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Trends as reported by the Association of Certified Fraud Examiners Fraud 2024 report



Source: Association of Certified Fraud Examiners' Occupational Fraud 2024: A Report to the Nations.



## **Reporting sources**

UKIA's investigations typically stem from information provided through the following sources:

- 1. UKIA's online form (anonymous)
  - Reporting form on UKIA's website
- 2. Comply Line (anonymous)
  - 24-hour telephone hotline
- 3. Other methods
  - Stakeholder contacts
  - Auditor outreach

## Total reports by anonymous source<sup>1</sup>





UKIA's online form submissions



President's Cabinet Area	Reportable tips	
President's Cabinet Area	FY23	FY24*
Enterprise-wide	1	0
Executive Vice President for Finance and Administration	6	2
Provost/Campus	2	2
Provost/Health Care	4	1
Student Success	0	4
UK HealthCare	1	3

\*as of 4/3/2024.



## Comply Line calls



Reportable tips	
FY23	FY24*
5	2
1	9
1	1
4	3
4	3
134	94
0	1
	FY23 5 1 1 4 4

\*as of 4/3/2024.



## Other methods

### **Stakeholder contacts**

- Process owners
- Management
- Other University personnel

## **Auditor outreach**

- Audit services (repetitive, consultation, comprehensive, information technology, etc.)
- Ongoing data analytics
- In-person training



## Overview

## People – **Services** – Process

#### Inquiries/ Investigations

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- Validating/substantiating event
- Communicating results

#### Investigations

- Confirming details of misappropriation/violation
- Quantifying losses
- Communicating results

#### **Partnerships**

- Human Resources
- Office of Legal Counsel
- UK Police Department
- Other compliance entities

## Assistance as needed from specialized support services

- Information Technology Services
- External consultants

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People – Services – **Process** 

Communicate results

**Process weaknesses and/or inappropriate activity** 

Entity	Process weakness	Inappropriate activity
Unit/department	X	X
Relevant process owners	X	X
University administration	*see footnote	X

\*e.g., policy violation with unit's responsibility for mitigation.

# QUESTIONS



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