

Syracuse University
Academic Integrity Office

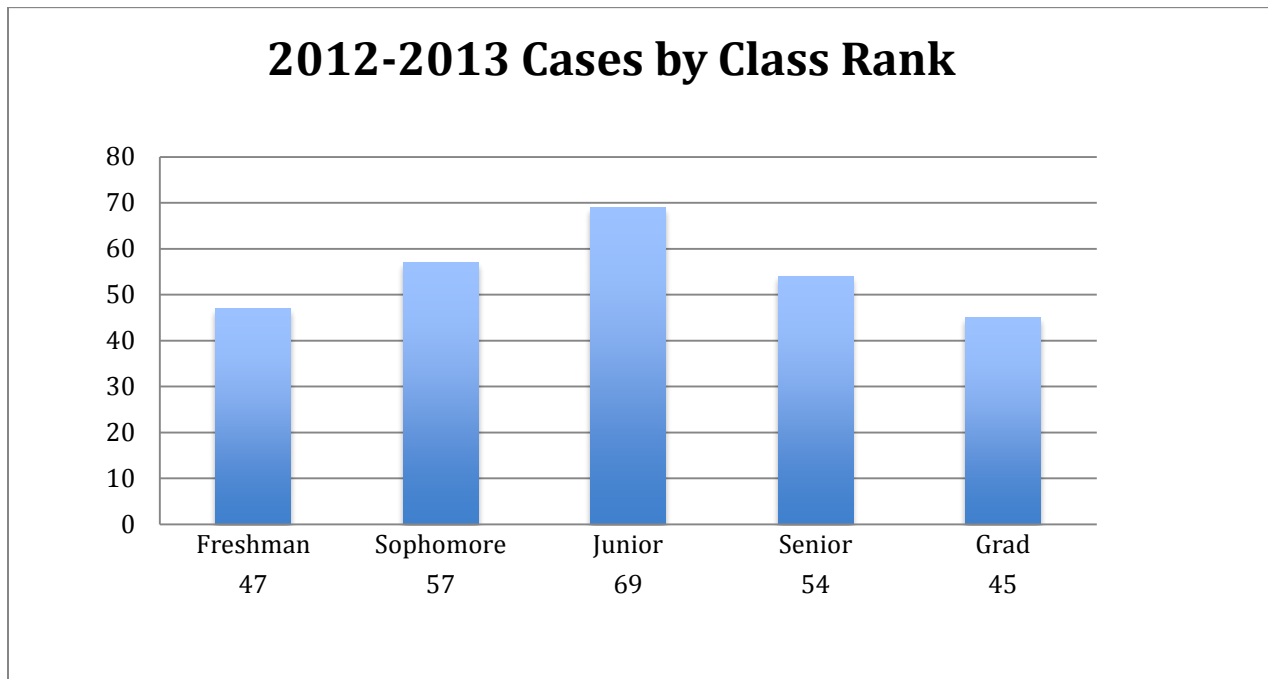
2012-2013 ANNUAL REPORT

This report contains violation and hearing data for the 2012-2013 year (August 27, 2012 through August 25, 2013), and comparative data for the seven years that the University-wide Academic Integrity Policy has been in effect.

Cases Filed			Cases by Status*				
Dishonesty Charges	Written Negligence Warnings	Total	Established by Instructor Resolution/Written Warning	Established by Hearing Panel	Established by Associate Provost decision	Hearing Pending	Total
226	46	272	194	58	11	9	272

* 78 cases were sent to hearing in 2012-13, including 9 cases for which hearings were pending when this report was issued. Cases are deemed “established” when a student accepts a violation rather than appealing or when a final decision is made by a hearing panel or by the Associate Provost.

Reasons for Hearings			
Student Requested (Appeals)	Instructor Requested	Office Requested	Total
32	9	37	78



2012-2013 Summary of Final Penalties*	
	Number of Occurrences
Expulsion	2
Suspension	7
Course failure ("XF")	64
Reduction in overall course grade	34
Assignment /exam failure	97
Reduction on assignment/exam grade	30
Written Negligence Warning	17
Violation Overturned	12
Pending hearing outcome	9
Total	272
<p><i>*The most serious penalty is listed when the student received more than one penalty. In addition to these penalties, 75 students completed the Academic Integrity Seminar.</i></p>	
2012-2013 Summary of Types of Violations	
Use of sources (Plagiarism)	118
Coursework and Research	78
Representations & Materials Misuse	17
Communications	59
Total	272

Seven Year Summary					
Academic Year	Reported Violations	Hearings Held	Hearing Outcomes		
			Violations upheld	Sanctions Reduced	Violations Overturned
2012-2013	272	69	57 (79%)	6	12
2011-2012	161	16	14 (88%)	1	2
2010-2011	143	19	12 (63%)	2	7
2009-2010	163	29	25 (86%)	3	4
2008-2009	142	27	25 (92%)	1	2
2007-2008	130	19	17 (89%)	0	2
2006-2007	127	11	8 (73%)	2	1

Violation Data: Seven Year Comparison							
	2012-2013	2011-2012	2010-2011	2009-2010	2008-2009	2007-2008	2006-2007
Violation totals by semester							
Fall	127	77	68	65	47	60	42
Spring	139	84	75	98	95	67	81
Maymester	-	-	-	-	1	-	1
Summer	6	-	-	-	-	3	3
Total Violations	272	161	143	163	142	130	127
Violation totals by class rank							
Freshmen	47	38	34	38	50	16	17
Sophomores	57	32	38	30	29	23	33
Juniors	69	24	20	36	22	19	19
Seniors	54	27	18	20	24	27	31
Graduate Students	45	29	32	39	17	44	26
Non-Matriculated Students	-	5	1	-	1	1	1
Project Advance Students	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Violations by Reporting College							
Arts & Sciences	104	73	62	51	59	30	66
Architecture	7	8	14	3	4	-	-
Engineering & Computer Science	39	30	10	18	13	37	2
Education	4	4	10	8	1	5	12
Human Ecology	13	7	7	4	5	6	7
Information Studies	15	7	14	-	1	-	-
Maxwell	11	1	3	3	3	3	6
Management	60	13	8	48	13	25	22
Public Communications	3	5	5	14	4	9	2
University College	-	1	-	1	2	-	2
Visual & Performing Art	16	6	10	13	37	15	7
Law	-	-	-	-	-	-	1
Project Advance	-	6	-	-	-	-	-
Repeat Offenders							
Students with 2 or more violations	15	14	9	19	9	4	4
Violations by type							
Use of Sources (plagiarism)	118	74	89	78	77	39	80
Course Work and Research	78	77	47	64	54	85	34
Representations & Materials Misuse	17	10	7	19	11	5	11
Communications	59	-	-	2	-	1	2
Final Hearing outcomes							
Hearings held	69	16	19	29	27	19	11
Violations upheld by panels	57	14	12	25	24	17	8
Violations overturned by panels	12	2	7	4	3	2	3
Hearings resulting in suspension	7	5	3	6	1	3	-
Hearings resulting in expulsion	2	-	2	2	-	-	-