

NOTICE
UGSS ELECTIONS
CODE OF CONDUCT

It is important that each and every candidate (Presidential and Faculty Representatives), party or group supporters, a student or person in his/her individual and separate capacity, must, at all times, during the period of the UGSS Elections observe the **Code of Conduct**, a breach of which would be considered a breach of Statute 25B of the Act and Statutes of the University.

It is imperative that candidates ensure that their workers and agents are aware of and acquainted with the **Code of Conduct** and that they comply with it.

Any breach of the **Code of Conduct** may cause the University authorities to take disciplinary action against violator(s). **An act of misconduct may result in suspension or expulsion and consequential ineligibility for election or holding of office.**

In abiding with the **Code of Conduct**, no one is allowed to:

- (1) Remove, obscure or damage another party's campaign material within a given space, such as a **bulletin board** or flier area.
- (2) Campaign within 100 feet of a polling site's perimeter.
- (3) Use percussion or other instruments or audio amplification within 100 feet of a polling site.
- (4) Place posters on surfaces other than Notice Boards.
- (5) Violate a cease and desist order.
- (6) Bring false or malicious charges against another candidate or party.
- (7) Utilize libelous, defamatory and false material against others.
- (8) Deface or damage poll booths or University election related material.
- (9) Perform any activity that would unduly prejudice another party.
- (10) Offer goods or services in exchange for votes.
- (11) Deprive poll sites of ballots or destroy ballots
- (12) Utilize UGSS equipment, personnel or resources for endorsement or support for or against any candidate, platform or party.
- (13) Make any attempt to tamper with the election machinery to perpetuate a fraudulent election. This shall include, but not be limited to providing false information regarding elections procedures, voting more than once or impersonating another voter.
- (14) Tamper with ballot boxes.

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