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## Academic Integrity and Plagiarism -Take away for students

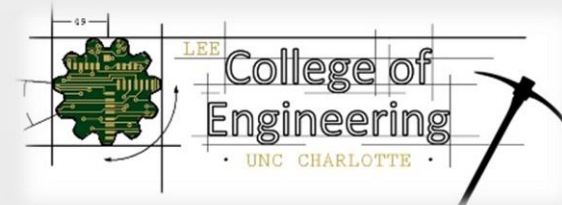
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# Academic Integrity

- ▶ Integrity: Acting with Honesty
  - ▶ Doing the right thing, even nobody is watching.
- ▶ Academic Integrity:
  - ▶ Acting with honesty, truth, fairness and respect in your academic work
  - ▶ Doing your own work
  - ▶ Always reference the others work

**In short:**

**Do not COPY**

# Plagiarism :

- ▶ UNC Charlotte (2009) defines plagiarism as "intentionally or knowingly presenting the work of another as one's own (i.e., without proper acknowledgment of the source)."

Which is a technical term for "COPY"

## Consequences for plagiarizing at UNC Charlotte can include:

- ▶ A formal warning to getting kicked out of university

# How can plagiarism be avoided?

- **Step 1:** Do not ask anyone to give their home work or assignment.
- **Step 2:** If anyone asks you for your homework, do not give it.
- **Step 3:** Do not write down anything which you don't understand.
- **Step 4:** Specifically for takehome exams:
  - **Follow the instructions.**
  - **If the instructor says you should work on the exams on your own, it means you should not consult anyone.**

Thank you!



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