

## ***Executive Summary***

The 2024–2025 academic year marked the successful launch and implementation of the University’s new [Academic Integrity Policy](#). This milestone was achieved through the dedicated efforts of faculty, students, staff, and the Academic Integrity Board (AIB).

Central to the policy is a shared commitment to fostering a culture of academic integrity—through education, transparency, and accountability—across the Saint Louis University community. In alignment with its bylaws, the AIB served as an advisory body to the Associate Provosts for Undergraduate and Graduate Education, communicated updates and trends to the campus community, and administered a total of **198 academic integrity cases**, including **49 formal adjudication hearings**, over the course of the fall, spring, and summer semesters. As a reminder, the University Academic Integrity Policy applies to all schools and colleges except for the School of Law, the School of Medicine, the Center for Advanced Dentistry Education, and Madrid.

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## ***Summary of Academic Integrity Cases***

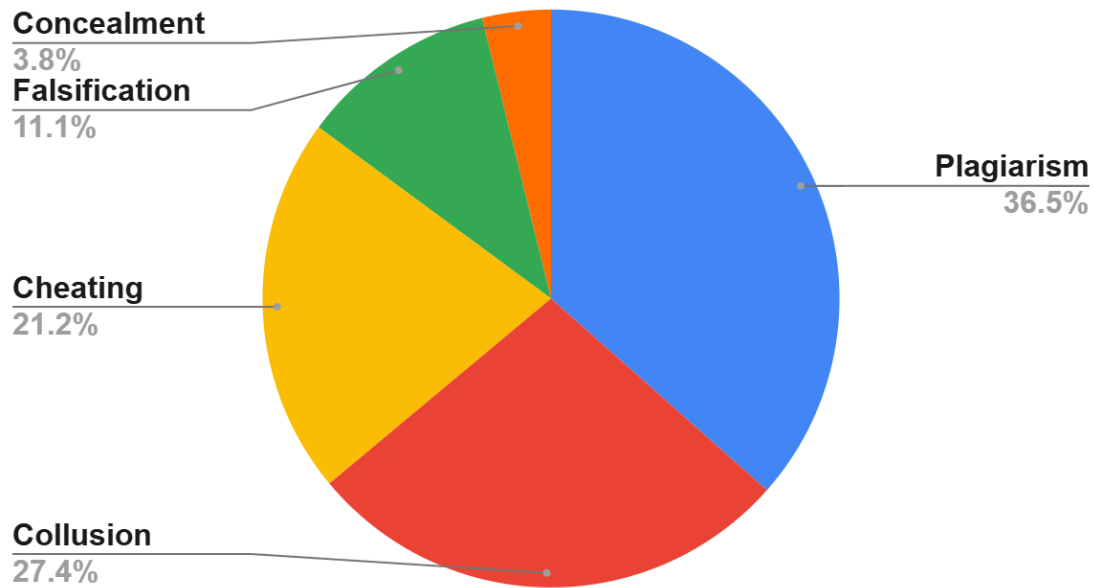
### **Administration of Cases**

- **Fall 2024:** 87 cases
- **Spring 2025:** 108 cases
- **Summer 2025:** 3 cases
- **Total (including summer sessions):** 198 cases
- **Hearings conducted:** 49 (25% of total cases)

### **Submitted Violations by Type**

- **Plagiarism:** 76
- **Collusion:** 57
- **Cheating:** 44
- **Falsification:** 23
- **Concealment:** 8

