence letters for religious observances are no longer being provided by the Connie Frank CARE Center (formerly Student Assistance Center) in the Office of the Dean of Students. Instead, students are asked to work directly with their instructor(s) to request an accommodation for a religious belief, observance or practice. The Office of the Dean of Students provides an [optional resource](https://i-links.illinois.edu/?ref=mrgAAN7ytPfnpF3-FUnibvq8cRvh3WH6AQAAADxjBrkUlpAW3wMQY4GnXspphoyR6JdONLgiBdXbiGNRcM_X0abecKXfABJGKSk_6jBJvw-bY6dM4_0TMjSnm38YXMTqxDq49gZR3qTB8SYFxNeAFcaEdE1u2an-HziVsXH1EkpvtG-CibbeB_drockv4GQTjhYsGKVI2fIv8TYCh03moCtZ4yDT7AYw7royf8JCQE1mFZXQisqHB4zjXinxplt1DSUJL5MFarGFhun6-73oU7c4sUmZvpcN6VZzRCoOv7VT-rabaNGY-Fb8_c8) students can use to facilitate a request with their instructor(s) for an accommodation.

**Sexual Misconduct Reporting Obligation**

The University of Illinois is committed to combating sexual misconduct. Faculty and staff members are required to report any instances of sexual misconduct to the University’s Title IX and Disability Office.

In turn, an individual with the Title IX and Disability Office will provide information about rights and options, including accommodations, support services, the campus disciplinary process, and law enforcement options.

A list of the designated University employees who, as counselors, confidential advisors, and medical professionals, do not have this reporting responsibility and can maintain confidentiality, [can be found here](https://wecare.illinois.edu/resources/students/#confidential).

Other information about resources and reporting [is available here](https://wecare.illinois.edu/).