

MCB 419 Academic Integrity Policies

For all *assignments*, you are expected to turn in your own answers, written in your own words, your own computer code, and your own results as generated by your version of the code. Copying and pasting of written responses to questions, programming code, or simulation results from the work of other students is unacceptable and is considered cheating.

When working with other students on *assignments*, you are encouraged to exchange ideas and discuss approaches to the problem, and help each other with programming issues, but this should be done without directly sharing the wording of written responses to questions, without sharing full source code, and without sharing detailed output from simulation runs. You are free to discuss your simulation results with other students and compare results, but each student must generate their own data values and do their own analysis. Copying these items from another student or allowing another student to copy from you is unacceptable and is considered cheating.

On *exams and quizzes*, the answers that you turn in must be your own, formulated from your own understanding of the material, without help or information from other students. If external reference materials are allowed during the exam or quiz you will be given explicit instructions as to what specific resources can be consulted. Only resources that are explicitly allowed may be used. Violation of these policies is considered cheating.

Any form of cheating in this course will be dealt with in accordance with the University-wide policies and procedures as stated in the *Code of Policies and Regulations Applying to All Students*. The University's policy on Academic Integrity can be found under Article One, Part IV. A link is provided below:

http://admin.illinois.edu/policy/code/article1_part4_1-401.html

I have read, understood, and agree to abide by these policies.

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Name (PRINTED): _____