

Agenda Item

GOVC-6: Amendments to University Regulations UCF-5.009 Student Conduct Review Process; Sanctions, UCF-5.010 Student Conduct Appeals, and UCF-5.015 Student Academic Behavior Misconduct Review Process

Proposed Action

The Governance Committee is asked to recommend to the Board of Trustees, on its consent agenda, approval of the proposed amendments to University Regulations UCF-5.009 Student Conduct Review Process; Sanctions, UCF-5.010 Student Conduct Appeals, and UCF-5.015 Student Academic Behavior Misconduct Review Process.

Authority for Board of Trustees Action

Board of Governors Regulation 1.001

Supporting Documentation Included

Attachment A: UCF-5.009 Student Conduct Review Process; Sanctions (redline)

Attachment B: UCF-5.010 Student Conduct Appeals (redline)

Attachment C: UCF-5.015 Student Academic Behavior Misconduct Review Process (redline)

Facilitators/Presenters

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Summary of Key Observations/Recommendations

UCF-5.009: This regulation sets out of the process for reviewing alleged student conduct violations. The only proposed amendment is to remove language in paragraph (6)(a) related to academic misconduct involving graduate students. This change is proposed to conform to amendments being proposed for UCF-5.015 Student Academic Behavior Standards.

UCF-5.010: This regulation sets out the appeal procedure for a student after a student conduct proceeding. The only proposed amendment is to remove "for Undergraduate Students" from the title of paragraph (4) to conform with the amendments being proposed for UCF-5.015 Student Academic Behavior Standards.

UCF-5.015: This regulation sets out student academic behavior standards and outlines the process to be followed in the event of academic misconduct allegations and findings. Proposed amendments to this regulation include revising the language regarding the makeup of the panel for academic misconduct hearings and clarifying language regarding the academic misconduct review process as it relates to graduate students.

Additional Background

These regulations were last amended on June 25, 2024.

Implementation Plan

The amended regulations will take effect upon approval by the UCF Board of Trustees.

Resource Considerations

The proposed regulation amendments are not anticipated to incur additional costs to the University.