Monroe Community College
STATE UNIVERSITY OF NEW YORK

6.1 Student Conduct Policy

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Name of Responsible: Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities, Student Services
Title of Responsible Executive: <del>~~Vice President, Student Services~~ <ins>Provost and Vice President, Academic and Student Affairs
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Summary

The purpose of this policy is to provide the regulations and process for the timely response to student conduct issues. Regulations associated with this policy shall be considered the Student Code of Conduct.

Policy

Policy Statement

The College President, under authority delegated by the Board of Trustees, is empowered to establish and/or provide oversight of a system of conduct at the College. With this authority, the College President may designate others to carry out the duties associated with this system.

The College's jurisdiction under this policy shall extend to student conduct occurring on College property, property under the management and/or control of the College, and/or off College property when such conduct adversely affects the College community, poses a risk of harm or the threat of harm to the College community, and/or interferes with the College's pursuit of its objectives and mission. <ins> Jurisdiction extends to behavior conducted online, via email, or other electronic medium, with the understanding that most online speech not involving College networks or technology will be protected as free expression. A student shall be subject to the disciplinary sanctions outlined in this policy. Proceedings under the Student Code of Conduct may be carried out prior to, simultaneously with, or following civil or criminal proceedings.

Though certain College departments, facilities, academic programs, student organizations, or clinical or other off-campus assignment sites have behavioral guidelines and related policies and procedures that apply to students, each must be consistent with standards set forth in the official student conduct regulations.

Background

In any organized group of people, it is essential to define the rights and responsibilities in that group. In defining the rights and responsibilities of individuals, Monroe Community College adheres to the 1967 Joint Statement on Rights and Freedoms of Students, the 1940 AAUP Statement on Principles of Academic Freedom, and subsequently approved Interpretive Comments (1970). Nothing contained

herein shall be construed to be in conflict with the aforementioned documents. The regulations associated with this policy are not intended to repeal, supersede, or preclude any other rules related to the same subject matter except to the extent that they are inconsistent therewith.

Applicability

Students agree to abide by all rules and regulations of the College as a condition of admission. Any violation of the Student Code of Conduct that occurs between the time of acceptance as a student throughout enrollment at the College is subject to review within the conduct system.

Definitions

College: Monroe Community College

College Community: includes Monroe Community College students, faculty, employees, and members of recognized MCC organizations

College Property: any land, building, or other property that is owned, leased, or under the control of Monroe Community College

Student: includes all persons taking courses at the College, both full time and part time, credit and non-credit. Persons who are not officially enrolled for a particular term but who have a continuing academic relationship with the College are considered "students."

Responsibility

Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities, Student Services

Regulations

The regulations related to this policy shall be considered the Student Code of Conduct. These regulations shall be provided to each student on an annual basis by the Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities.

Contact Information

Office of Student Rights and Responsibilities

Related Information

- Student Conduct Procedure
- MCC Student Code of Conduct