Fraud or False Identification

**Summary/Purpose:** To prevent acts of fraud, including misuse of University or state-issued identification.

The University of Mississippi strictly prohibits the alteration, falsification, or other misuse of a student’s documents or of University of Mississippi documents, records, or forms of identification. In addition, the University prohibits the misuse of any state-issued or federally issued identification (i.e., driver’s license), including the possession of fake or fictitious identification or the possession of identification belonging to someone other than the student.

In addition to the examples indicated above, fraud may include, but is not limited to, the following: furnishing false information to the University, forgery, unauthorized alteration of any official documentation, misuse of a University official’s signature, inappropriate use of a student identification card, misuse of information technology user id’s and/or passwords, fraudulent misrepresentation or concealment of one’s organizational affiliation(s) or sponsorship(s). Unauthorized use of the name of the University or the names of members or organizations in the University community also is considered fraud.