

Ordinance 17 Student Discipline

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- 1. The Senate shall, by Regulation, determine the procedure to be followed in student disciplinary cases.
- 2. This Ordinance shall be read in conjunction with Regulation 21
- 3. This Ordinance shall be applied equally to all students in a way that is free of prejudice in respect of any protected characteristic or any other unfair consideration, and actions taken under this Ordinance shall be fair, ethical, proportionate and timely.
- 4. Such a procedure shall include:
 - a) the right of the student to be told of the charges against them and the possible penalties;
 - b) the provision of clear information about how to access advice and support;
 - c) the right of the student to be given reasonable notice of any hearing and to receive, in advance, copies of all information to be considered by the decision maker;
 - d) the right of the student to make written and oral representation to the person or committee established under such Regulation to deal with the case;
 - e) the right of the student to be accompanied if they choose by another person, who may speak on their behalf;
 - f) the right of the student to call and question witnesses;
 - g) details of the penalties which may be imposed by the University if the student is found to have been guilty of a breach of discipline; and
 - h) the right for the student to appeal against the decision and any disciplinary penalty imposed.