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Ethics in Practice: Building a Classroom and Campus Culture for Academic Integrity

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Student Perspectives on Academic Ethics: Participants

Panelists

- **Parker Bennet**, Speaker of the Senate, UNI Student Government, Political Science/Global Studies Double Major, Minor in Textiles & Apparel
- **Eric Benson**, UNI Electronic Media BA & MA in Communication Studies
- **Lanie Crous**, Graduate Assistant in UNI Wellness Program, President of UNI Student Affairs Pre-Professional Association (SAPA)
- **Toril Einwalter**, UNI Psychology Major
- **Samantha Johannsen**, Double Major in Accounting & Management, Co-President of the College of Business President’s Council and President of the UNI Pre-Law Club
- **Haowei Li**, UNI Accounting Major

Moderator

- **Laura Terlip**, Associate Professor, UNI Department of Communication Studies

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Discussion Questions

• What is academic integrity at UNI? Is it an important issue?
• How often do UNI students engage in unethical academic practices? Why do they behave that way?
• Are the different perspectives among diverse students? (class, major, personal characteristics, cultural background, etc.)
• What should be done to solve the issues at UNI?
• What should be the roles of the various stakeholders (students, faculty, staff, student government, UNI administrators, etc.)?
Examples of Issues

- Cheating on Exams https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e-HDhErK9Xw&index=35&list=PL4E359BAC2775F328
- Self Plagiarism https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=d9oF8UmK4is&index=5&list=PL5D0FE90E1C6811D3
- Working in Groups https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=miEpSfz1aFs&list=PL5D0FE90E1C6811D3&index=3
- Performance Enhancing Drugs https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Ghl4qysrC28&index=88&list=PL4E359BAC2775F328