

THE RICHARD STOCKTON COLLEGE OF NJ  
**STUDENT HANDBOOK**

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### Campus Conduct Code

Stockton is dedicated to the transmission of knowledge, the pursuit of truth, the development of students and the general well-being of society. The rules, regulations and procedures enumerated in this section are designed to establish standards of civil and considerate behavior that are fundamental to a realization of these goals. The responsibility to respect and hold these regulations must be shared by all members of the Stockton community, who are expected to be fully informed of these regulations.

### Campus Conduct Code Violations

The following regulations govern the conduct of all administrators, faculty, staff, other employees and students and all visitors, guests and licensees while they are on the campus or in College-owned or controlled facilities. These regulations shall not preclude enforcement of applicable federal, state and local laws or ordinances. The College is in no way a sanctuary from the law, and all persons who violate the law must expect to pay the penalties of the law.

Procedures for charges involving academic honesty are listed under the section "[Academic Honesty](#)" found elsewhere in this publication.

The Campus Conduct Code specifically prohibits the following:

1. Dishonesty, including but not limited to cheating, plagiarism or knowingly furnishing false information to any College administrator, staff or faculty.
2. Forgery, alteration or misuse of College documents, records, identification cards, other official College database files or other misuse of the College's computerized systems.
3. Obstruction or disruption of teaching, research, administration, disciplinary procedures, public service functions or other College activities on College premises.
4. Theft, obtaining property under false pretenses, knowingly possessing or receiving stolen property or destroying or damaging, or threatening to destroy or damage property of the state, or any person.
5. Any action that harms, threatens bodily harm or presents an imminent danger of harm to any person. (See also "[Disposition of Domestic Violence Complaints](#).")
6. Any act of sexual assault or sexual contact under circumstances of physical force, intimidation or any other nonconsensual circumstance. (See [Campus Sexual Assault Policy](#).)
7. Behavior that constitutes an invasion or violation of an individual's rights to privacy or to non-discriminatory treatment. Examples of behaviors that might be found to violate this provision include but are not limited to harassing or terroristic behavior, stalking, imposing physical or mental restraints on another person, or engaging in obscene verbal or written communications, exhibitionism or other invasive action toward another person.
8. Possession, use, distribution or attempted distribution of narcotics, dangerous drugs, controlled dangerous substances or drug paraphernalia that are prohibited by state or federal laws or knowingly being present at the time of the prohibited conduct.
9. Possession or use of a firearm, explosive, dangerous chemical or other dangerous weapon in contravention of federal, state or local laws or College policies and procedures.
10. Inciting or inducing others to engage in any conduct or to perform acts prohibited herein. Inciting means the advocacy of imminent lawless conduct by the person(s) addressed and must be coupled with a reasonable apprehension of imminent danger to the property, functions and purposes of the College, including the safety of College community members. Inducing means

offering another person any incentive to engage in prohibited conduct or prevailing upon them to engage in such conduct.

11. Disorderly, lewd, indecent or obscene conduct/expression or exhibitionism including but not limited to on the College property or at a College-sponsored or supervised function.

12. Unauthorized use of the College's name, logo, finances, materials and supplies (including stationery bearing the College's letterhead), or facilities (including computer facilities) for commercial, personal or political purposes.

13. Refusal to comply with a request, directive or order from an official of the College, including campus police officers, members of the College administrative staff or other authorized persons acting in the performance of their official College duties and responsibilities.

14. Unauthorized entry into and/or use of College facilities/equipment, including but not limited to the library, athletic facilities and equipment, galleries, classrooms, College centers' television/video equipment, computers or confidential files. (See "[Standards Concerning Acceptable Use of Stockton's Computing Facilities.](#)")

15. Possession, consumption and/or distribution, or attempted distribution of alcoholic beverages in contravention of federal, state or local laws or College regulations.

16. Off-campus actions and/or behaviors that violate laws and regulations of federal, state and local agencies, as well as policies of the College. When considering this code a Complainant must specify which other code violation, law and/or regulation(s) herein represents misconduct occurring off-campus. (See [Off-Campus Actions and Behaviors.](#))

17. Violations of established College policies or regulations and any other procedures or regulations officially promulgated by the College and/or the State of New Jersey. When considering this code a Complainant must specify which policies or regulations, not included herein, represent a violation of this code.



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