



1. POLICY NAME: AUD HONOR CODE PLEDGE

2. POLICY CATEGORY: GENERAL ACADEMIC POLICIES AND PROCEDURES

3. POLICY STATEMENT:

The administration and faculty of AUD believe strongly in the Academic Policies and Procedures concept of an honor system. This belief is based on the knowledge that in competitive professional environments, greater emphasis is placed on originality and integrity of ideas and work. All members of the AUD academic community, including faculty, students, and administration, are expected to assist in maintaining the integrity of the university, which includes reporting incidents that violate the Statement on Academic Honesty.

To this end, all students are asked to adhere to the honor pledge that reads as follows:

“As a student of The American University in Dubai, I pledge that all tests taken by me and that all work submitted by me will be original and solely the results of my own efforts. Furthermore, as a student and member of the academic community of The American University in Dubai, I am bound to uphold standards of personal integrity and honesty and to accept my personal, academic and professional responsibilities in the community.

Specifically, I pledge:

- *to adhere to the university’s policy on cheating and plagiarism;*
- *not to lie or steal in my university undertakings;*
- *not to evade the truth or deceive; and,*
- *to inform the appropriate faculty member and Dean, Associate Dean or Chair of my School or Department of any and all cases of academic dishonesty and violations of the Honor Code.”*

Violations of the Honor Code are handled as set forth in the *Student Handbook* and on the AUD website. All members of the AUD academic community, including faculty, students and administration, are expected to assist in maintaining the integrity of the university, which includes reporting incidents that violate the Statement on Academic Honesty.