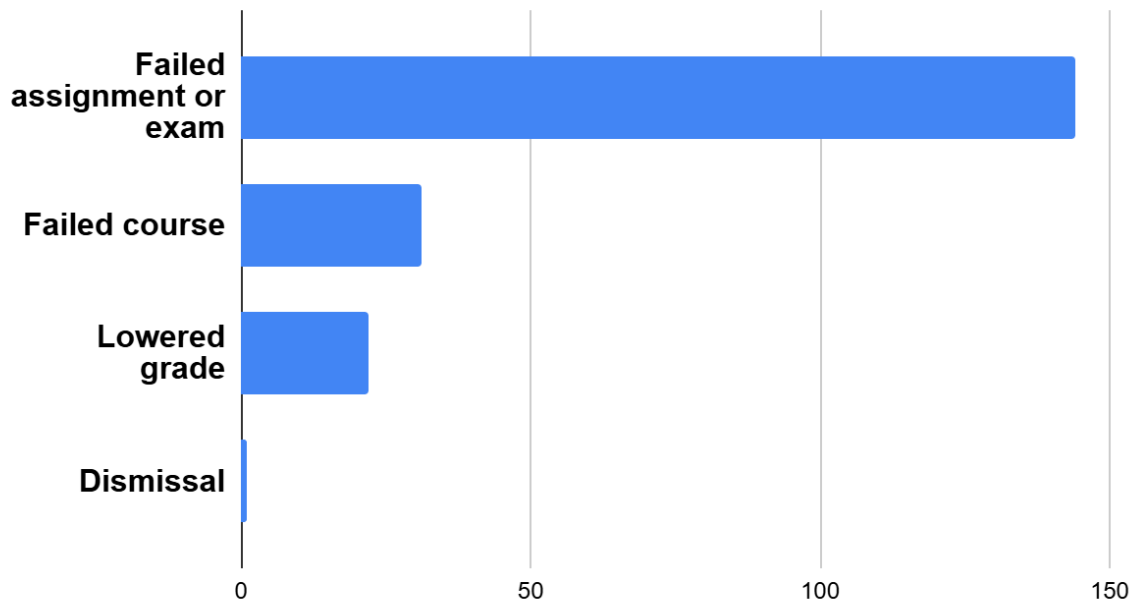
## Submitted Academic Integrity Violations - AY 24-25



## Sanctions Issued

- Failed assignment or exam: 144
- Failed course: 31
- Lowered grade: 22
- Dismissal: 1

## Applied Academic Integrity Sanctions - AY 24-25



## Adjudication Outcomes

- Hearing panels upheld **99%** of faculty allegations.
  - Fewer than **2%** of faculty-recommended sanctions were amended.
  - One hearing panel decision was appealed.
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## Key Milestones and Engagement Timeline

### Policy Launch and Initial Communications

- **8/16/24:** Policy announcement email from the provost to faculty
- **8/21/24:** Official policy launch
- **8/29/24:** Policy announcement email from the provost to students

### Panelist Recruitment

- **10/2/24:** Open call for faculty panelists (via Deans): **22 volunteers**
- **10/6/24:** Open call for student panelists (via SGA/GSA): **13 volunteers** (11 undergraduates, 2 graduate students)

### Academic Integrity Board Meetings

- Held on **9/16, 11/7, 2/19, 4/16**, and **5/5**

### Faculty Senate Communications

- **9/16/24:** Policy launch announcement and infographic distribution
- **11/19/24:** Preliminary Fall 2024 statistics
- **3/18/25:** Final Fall 2024 case summary

### Awareness and Outreach

- **10/25/24:** Launch of the Academic Integrity website
- **8/21/24-6/30/25:** Numerous presentations, emails, phone calls, and in-person meetings to discuss policy issues and/or individual cases.

### Reporting and Access Improvements

- **10/25/24:** [Faculty Resources page](#) launched on the Academic Integrity website
- **4/23/25:** Maxient [Academic Integrity Incident Form](#) tile added to **mySLU** for faculty/staff use

### Supporting Materials Developed

- **8/13/25:** *Academic Integrity @ SLU* teaching and learning [artifacts](#)

- **8/13/25:** Guidelines and reference tools for [faculty](#) and students (ongoing development)
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## ***Plans for AY 2025–2026***

- Renewed calls for **faculty and student panelist volunteers** (early fall 2025)
  - Scheduled AIB meetings in **September, November, January, March, and May**
  - Continued **campus-wide awareness and outreach initiatives**
  - Expansion of **educational resources and support materials** for faculty and students
  - Collaborative efforts with students to **co-create strategies** for promoting academic integrity
  - Engagement with university partners to **strengthen cross-campus collaboration**
  - **Recruitment of a Director of Academic Integrity** (three-year term)
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## ***Final Note***

The Academic Integrity Policy's success in its first year is a direct reflection of the active engagement and commitment of the faculty, students, and staff at Saint Louis University. The Academic Integrity Board welcomes feedback and is available for departmental presentations and consultations.

Thank you for your continued support in upholding the values of honesty, fairness, and academic excellence.

Sincerely,

**The Academic Integrity Board (AIB)**

Saint Louis University