The Office of Student Conduct

Conduct Process:

REFERRAL TO STUDENT CONDUCT

The University Conduct Officer initiates an initial meeting with the student after receiving a report of a violation.

The conduct officer may dismiss the case if there is insufficient evidence. The standard of proof TAMUCT operates under is a "more likely than not" standard.

OR the student may choose not to dispute the facts and accept an administrative disposition,

OR the student may choose a formal hearing. If a violation of 4.12 of the Code, then administrative disposition is not an option.

ADMINISTRATIVE DISPOSITION

Students have the option of appealing the decision by submitting an appeal request within 48 hours. After 48 hours, the decision is final.

FORMAL HEARING

After hearing the facts involved, the conduct officer may dismiss the case or find the student responsible and issue a sanction.

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APPEALS

The appellate process can result in the following:

- 1) Appellate body upholds the decision regarding both the facts and the sanction, **OR**;
- 2) Appellate body requests the lower hearing body to review with instructions attached.