

BUILDING YOUR EXPERIENCE AT LEHIGH

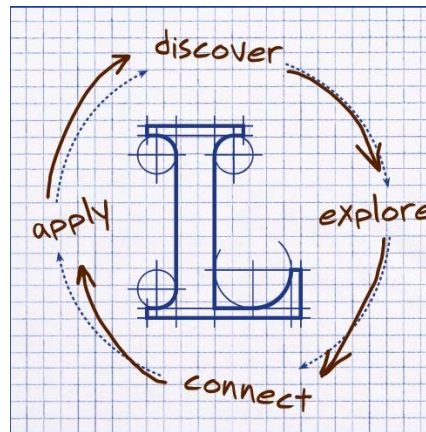
Keeping you “up to code”

Your bLUeprint Experience!

Creative Curiosity

Identity Development

Professional
Growth and
Success



Inclusive
Leadership

Collaborative
Connections

Our Equitable Community



- We are all a part of our community.
 - ▣ Faculty
 - ▣ Students
 - ▣ Staff
- What does “community” mean?
 - ▣ Respect, civility, courtesy, and sensitivity toward every individual
 - ▣ Living up to expectations
 - ▣ Holding yourself and others accountable

Our Expectations of Conduct



□ **Lehigh's Expectations of Conduct**

- These are the key expectations that Lehigh has for you concerning the way you live as a part of the community.
- They form the basis for the Lehigh University Code of Conduct
- Represent the core values of Lehigh University

The Expectations



□ **Academic Integrity**

- ▣ Lehigh University expects that all students will act in a manner that reflects personal and intellectual honesty.

□ **Respect for Others**

- ▣ Lehigh University expects that all students will act in a civil manner that reflects maturity, social responsibility, and respect towards others and the Lehigh Community.

□ **Respect for Property**

- ▣ Lehigh University expects that its students will treat the property of Lehigh University and the property of others with the same respect that they would ask others to show to them.

The Expectations



□ **Respect for the Lehigh University Community.**

- As members of the Lehigh University Community, students are expected to serve as ethical representatives. They are expected to know and follow the Code of Conduct, and show respect for the faculty, staff, community members and administrative processes that are in place to maintain and support our community standards. Students are expected to hold themselves and others accountable and report violations of the Code of Conduct or other violations to the University.

- **Failure to report and/or knowingly being in the presence of violations of the Lehigh University Code of Conduct or other University Policies.**

The Expectations



□ **Respect for Self**

- Lehigh University expects that its student members will act in a manner that respects their own health and well-being, especially concerning the use and or abuse of alcohol and drugs.

□ **Respect for the Law**

- Lehigh University expects that its student members will act in accordance with all applicable federal, state, or local laws.

Accountability



□ **Primary Sanctions**

- Expulsion
 - Permanent removal from Lehigh
- Suspension
 - Temporary removal from Lehigh (up to 7 semesters)
- Deferred Suspension
 - Restriction of privileges and suspension for further violations
- Probation
 - Suspension for further violations
- Warning

Accountability

□ **Other Sanctions**

- Parental notification

- Counseling

- Restriction of privileges

 - Eligibility to Participate

 - Greek Life, Student Activities, Athletics, Study Abroad, etc.

- Educational Sanctions

Collaborative Connections!

- **A team of people work hard to make sure that you have a safe, healthy, and educational environment here at Lehigh.**

- **Reports come from:**

- University Police (You can have consequences from both the police and Lehigh)
- Gryphons
- Staff members
- Faculty members
- Other students

TIP: Cooperate with Gryphons and the Police when they are doing their job!

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- **You have a responsibility to your community and you can help resolve situations before they become problems.**

- Talk to your peers when their actions impact you or others
- Discuss issues with your hall mates and gryphons
- ***Choose to be the person you want to be, and act accordingly.***

Academic Integrity



□ **Central Concepts:**

- ▣ Doing your own work and making sure that other people get credit for the work they have done.
- ▣ Ideas have value and the people who develop those ideas deserve credit for their work.
- ▣ You should receive credit for the work you do.
- ▣ Assignments should be completed according to the instructions

Academic Integrity








□ **Types of Academic Dishonesty**

- Plagiarism
- Cheating on quizzes and exams
- Falsifying Grades
- Using unauthorized sources
- Falsifying Data
- Collusion

Academic Integrity



How to avoid problems

-  **Review the Code of Conduct.**
-  **Review the course syllabus.**
-  **Ask your professor if you do not understand an assignment or an instruction.**
-  **Make sure you understand if you are allowed to work with other people on a particular assignment.**
-  **Make sure you are using sources you are allowed to use.**

Academic Integrity



□ How to avoid problems

▣ Manage your time properly.

