APPENDIX IIIa: ACADEMIC CONCERNS

IIIa-1 INTRODUCTION

The University’s commitments to academic quality and integrity, as well as to academic freedom, rest upon honesty and fairness in all aspects of scholarly endeavor. Faculty must test, grade, and review student work in a manner that is fair and reasonable, and students must maintain scholastic honesty beyond reproach. Disputes that arise about fairness and honesty are best resolved through open and sincere communication among all parties — students, faculty, committees, and administrators. This section on Academic Concerns addresses procedures for resolving academic grievances, instances of scholastic dishonesty, and concerns about communications proficiency.

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