

SafeAssignment

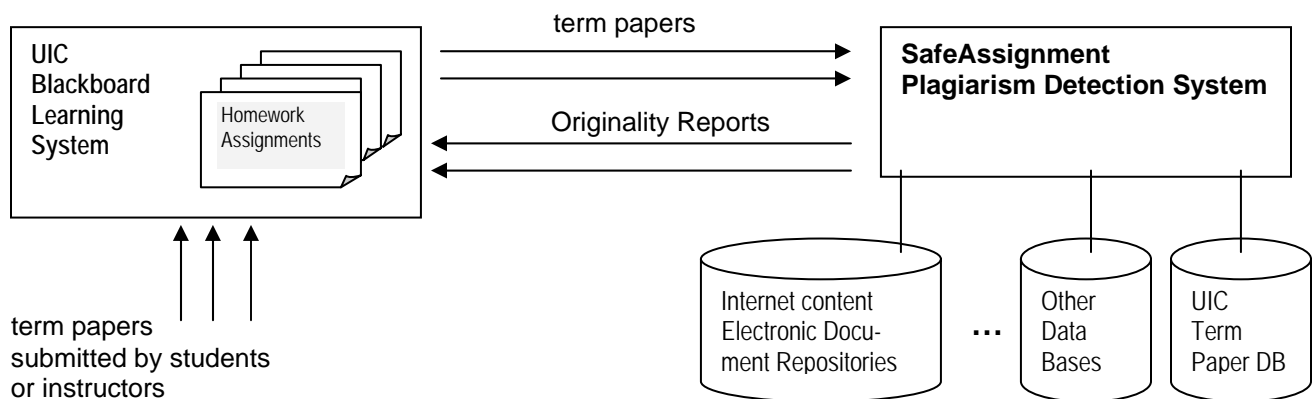
Deterring Plagiarism in Your Class, Easily

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SafeAssignment is a plagiarism detection system that we are piloting through the end of May 2005. SafeAssignment integrates seamlessly with the UIC Blackboard Learning System and it only takes minutes to use, enabling instructors to easily run student submitted papers through a comprehensive plagiarism detection process that includes textual comparisons against every possible public source on the Internet, as well as published works under subscription or in password-protected electronic document databases, such as electronic newspapers, magazines, term paper mills, electronic books, and online reference sites, as well as UIC's institutional database of papers, which SafeAssignment uses exclusively for UIC comparisons.

Instructors can submit student term papers manually (individual documents or groups of documents in Zip files), or easily set **Blackboard Assignments** to automatically collect the papers and run them through SafeAssignment's plagiarism detection.



For each document submitted, SafeAssignment produces **Originality Reports** which provide only the necessary information in a highly intuitive form, so that instructors only need to spend a few seconds to determine if plagiarism has occurred and to identify the sources.

Because SafeAssignment works as an plug-in module to Blackboard, no special accounts or passwords are needed. **Faculty members who do not use Blackboard...** but are interested in using SafeAssignment should contact the Instructional Technology Lab for special arrangements.

For more information...

- ◆ See www.accc.uic.edu/itl/safeassignment.html
- ◆ Click on **SafeAssignment** under **Blackboard Tools** on the ITL Blackboard Support Site - www.accc.uic.edu/itl/blackboard
- ◆ Visit www.safeassignment.com