College of Business Administration Honor Code

As an academic community the College of Business Administration at the University of Illinois at Chicago is committed to providing an environment in which teaching, learning, research, and scholarship can flourish and in which all endeavors are guided by academic and professional integrity. All members of the college community – students, faculty, staff, and administrators – share the responsibility of insuring that high standards of integrity are upheld so that such an environment exists.

In pursuit of these high ideals and standards of academic life, as a student I hereby commit myself to respect and uphold the University of Illinois at Chicago (UIC) College of Business Administration Honor Code during my entire matriculation at UIC. I agree to maintain the highest moral and ethical standards in all academic and business endeavors and to conduct myself honorably as a responsible member of the college academic community. This includes the following:

- Not to seek unfair advantage over other students, including, but not limited to giving or receiving unauthorized aid during completion of academic requirements;
- To represent fact and self truthfully at all times;
- To respect the property and personal rights of all members of the academic community.

Honor Code Violations and Enforcement

Violations of the Honor Code are just causes for discipline under the University of Illinois at Chicago Student Disciplinary Procedure, and all allegations of Honor Code violations shall be handled pursuant to that Procedure. Just cause includes, but is not limited to, any one or a combination of the following:

Academic Dishonesty. Any violation of the, "Guidelines Regarding Academic Integrity" which includes but is not limited to: giving or receiving unauthorized aid in any assignment or examination, plagiarism, tampering with grades, or other academic irregularities.

Violation of Professional Standards. Any conduct which violates any commonly recognized or generally accepted professional standard of training including unacceptable conduct in clinical, practicum, or off-campus training.

Withholding Information or Giving False Information. Withholding information or giving false information on an application for admission, readmission, registration, financial aid, employment or other materials.

Disruption of University Activities. Conduct that prevents, limits, creates hazards for, or impairs the teaching, research, public service, community, professional, athletic, organizational, administrative, clinical, academic, and/or ordinary business of students, faculty, and staff. Disruptions include, but are not limited to: disruption of building services, prevention of access to classes and University facilities, and all other university or University-approved events, including conduct in residence halls, hospitals, clinics, practicum or off-campus study or training programs.

Failure to Respond to Requests from University Officials. Failure to respond to requests from University officials for a conference on matters pertaining to student status in the University including, but not limited to: failure to respond to mail and telephone messages regarding allegations of misconduct.

Rules Violations. Violations of University or Campus rules; including, but not limited to: smoking or parking regulations or rules regarding use of University property.

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Offenses Involving Substances, Products, and Drugs. The misuse or unauthorized possession of intoxicants, controlled or illegal substances, or materials dangerous to public health and safety.

Improper Demonstrations, Picketing, Distribution of Printed Materials. Violations of University and Campus regulations on demonstrations, picketing, distribution of printed materials, or use of University facilities.

Misuse or Unauthorized Use of University Documents. Alteration, mutilation, misuse or fraudulent use of an official University document or granting permission for the use thereof by an unauthorized person. Official documents include, but are not limited to: UIC ID cards, course programs, charge slips, receipts, grade reports, transcripts, and computer access/account numbers.

Misuse or Unauthorized Use of Computer Resources or Information. Misuse, or unauthorized use of stored data, communication interfaces, and related computer software, or hardware; granting access to others to computer resources and/or information to a person or persons not authorized to have access to such resources or information; any conduct that impairs the proper access and/or usage of computer resources or facilities by members of the University community.

Violation of Regulations for Student Organizations. Violations of regulations established for student organizations, including financial and student election regulations. Student organizations whose members engage in activities which are designated herein as just cause for disciplinary action, may have their campus privileges suspended or revoked; moreover, officers and/or members, as individuals, may be subject to individual disciplinary action on the basis of their responsibility for, or participation in the proscribed activities.

Violation of Rights of Others. Any conduct which violates the rights of others or University policies regarding nondiscrimination.

Violation of Local, State or Federal Law - Board of Trustees' action or any other University rule of conduct. All actions which occur on University premises and which result in a violation of local, state or federal law, Board of Trustees' action or any other University rule of conduct, including the University policy on sexual harassment.

Actions Which Adversely Affect the University Community's Interest. Actions which violate the laws or regulations set forth herein and/or which substantially affect the interest of the University community even if such actions do not occur on University premises or property or at University-sponsored events.

For a complete description of just causes for discipline, disciplinary procedures, and sanctions, see the pamphlet "Student Disciplinary Procedure of the Senate Committee on Student Discipline," available from the Office of the Dean of Students, SSB, Suite 3030, 1200 W. Harrison St., M/C 318 or on their website at: http://www.uic.edu/depts/sja/