

PHYS 110

- RSO announcements
- Nuts & Bolts of being an Illinois Physics student
- Student panel

This Tuesday SWIP will have a mental health workshop 7-8pm and SPS is doing a grad student panel 8-9pm. Both on the usual Tuesday Zoom link.

Wednesday SWIP has a tea time with Nancy Aggarwal, a postdoc at Northwestern University whose work focuses on LIGO.

Then Thursday SWIP's grad school series will have Claire Baum talking about how to get funded at 5pm.

On Friday, SPS will have an Online Card Game. Zoom links and more info will be sent on the respective email lists.

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Nuts & Bolts of Being an Illinois Physics Student



Academic Integrity

Honesty is an indispensable foundation of teaching, learning, research, and service, and a necessary prerequisite for full realization of trust, fairness, respect, and responsibility.

The Fundamental Values of Academic Integrity, ICAI @ Clemson

Academic Integrity

See student code: http://studentcode.illinois.edu/article1_part4_1-401.html

Helpful guide: <https://provost.illinois.edu/policies/policies/academic-integrity/students-quick-reference-guide-to-academic-integrity/>

What is an infraction of academic integrity?

- Cheating – using or attempting to use unauthorized materials
- Plagiarism – representing the words, work, or ideas of another as your own
- Fabrication – the falsification or invention of any information, including citations
- Facilitating Infractions of Academic Integrity – helping or attempting to help another commit an infraction
- Bribes, Favors, and Threats – actions intended to affect a grade or evaluation
- Academic Interference – tampering, altering or destroying educational material or depriving someone else of access to that material

Consequences of academic integrity fraction

- Fail assignment
- Fail class
- Suspended from university
- Loss of job opportunities
- Loss of reputation



Be great! Don't cheat or steal ideas or words.

Academic integrity is handled through the online FAIR system

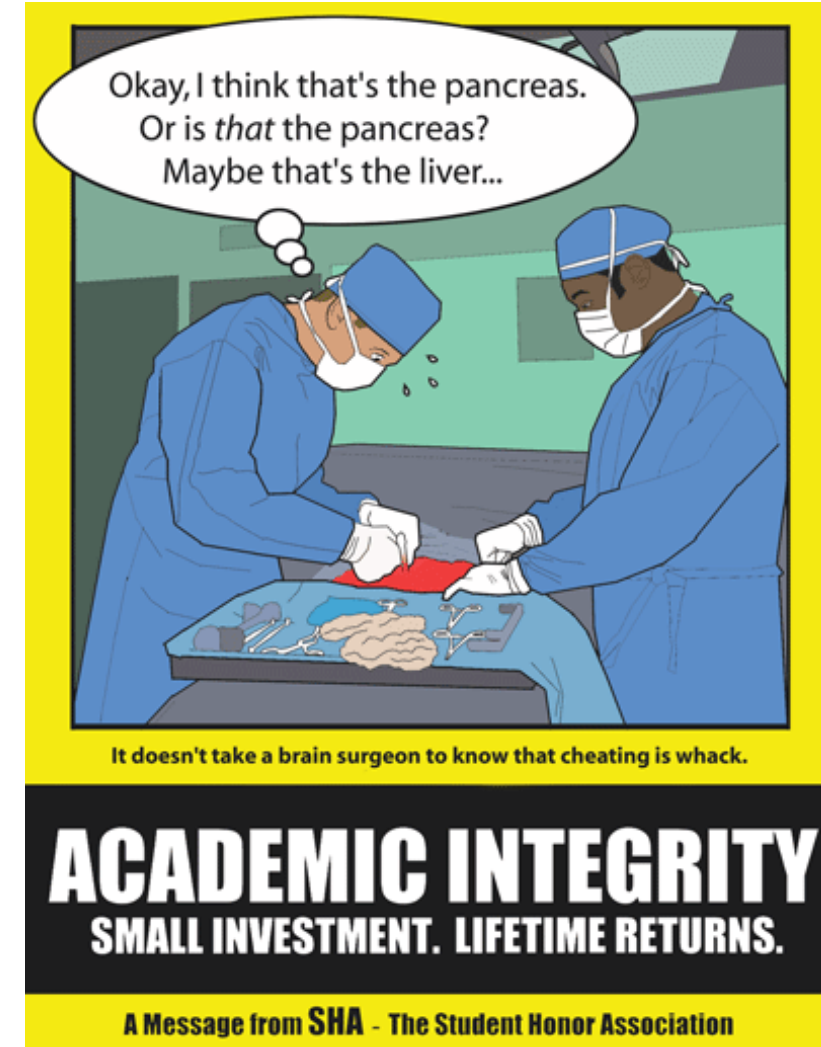
Procedure:

