

ACADEMIC HONESTY FORM  
University of California, Irvine  
Protecting the Value of Independent Work By  
Promoting Academic Honesty

The independent work you do as students and scholars should be valued as your creation and credited to you. Instances where the work of others is portrayed as one's own (i.e., plagiarism) and other forms of academic dishonesty undermine the value of independent work done by you, your peers and others.

Therefore, plagiarism and other forms of academic dishonesty, including cheating on quizzes and exams, are considered serious offenses and will not be tolerated. Instances of academic dishonesty will be addressed according to University policy. Reports on all cases of academic dishonesty will be submitted to the relevant deans and will be added to the student's permanent file. Plagiarism can result in failure on an assignment, failure of the course and/or imposition of campus wide sanctions including expulsion. For UCI's policies and definitions of academic dishonesty, read the section on Academic Honesty in the Appendix of the UCI General Catalog (<http://www.editor.uci.edu/02-03/appx/appx.2.htm>). If you are unsure about what constitutes plagiarism, see your TA.

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I understand that to protect the value of the independent work that I do in this course, the work of all students in the course may be compared for evidence of plagiarism to the work of other students, both in this course and in others, and to other sources on the Internet and elsewhere. This may involve the storage of students' work in files on campus and/or on computer systems outside of the university. I promise to follow all University, School, departmental and course policies on academic honesty. I also agree that my work in this course may be used for various teaching purposes, including training instructors and providing examples for other students, with my name removed to preserve my anonymity unless I notify the instructor of a different preference.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Course: \_\_\_\_\_

UCI Student ID#: \_\_\_\_\_ TA: \_\_\_\_\_