

Code of Student Conduct

INTEGRITY & PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITY

University of Maryland expects students to conduct themselves with integrity and personal responsibility.

University of Maryland students are given authority and responsibility for management of the campus disciplinary process. Judicial boards, made up of fellow students, hear cases that may result in suspension or expulsion. The Office of Student Conduct staff work with students to resolve less serious cases through conferences. The University provides students with procedural protections, including an opportunity for a hearing and an appeal.

The CODE Goes Off Campus!

Students are now held accountable for their behavior both on and **off campus** under the *Code of Student Conduct*.

Serious or repeated violations of the *Code* off campus will result in disciplinary action.

Questions? Email us at studentconduct@umd.edu or visit www.studentconduct.umd.edu

PROHIBITED CONDUCT

The following actions are subject to disciplinary action on or off campus:

- Use, possession, or storage of any **weapon**;
- Causing physical harm or apprehension of harm;
- Initiating a **false report, warning or threat of fire, explosion** or other emergency;
- A **criminal offense** committed off-campus;
- Rioting** on- or off-campus resulting in harm or posing a threat to the stability of campus;
- Violating the terms of any disciplinary sanction;
- Misusing or damaging **fire safety equipment**;
- Distribution or possession** for purposes of distribution of any **illegal drug**;
- Use or possession** of any illegal or controlled substances;
- Furnishing **false information** to the University;
- Making, possessing, or using any forged, altered, or falsified instrument of **identification**;
- Interfering with the **freedom of expression** of others;
- Theft** of property or of services; possession of stolen property;
- Destroying or damaging the **property** of others;
- Engaging in **disorderly or disruptive conduct**;
- Failure to comply** with the directions of - University officials;
- Use or possession of **fireworks** on University premises;
- Use or possession of any **alcoholic beverage** under the age of 21 or providing alcoholic beverages to a person known to be under the age of 21;
- Violation of published University regulations or policies including the **hazing policy, sexual assault policy**, residence hall contract, and parking regulations.



For more information regarding student conduct or the University Student Judiciary, please call 301.314.8204 or visit www.studentconduct.umd.edu.