- Instructor files case
- Instructor proposes sanction
- Student can respond and provide evidence
- Instructor can reconsider case & sanction, then issues decision
- Student can appeal

The FAIR system protects your rights!

Instructors should not contact you regarding academic integrity infractions outside of the FAIR system.

Academic integrity is
important to society:
you are our future!



Dropping & Withdrawing

What's the difference?

Drop (by deadline FRIDAY): class removed from transcript

LAS students: self-service

<https://apps.uillinois.edu/selfservice/>

ENG students: add/drop portal

<https://my.engr.illinois.edu/coursechanges>

Withdraw: petition to drop after deadline

“W” on transcript



Incomplete

Excused absence for final exam,
final project, or final assignment



“I” on transcript

Plan with instructor to make up activity and replace grade

Proficiency Exam

Instrument to receive credit without taking class by demonstrating mastery

Each department has their own rules and dates. Check their website!

Physics:

- Offered for 21x before classes start each semester and during finals
- You can take only one at a time
- You cannot take a proficiency exam once you have completed PHYS325
- You must earn at least a B to pass

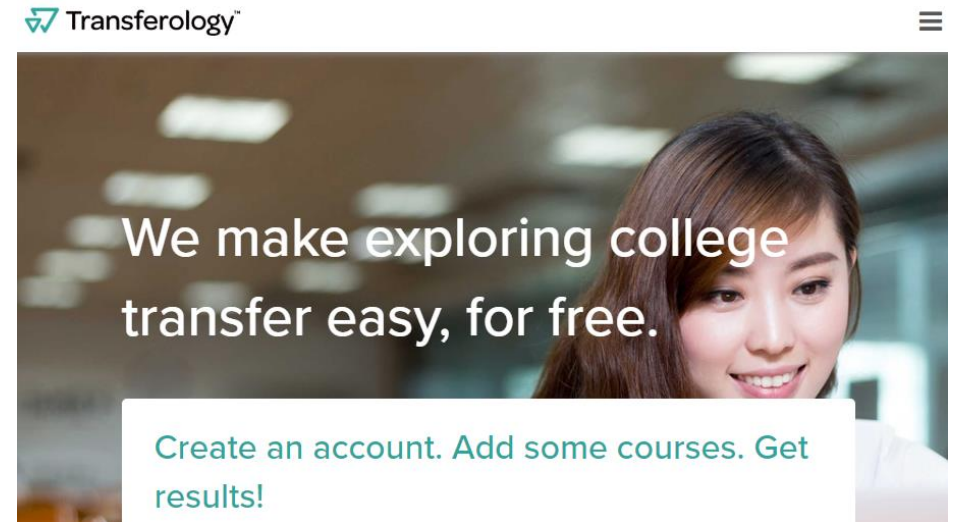


<https://physics.illinois.edu/academics/undergraduates/proficiencyexams>

Transfer credit

Check using a free tool:

<https://www.transferologylab.com/index.htm>



You must initiate the process!

Send syllabus to ouacoursearticulation@illinois.edu

Include full name, UIN, transfer course
subject and number, college of enrollment

Taking graduate courses

- You must ask permission
- You must meet the pre-requisites
- You must have completed most of your physics and general education requirements
- You cannot substitute for undergraduate courses

professor...who
wears a tie to class?

Scary (random) equations!



*What people who make clip art think
a physics graduate class looks like

Pick up the form in 231 Loomis or online

Independent Study

Earn credit for doing research: 1-4 credit hours

PHYS 199: for freshmen

PHYS 497: sophomores +

Pick up form in 231 Loomis or online

