Student is suspected of falsifying, attempting to falsify, or otherwise misusing academic records.

Is the evidence uncovered by the Registrar

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NO

Give evidence to Registrar

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YES

Registrar considers evidence, invites student to explain

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Does evidence show the student is guilty of offense?

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NO

END

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YES

Registrar finds if there is a prior offense

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YES

Registrar decides whether offense warrants suspension, dismissal, or expulsion

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NO

NO

Registrar recommends no penalty, suspension, or more severe to Provost and notifies student and Ombud

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Is suspension or more severe recommended?

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NO

Does student approach Ombud?

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YES

Ombud informs student, dean of student's college, and Registrar of finding and recommended penalty

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NO

Ombud informs student, dean of student's college, Registrar, Provost of no appeal

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Provost decides whether to impose no penalty, the recommended penalty, or a lighter one (if penalty is imposed, it must be at least suspension), and notifies student, dean of student's college, Ombud, Registrar

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Appeals Board notifies student, dean of student's college, Registrar, Ombud, and Provost of decisions

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Appeals Board examines sentence, decides whether to support no penalty, the recommended penalty, or a lighter one (if penalty is imposed, it must be at least suspension)

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Is suspension or more severe recommended?

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NO

Appeals Board notifies student, dean of student's college, Ombud, Registrar of decisions, plus Provost if Registrar recommended suspension or more severe

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YES

Does student appeal finding of an offense?

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NO

NO

Appeals Board notifies student, dean of student's college, Ombud, Registrar of decisions, plus Provost if Registrar recommended suspension or more severe

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YES

Does student appeal penalty?

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NO

Is student found not guilty?

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YES

Appeals Board notifies student, dean of student's college, Ombud, Registrar

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NO

Does student appeal penalty?