- Plan out your semester.
- Don't leave work for the last minute.
- Make ethical decisions when in a tight spot.
- *Its better to fail an assignment than make an unethical decision and fail a course or worse.*

▣ Cite your work.

- If you don't know how or when to site, ask your instructor.
- MLA, APA, Chicago, Bluebook, etc.
- Utilize LTS resources. (<http://libraryguides.lehigh.edu/styleguide>)

Academic Resources

- **General Information on Academic Integrity:**
 - <http://studentaffairs.lehigh.edu/content/academic-integrity-resources>
- **Tutorials about finding and citing information:**
 - <http://www.lehigh.edu/library/infolit/students/index.html>
- **Academic Support Services:**
 - <http://studentaffairs.lehigh.edu/support>
- **Center for Academic Success:**
 - <http://studentaffairs.lehigh.edu/success>
- **Office of Student Conduct:**
 - <http://studentaffairs.lehigh.edu/conduct>
- **Citation Machine:**
 - <http://www.citationmachine.net/>

Substance Use/Abuse

□ CONSEQUENCES RELATED TO SUBSTANCE USE/ABUSE:

- Any student who has a *serious offense* with alcohol (causing harm or risk of harm to self or others, or causing significant property damage) will not be permitted to join a Fraternity or Sorority in the current or following semester.
- Any student who has a violation related to the use or possession of **HARD ALCOHOL** will not be permitted to join a Fraternity or Sorority in the current or following semester.
- Any student who has multiple violations related to the use of alcohol or drugs, regardless of the type will not be permitted to join a Fraternity or Sorority in the current or following semester.
- Athletes are subject to additional penalties via the Athletic department including loss of the ability to compete.

Substance Use/Abuse

□ CONSEQUENCES RELATED TO SUBSTANCE USE/ABUSE:

- **Students who are on probation are not permitted to study abroad or APPLY to study abroad for subsequent semesters until the probation ends.**
- **Students found responsible for alcohol violations may encounter difficulties with professional certifications or obtaining scholarships. (example: teaching certifications)**
- **Alcohol violations will be reported to graduate schools when students apply for admission after graduation**

Medical Amnesty

- **Lehigh University's Medical Amnesty Policy**
 - **If you or someone else needs medical assistance because of drug or alcohol use, you are encouraged to call for medical assistance. *Inform the dispatcher you are seeking medical assistance and the medical amnesty policy could apply.***
 - **Students who call for assistance will not “get in trouble” via the code of conduct, nor will the person who they are calling for.**
 - ***Note: This Policy only provides amnesty from violations of the Lehigh University Code of Conduct. It does not grant amnesty for criminal, civil, or legal consequences for violations of Federal, State, or Local law.***

[LEHIGH.EDU/GO/MEDICALAMNESTY](https://lehigh.edu/go/medicalamnesty)

Your Disciplinary Record

- **If you are held accountable for a violation of the Code of Conduct, it is placed on your disciplinary record.**
 - **This record is maintained permanently by Lehigh University.**
 - **It is released internally at Lehigh University on a need to know basis. (i.e. athletics, honors societies, study abroad, awards and prizes, etc.)**
 - **Externally It is released to graduate and professional schools.**
 - **Employers (with your written permission).**
 - **Governmental agencies (with your written permission or via a subpoena).**

Odds & Ends



- ❑ **Lock your doors!** (At night and when you aren't in your room)
- ❑ **Keep your ID and your keys with you!**
- ❑ **Sign up for LU-ALERT**
- ❑ **Download and Use the EmergenSee App**
- ❑ **Register your valuables with LUPD**
- ❑ **Ask for Help if you need help.**
- ❑ **Offer Help if someone else needs help.**

Student Senate Statement on Academic Integrity

- We, the **Lehigh University Student Senate**, as the standing representative body of all undergraduates, reaffirm the duty and obligation of students to meet and uphold the highest principles and values of personal, moral and ethical conduct. As partners in our educational community, both students and faculty share the responsibility for promoting and helping to ensure an environment of academic integrity. As such, each student is expected to complete all academic course work in accordance to the standards set forth by the faculty and in compliance with the University's Code of Conduct