

Policies Encompassing Academic Integrity

Preamble

Academic Integrity is the pursuit of scholarly activity in an open, honest and responsible manner. Academic Integrity is a basic guiding principle for all academic activity at VFSTR, and all members of the university community are expected to act in accordance with this principle.

- When publishing academic work, course materials and the results of research, staff and affiliates must be aware of the ethical and legal requirements concerning authorship and the acknowledgement of work done by others (Including students);
- Show integrity in their teaching and research and model the kinds of behaviors expected of students (that is, to upload recognized standards of integrity and honesty in scholarly work);
- VFSTR requires all staff and affiliates to behave with the highest standards of professionalism and conduct at all times
 - ✓ Treat all members of the university and wider community with dignity and respect
 - ✓ Comply with all legal, industrial, contractual and administrative requirements and lawful directions given by or on behalf of VFSTR
 - ✓ Make decisions reasonably and without bias, guided by facts and best practices
 - ✓ Exercise academic freedom and freedom of expression in line with the values and expectations
- Staff and affiliates must maintain the confidentiality, integrity and security of university information;
- Staff and affiliates must respect the personal privacy of all individuals at VFSTR by collecting and managing personal information.
- Staff and affiliates must not take, or seek to take, improper advantage of, or gain or seek to gain, a financial or other benefit from any university information that they may have access to as a result of their work, duties or functions.



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